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Dear parents and carers

29 November 2024

The festive season officially kicked off this week with a visit from This is the Coast's Paddy.



Unfortunately, year 2 pupils didn't get to sing 12 Sleeps 'til Christmas for Paddy due to a festive visit to the Methodist Church where they enjoyed a drama workshop with the Faith In Scarborough Schools team (FISS).



Christmas cards – From Monday our school post box will be placed by the hall for pupils to post cards to their friends. Children wishing to send Christmas cards in this way will need to write the recipient's name and class on the envelope before posting to help our year 6 elves get the cards to the right place.



Miss Fail's mum has also been busy creating Christmas decorations for our forest school area as well as recently visiting to lend a helping hand with the gardening around our lovely pond – **Thank you!**

The girls' football team were in action yesterday afternoon at Raincliffe sports centre. Miss Souanidou accompanied the team who played 6-a-side teams from across Scarborough and finished an impressive 2<sup>nd</sup> place with 10 points. As always, the girls represented the school brilliantly.

A Police liaison officer visited our year 5 and 6 pupils today to deliver important messages based on their campaigns to combat county lines and knife crime. This hard-hitting message was delivered through an interactive, age-appropriate workshop and pupils asked lot of thoughtful questions.

Yesterday evening, the governing body met for their final meeting this term. A number of policies were ratified, including the Online Safety Policy which includes a parent acceptable use agreement. It also includes links to a parent online safety course to help you support your child in developing safe online habits. You can view the online safety policy by clicking [here](#).

We also encourage parents and carers to complete the Annual Award in Online Safety for Parents & Carers, which can be accessed free of charge through our National College subscription by clicking on the enrolment link below and completing one of the courses listed below the link:

<https://v2.nationalcollege.com/enrol/seamer-and-irton-community-primary-school>

Annual Award in Online Safety for Parents & Carers of Children Aged 3-7

Annual Award in Online Safety for Parents & Carers of Children Aged 7-11

You can find all our policies which are relevant to parents under key information and policies on our website. If you require printed copies of any information from our website, please ask in the office.

Communication - we no longer feel that X (formally Twitter) is efficiently serving the purpose it was set up for a number of years ago (to provide key messages and instant alerts for parents). It has therefore been decided that X will no longer form part of our communication strategy and all accounts will be deactivated. Our key lines of communication will continue to be via email, newsletter, the ScholarPack app and SMS. We will look to provide an alternative platform for sharing photos in due course.

## Dinner menu – W/C 2 December 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Vg Sausage Roll V Cheese Whirl Baked Baby Potatoes, Baked Beans, Bread	Chicken Korma Vg Sweet & Sour 50/50 Rice Cauli & Green Beans Naan Bread	Sausage & Yorkshire Pudding Vegetable Nuggets & Yorkshire Pudding Gravy, Roast Potatoes Carrots & Broccoli Sliced Wholemeal Bread	Spaghetti Bolognese V Shepherd's Pie Medley of Vegetables Homebaked Garlic Flatbread	Battered Fish (v) Sweet Potato Bake Chips, Sweetcorn Ketchup, Homemade 50/50 bread
Tuna Sandwich	Cheese Sandwich	Ham Sandwich	Egg Mayo Sandwich	Cheese Sandwich
Cheese Jacket Potato	Tuna Jacket Potato	V Jelly & Ice-cream	Cheese Jacket Potato	Baked Bean Jacket Potato
Chocolate Biscuit Bar	Autumn Crumble Sponge & Custard		V Cheese & Biscuit	Banoffee Mousse Pot

### Key Dates

5th December – EYFS open evening for children starting Sept 2025 (3.45pm)

9th December – Y1 Nativity for parents (2.30pm)

11th December – Y3 and Y6 to SJT to watch Aladdin

12th December – Nativity Y1 for parents (9.15am)

12th December – EYFS Nativity for parents (2.15pm)

12th December – Y5 and Y4 to SJT to watch Aladdin

13th December – Y2 Christmas Performance for parents (9.15am)

13th December – EYFS Nativity for parents (2.15pm)

13th December – XMAS DINNER

16th December – Y2 Christmas Performance for parents (2.45pm)

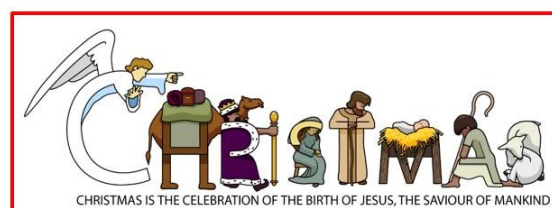
18th December – Animated Objects to perform Hansel & Gretel for EYFS/KS1

20th December – St Martins Carol Service – SCHOOL CLOSES

**Tuesday 7th January 2025 – SCHOOL REOPENS**

Yours sincerely

Robert Webb ~ Headteacher



### St John's Church, East Ayton

Carols by Candlelight Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> at 3pm  
Holy Communion Christmas Eve at 11:30pm  
Christmas Day service at 10am

### St Martin's Church, Seamer

Carols by Candlelight: Sat 21<sup>st</sup> at 4pm  
(Mince pies and mulled wine)  
Christingle & Nativity: Christmas Eve at 4pm  
Holy Communion: Christmas Eve at 11:30pm  
Christmas Day service at 10am

### St John The Baptist, Cayton

Carols by Candlelight: Sun 15<sup>th</sup> at 4pm  
Christingle: Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> at 5:30pm  
Christmas Day Holy Communion at 10am

