



**For week ending
6th December 2019**

PSHCE: The Life Bus

The whole school has enjoyed visiting the Life Bus this week. Thank you to the parents who came to meet with the Coram Life Bus facilitator too.

Rapid Fire Cricket

Some of the children took part in the rapid fire cricket competition at the HECC Centre on Thursday. They did extremely well and came third out of a total fourteen schools. Mrs Walker said they demonstrated good tactics and teamwork.

Year 3 and 4 Christmas Production

The Christmas Production, 'Bah Humbug' is taking place in school on the afternoon and evening of Thursday 12th December at 1.30pm and 6pm. Tickets will be sent home next week.

Christmas Carol Assemblies

Our Christmas Carol assemblies are being held at school on Tuesday 17th December at 10am and 11am. Each assembly will be approximately 45 minutes long. There will be refreshments in the dining room following the assemblies.

Class Christmas parties

The children will be having their Christmas parties on the afternoon of Thursday 19th December. They can bring their party clothes in a bag to get changed into after lunch and we will be having snacks and games throughout the afternoon. Please contribute £1 towards the food via schoolcomms stating any allergies and/or dietary preferences.

Christmas Dinner

Next Wednesday 11th Dec the children will be having their Christmas lunch. Please remember to send your child in with a packed lunch if they are not having this.

Pantomime

This year's panto for the children will be 'Jack and the Beanstalk' and will take place on Wednesday 18th December during the school day. No action by parents required.

PTA

Thank you for all your donations for the chocolate tombola. Please remember that we have another non-uniform day next Friday when children can wear any clothes in festive colours (complete non-uniform if they wish) in exchange for sweet jars. Please do not donate any sweets or snacks containing nuts for the Fayre, as we have staff and children with nut allergies. We look forward to welcoming you to the Christmas Fayre between 1pm and 3pm on Saturday 14th December. Thank you.

After School Clubs

Please note after school clubs will begin again week commencing Monday 13th January 2019. Letters about the clubs will be sent home in due course.

Kingswood Year 6

We would like to remind parents that the Kingswood account has been set up on schoolcomms and you can make payments of any amount at any time towards the final cost. Thank you.

Flu Immunisation

The nasal flu immunisation has been postponed until 13th December. The immunisation is for all children from year 3-6. Please ensure you let the office know if you have consented but now **do not** wish your child to have this.

Dinner money

Dinner money is now due. Please remember dinner money needs to be paid promptly and at least a week in advance. If your account goes over £20 you will receive a warning letter and your account will be at risk of being reverted to packed lunch only. The cost of school meals is £2.60 per day and payments can be made via SchoolComms. Thank you for your cooperation.

Office Boxes

Please could you use the boxes outside the office for any non-urgent correspondence. Any packed lunches and PE kits can be labelled and put in the cupboard. Thank you.

Medical Appointments

Please arrange medical appointments for your child out of school hours wherever possible. If you do need to take your child out of school for an appointment, please ensure you write a note in your child's planner.

Letters sent home

Christmas parties (whole school)
Christmas Carol Assemblies (whole school)
Christmas Church Service (whole school)
Christmas Unwrapped (year 5)

Weekly Reminders

Dinner Menu

Week commencing Monday 2nd December will be Week 3 on the school dinner menu.

Reminder about school start time

Lessons begin at 8.50am when the registers are taken. Please remember that if your child arrives at school after 8.50am, **they need to come in via the school office with an adult and sign in the late book.** Children arriving after 8.50am but before 9am will be given a late mark and children arriving after 9am will be marked as an unauthorised absence. This is in accordance with the directive from our attendance officer.

Class Assemblies

Please note the class assembly dates in the calendar below. Class assemblies begin at **9.15am**.

Assembly theme: Christmas

<u>Dates for your diary</u> (* New entry)	<u>Dates for your diary</u> (* New entry)
Wed 11 th Dec	Christmas Dinner
Thurs 12 th Dec	Years 3 and 4 Christmas production 1.30pm & 6pm
Fri 13 th Dec	Non-Uniform Day for Christmas Fayre – Sweet jars please! Wear festive colours
Sat 14 th Dec	Christmas Fayre 1-3pm
Mon 16 th Dec	Y5 to Christmas Unwrapped
Tues 17 th Dec	Carol concerts 10am and 11am
Fri 20 th Dec	Visit to St Mary's Church Talent Show End of term
Mon 6 th Jan	Inset day
Tues 7 th Jan	Start of Spring Term