



PYE BANK CE PRIMARY SCHOOL | WEEKLY FAMILY NEWSLETTER

AUTUMN 2 | WEEK 6 | FRIDAY 13TH DECEMBER 2024

Celebrating Christmas!

Dear Families,

At Pye Bank we like to celebrate the important events in the different faith calendars such as Christmas and Eid with the children. We are a multi-faith community and we think the way that we share and respect each other's beliefs, cultures and traditions is really special. We have already held our Winter Fair and want to thank all of our families for giving so generously! Next week, we have the Christmas dinner on Wednesday, where the children will share a traditional Christmas dinner, including Christmas crackers! Children can wear Christmas jumpers with their school uniform on Wednesday too. Then on Thursday, we have our multi-faith Christmas Collective Worship where we think about what Christmas means to Christians, but also how everyone can learn from some of the big ideas of Christmas such as peace, love and forgiveness. Parents are invited to this event (see timings below). Finally, the classes will be having parties on Friday afternoon and can wear their party clothes. All children will be gifted presents on Friday too! Enjoy! Mrs Kurcewicz, Headteacher



Dates for Your Diary

Wednesday 18th December: Christmas Dinner Day and Christmas Jumper Day!!

Thursday 19th December: Christmas Collective Worship (9am- Y1-Y3, 10am – Y4-Y6)

Friday 20th December: Christmas party day- children can come in party clothes

Friday 20th December: End of Term

Monday 6th January: Back to school

Monday 20th January: F2 Open Classroom, 2:30pm

Tuesday 21st January: Y1 Open Classroom, 2:30pm

Wednesday 22nd January: Y3 Open Classroom, 2:30pm

Thursday 23rd January: Y5 Open Classroom, 2:30pm



Next Week's Menu – Autumn 2 Week 7

WEEK 1	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Halal Main dish	Margherita pizza with baked potato wedges	Chicken korma with 50/50 rice	Chicken pie served with mashed potato and gravy	Italian pasta bolognese	Fish fingers or salmon fingers with chunky chips
Vegetarian Main dish	Macaroni cheese with garlic bread	Vegetarian biryani with chicken style pieces and 50/50 rice	Quorn™ pie	Tomato & basil pasta	Quorn™ nuggets with chunky chips
Accompaniments	Sweetcorn & broccoli Salad bar	Peas & carrots Salad bar	Cauliflower & broccoli Salad bar	Green beans & cabbage Salad bar	Peas & baked beans Salad bar
Desserts	Fruit sponge & custard	Chocolate brownie	Fruit in jelly	Marble sponge & custard	Ice cream
Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt
Jacket potato and sandwich selection	Jacket potato with beans, cheese or tuna mayo OR cheese or tuna mayo sandwich	Jacket potato with beans, cheese or tuna mayo OR cheese or tuna mayo sandwich	Jacket potato with beans, cheese or tuna mayo OR cheese or tuna mayo sandwich	Jacket potato with beans, cheese or tuna mayo OR cheese or tuna mayo sandwich	Jacket potato with beans, cheese or tuna mayo OR cheese or tuna mayo sandwich

EAT WELL

GROW STRONG

KEY

- 1 OF YOUR 5 A DAY
- MEAT FREE MONDAY
- CHEF'S CHOICE
- PLANT-BASED / VEGAN

A WORLD OF FUN WITH FOOD

"Allergens and Intolerances"
 All of our food is thoughtfully prepared and prepared on the daily. We have an allergen procedure in place, to please ensure you make our catering team aware of your allergen, your child's allergen prior to using the restaurant. Our kitchens are used for multi-purpose production so we cannot guarantee the above dishes are completely free from allergenic ingredients or traces of them.

Football Cards: Please remember that football cards are not allowed in school.

Christmas Jumper Day and Party Day: A reminder that children can wear their Christmas Jumpers on Wednesday for Christmas dinner day and party clothes on Friday for the last day.

A Spotlight on... Y3/4 Cathedral Singing Trip

In this section, we celebrate a particular event, achievement or area of the curriculum each week.

A group of Year 3 and Year 3 children have been having special singing lessons with teachers from Sheffield Cathedral this year. On Tuesday this week, they visited the cathedral and sung some of the songs that they had been learning. They did a fantastic job, with members of the public commenting on their lovely singing! Well done children!



Let's Celebrate!



Gold Award Winners!

F2 Crucible: Laith, Aisha, Azmina and Imran |
F2 Lyceum: Haziqa, Ahmad, Jayna, Ayan, Naomi, Shinaola and Mumtas
Y1 Sheaf: Tiara |
Y1 Rivelin: Salman |
Y2 Robins: Baylasam |
Y2 Doves: Aya |
Y3 Maples: Hafsah |
Y3 Evergreen: Malaak |
Y4 Bluebells: Yaqub |
Y4 Sunflowers: Munira H |
Y5 Ladybower: Nabilah and Beketa |
Y5 Dam Flask: Adalie |
Y6 Golden Eagles: Rueya |
Y6 Owls: Will
The Treehouse: Abdirahman |



Headteacher's Afternoon Tea Winners!

Every week, six lucky raffle ticket winners get to have afternoon tea with Mrs Kurcewicz - This week it is: Iramede and Safwan (F2 Crucible), Angel (Y1 Rivelin), Laveen (Y3 Evergreen) Munira H (Y4 Sunflowers) and Yaqub H (Y4 Bluebells).



Attendance

'Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow'

Week Beginning | 9th December 2024 |

Whole School Attendance: 88.67% |

F2 Top Attenders: Crucible 83.27% |

KS1 Top Attenders: Robins 96.55% |

KS2 Top Attenders: Golden Eagles 96.55% |



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