

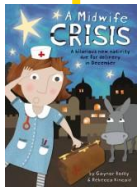
16 November 2018

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Christmas is coming!



Breakfast Club will be holding their 'Christmas Cooked Breakfast' on Monday 17 December. Letters will be given to Breakfast Club attendees, but this is open to other children as well so please see the school office if you are interested. The cost is £3.50 for 7.45-8.45am and includes a wonderful cooked breakfast.



'A Midwife Crisis' the Rec, Year 1 & 2 Christmas play, will take place on Wednesday 12 and Thursday 13 December at 2.15pm. We will send the ticket request letter in a few weeks, tickets are limited due to space and parents are expected to attend *only one* of the performances. Thank you.

Christmas Disco, takes place on Thursday 13 December. RW & Years 1 & 2 from 5-6.30pm and KS2 from 7-8.30pm.



Reception class activity morning takes place on Wednesday 5 December, this is a hands on activity morning where parents stay and take part in Nativity activities with your child in Reception. Further details will be sent out in the Reception newsletter.

School Christmas Lunch, will take place on Friday 14 December, the lunch will be free for Reception, all of KS1 and those children in KS2 on Free School Meals. The cost for the remaining KS2 children will be £2.20. There will only be a choice of a hot lunch or a packed lunch from home, there will be no pick 'n' mix on that day. (Please see next page for deadline for opting out).



Christmas Carols Some of upper KS2 children will be singing Christmas Carols on Monday 17 December at the Co-op and also hopefully the Old Rectory care home. Further details will follow closer to the time



We will be taking part in a 'Christmas Jumper Day' in aid of Save the Children on Friday 14 December.



Save the Children
**CHRISTMAS
JUMPER DAY**

Children can come to school in non-uniform, with a Christmas theme in return for a **£1** donation to this worthy cause.

Father Christmas will visit each class on the last day to deliver a 'class gift', courtesy of FOSA and Reception children will visit Santa and his reindeer in our specially decorated 'grotto'!

St Edmund's Church will hold their usual Christingle/Crib Service on Christmas Eve at 4pm, all children and parents are welcome, with music by Acle St Edmund's Youth Orchestra.

FOSA are looking at whether to do something different to the end of term raffle. Further details to follow, or if you would like to be involved in the decision making, pop along to the AGM on Thursday 22 November at 6.30pm in the Year 6 classroom.



The FOSA Bingo on Saturday raised a whopping **£650!** Thanks to everyone who attended and for all the lovely donations that make the super hampers.

Christmas lunch

If your child does NOT wish to have the school Christmas lunch on Friday 14 December (cost £2.20 for KS2 pupils, free for KS1 pupils and those on Free School Meals), please can you let the school office know on **MONDAY AT THE LATEST** as the food has to be ordered.

We have not received any orders for the vegetarian option, so if your child requires a vegetarian Christmas lunch, please also let the school office know this on Monday.

RW's cake sale raised **£61!** Well done

Norfolk County Council School Admissions

Norfolk County Council is consulting on the admissions arrangements for Norfolk's community schools as well as the admission coordination schemes. They are particularly keen to hear from parents and carers. This link to the consultation documents and online feedback form is shown below.

<https://www.norfolk.gov.uk/education-and-learning/schools/school-admissions/norfolk-admission-arrangements-2020-21>

Reminder Flu immunisation forms

Please can the flu immunisation consent forms be returned next week. If you are not giving consent for your child to have the vaccine, you will need to collect a further form from the school office to complete, sign and return.

The immunisations will take place on place on Thursday 29 Nov.

Year 1 and 2 Show and Tell – Tuesday 20 November

Our joint Show and Tell this term will be in the form of a Story Café.

We will all meet together at the slightly earlier time of 2.45pm in hall to listen to the story Supertato by Sue Hendra and Paul Linnet which link to our Heroes topic. Following the story there will be activities in the hall and in both classrooms for you to do

Year 6 Acle Academy English transition day

Just to remind Year 6 parents that the 'Fantastic Beasts' themed transition day will be taking place next Wednesday. The children will be supervised walking to the Academy and back by Academy staff and Mrs Green and will be there from 10am to 2pm. Your child will need to bring a *packed lunch*. If your child is entitled to Free School Meals, please let the office know on Monday if you would like us to provide a packed lunch for your child.

UPCOMING EVENTS

November

- Mon 19 Defenders club
- Tues 20 Yr 1/2 Show & Tell
KS1 football club
- Wed 21 AA transition day
KS2 football club

Please use the calendar on our school website

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for more dates

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