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Newsletter 16

Wednesday 9th December 2020

Believe and Achieve

What a Term!

You may be aware that the government suggested yesterday that schools should close on Friday 18th December and have a staff training day.

Following a meeting with the majority of Nuneaton primary school headteachers this morning, we have all decided that this is totally unnecessary and certainly unhelpful for parents who have already had to juggle with childcare throughout this year.

Therefore contrary to what you may see in the press:

Wembrook is open for all pupils on Friday 18th December



Like many of you I will be glad to see the end of 2020. However, although it has been a most challenging year there are still many good memories that I will cherish. The resilience and positivity of the children has been highly impressive. Support from parents and the community has been humbling. And the staff, as always, have shown that when things get difficult, their desire to do the best for the school and the pupils is inspirational. Have a wonderful, peaceful, relaxing and most importantly safe Christmas.

Thank you for all your support.

Sir Simon of Wembrook

See you all on Tuesday 5th January

Maternity Leaves

Both Miss Bell and Mrs DeFreitas will be going on maternity leave in the new year.

Mrs DeFreitas leaves next week and will be replaced by Miss Richards who has been working in school since September.

Miss Bell leaves in late January and will be replaced by Miss Barnes who joins the school at the beginning of 2021.

I am sure you will want to join me in wishing the ladies all the very best.



GOLD AWARD

Christmas Lunch

All children are invited to have a traditional Christmas dinner in the last week of term.

On Wednesday 16th December

Reception

Year 2

Year 4

Year 6

All other years will have a deli bag or will be asked to bring sandwiches in.

On Thursday 17th December it will be the turn of the other years:

Year 1

Year 3

Year 5

And again the other years will have a deli bag or bring sandwiches.

Just for the day Reception will also have deli bags.

The cost of the meal is **£2.25**.

Last day to order will be Friday 11th December



The Wembrook Elf Christmas Hunt

Thank you for your incredible support for the Elf Hunt.

Final money will be announced early next term.

The Hunt finishes Monday 14th December.

Christmas Jumper Day Wednesday 16th December

To celebrate the end of a very long term and get us in the Christmas spirit, we are encouraging all the children to wear a Christmas jumper or 'Christmassy outfit'.



Children are being asked to donate £1 to help raise funds for Myton Hospice.

Children do not have to wear any part of their uniform, if they choose to donate.

Dates for your Diary

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| Wednesday 16th December | Christmas Jumper Day |
| Wednesday 16th December | Christmas Dinner Day Reception, 2,4 and 6 |
| Thursday 17th December | Christmas Dinner Day Years, 1, 3 and 5 |
| Friday 18th December | End of Term |
| Monday 4th January | INSET day School closed for pupils |
| Tuesday 5th January | Children start back to school |
| Friday 12th February | INSET day. School closed for pupils |
| Monday 15th February to Friday February (inclusive) | Half Term |
| Thursday 1st April | End of the Spring Term |