

FOR YOUR DIARY  
WEDNESDAY 3<sup>RD</sup>  
DECEMBER  
SCHOOL DISCO

Dear Parents/Carers,

This week we have been thinking about kindness, and the Team Captains have collected their teams' nominations for acts of kindness seen around school. Some of these were shared in our celebratory worship this morning. I particularly liked Ezra's compliments to Mrs. Booker which made her feel good for the rest of the day.

We hope the kindness continues through to everyone's weekends. The excitement is building in school as we approach the start of advent and look forward to all the festive events we have lined up.

– Mrs. Anderson

Santa's Letter Box will be available in the reception area from Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December to Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December for all the children's Christmas Cards to their friends at school.

### WEEKLY REFLECTION



Do everything in love.

1 Corinthians 16: 13-14

### Christmas Cards for the Community

If you know of anyone in our local community—perhaps a neighbour, friend, or family member—who would appreciate receiving a Christmas card from the school, please send their name and address to us.

Please provide these details by **Friday 5th December**, so that our pupils have time to prepare and send the cards.

### Farrant – Parent Christmas Workshop

**Thank you to all the parents/carers who attended the Farrant Class Parent Christmas Workshop on Thursday. Everyone had great fun making some amazing Christmas decorations for the classroom. There was a wonderful atmosphere to start off the festive season.**

### This week's Attendance figures for the School are:

Attendance – 95.9%

Authorised Absence – 3.7%

Unauthorised Absence – 0.7%

Lates – 1.9%

Please keep an eye on your child's attendance on MCAS and ensure your child is at school at all times, unless they are too unwell to attend and the illness is recognized as an appropriate absence by the NHS. Generally, absences for holidays will not be authorized.

### Christingle making

If you can come into school on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2025 to help the children with making Christingles, please let the office know by Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December.

The event will run from 9.00am to 11.00am.



## Event Dates

**Please note - new dates are added in red**

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2025 – PC Dan Sibun visiting EYFS & KS1 at 9.30am

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2025 – DST Drop in session with Mandy Lax at 10.00am

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2025 – PTGFA School Disco

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2025 – PTGFA Film Night at 3.15pm

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2025 – Yr3/4 Forest School Xmas around the world

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2025 – EYFS & KS1 Nativity Dress Rehearsal to whole school at 9.30am

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2025 – PTGFA Christmas Fun Run at 1.00pm

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2025 – EYFS & KS1 Nativity Performance to parents at 9.30am

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2025 - EYFS & KS1 Nativity Performance to parents at 9.30am

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2025 – PTGFA Santa's Grotto at 4.00pm

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2025 – Music Recital to parents at 2.00pm

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2025 – Bella Grace – The Therapy Dog visit at 1.15pm**

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2025 – PTGFA Christmas Craft afternoon at 1.00pm

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2025 – Christingle Making at 9.00am**

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2025 – Christingle Service at St Mary's Church at 6.00pm

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2025 – Christmas Jumper Day

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2025 – Chartwells Christmas Lunch

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December 2025 – Last day of Autumn Term 2

### 2026

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2026 – INSET DAY

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2026 – First day of Spring Term 1

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2026 – Young Voices concert at O2



JOIN US FOR A MERRY AND BRIGHT




SUNDAY 14 DECEMBER

St Mary's Church, Clymping, 10-11am  
Followed by a family-friendly worship  
service at 11am

Christmas crafting, gingerbread  
decorating, festive music-making,  
hot chocolate and biscuits,  
tea and coffee

(Please bring your own cup if you can)

 CYF Messy Church  
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## **Holiday Return Menu**

**Jacket Potato with Baked Beans**

**OR**

**Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayo**

(Contains FISH, EGG, MUSTARD)

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**Sweetcorn**

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**Jelly and Custard**

(Contains MILK)

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**Milk or Water**

(Contains MILK)

The Back to School menu is subject to availability and items from either menu may be used. The menus will be in use when access during half term/ bank holiday and inset days is limited.

Please note that our school will be on a holiday return menu on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January & Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> - any pre-booked meals will need to be re-ordered – menu above.

# Christmas Lunch

Serving on Wednesday 17th December

## MAINS

Roast Turkey  
Or  
Quorn Roast

## SIDES

Roast Potatoes, Stuffing,  
Mini Sausage, Gravy,  
Broccoli & Carrots

## DESSERTS

Festive Chocolate Brownie

Order on ParentPay.com no later than  
**Thursday 4th December.**  
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 CAMPS RUN FROM 8:30AM - 4:30PM  
 LUNCH WILL NOT BE PROVIDED FOR PAID SPACES  
 PLEASE BRING A PACKED LUNCH

**HAMPSHIRE CAMP DATES AND LOCATIONS**

	22ND	23RD	29TH	30TH
ST BARTHOLOMEWS <i>MALDEN</i>	✓	✓	✗	✗
STEEP C OF E PRIMARY <i>PETERSFIELD</i>	✓	✓	✗	✗
WHITELEY PRIMARY <i>FARNHAM</i>	✓	✓	✗	✗
BEREWOOD PRIMARY <i>WATERLOOVELLE</i>	✓	✓	✗	✗

**WEST SUSSEX CAMP DATES AND LOCATIONS**

	22ND	23RD	29TH	30TH
THE MARCH C OF E PRIMARY <i>HOVE</i>	✓	✓	✗	✗
EAST PRESTON JUNIORS (HAF) <i>HOVE</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓
ROSE GREEN (UNION) (HAF) <i>HOVE</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓
TAPTON C OF E PRIMARY (HAF) <i>HOVE</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓

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