

# FRIDAY FLYER

29th November 2019

### MPA Moment of the week:

We are delighted that Kiln Farm Nurseries have donated our Christmas tree for the third year running. Our Year Six pupils enjoyed the responsibility of picking our tree out of 11,000.



### What's happening next week:

Dinner Menu Week 3

### Tuesday 3rd

PTA Booksale in playground after school. All books 20p each.

#### Wednesday 4th

Home Learning Due Date for Years 1-6.

#### Thursday 5th

Holly Blues visit from Blue Cross.

Martlesham Community Carol Concert, St. Mary's Church @ 6.00pm. FOSS Year 6 Red Rose Chain Theatre Performance @ Gippeswyk 1.00pm.

Parent/Child Christmas Decoration Afternoon @ 1.45pm. All parents welcome.

### Messages from staff:

#### **Christmas Carol Concert**

Thank you to those families that have told us they will be attending the Community Carol Concert. In order for this to be a success we would hope that more families will attend. The event is taking place at St Mary's Church, Church Lane, Martlesham, Woodbridge, IP12 4PQ.

#### Christmas Cards

Children can post Christmas cards from Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December. The House Captains will make deliveries daily. Please ensure you add the name and the class of the child you are sending the card to on the envelope.

#### **Heating update**

CB Heating are continuing to restore heat to the school. We currently only have two classes using portable heaters and they believe they will be finished before the start of next week. I would like to thank the pupils and parents for bearing with us during this time.

#### Run with Eliud

We have completed 26 daily miles for the 'Run with Eliud' challenge! Over the last 9 weeks, children and adults have walked, jogged or run 26 times for 15 minutes at the end of the lunch break. The school has been entered into a draw to win a T shirt signed by Eliud Kipchoge. All children will receive a certificate.

There are a number of children who do not have warm clothing (jogging bottoms and a jumper) for PE. Please could you ensure that your child has warm PE clothing as many sessions take place outside.

#### **Home Learning**

Wednesday 4th December is the deadline for the home learning task for this half term. Thank you to those children who have already shared these with their class teachers.

As you know our PTA work very hard to provide additional resources for our school. They have just purchased dictionaries for Silver Studded Blues, Adonis Blues and Holly Blues. We are so thankful for all that they do to fundraise and for your support with the events that we run.

#### Tombola

We have sent home paper bags to be more environmentally friendly. If you have items to donate to the tombola we would really appreciate it.

Tickets for Santa's Grotto at the Christmas Fair will be on sale next week for £2.00.

## **UPCOMING DATES**

w/c 9th December Fabulous Finishes: (pupils

**Small Blues** – Publishing a book of Friendship.

Holly Blues - Teaching Adonis Blues about

endangered animals. Adonis Blues – Having an

Silver Studded Blues -Sharing knowledge of

w/c 9th December HOUSE CHALLENGES

Monday 9th December

House Challenge of cakes in playground after school)

10th December

Christmas Lunch for pupils, staff & volunteers.

11th December

MPA Choir visiting Alice Grange Care Home for

12th December

Adonis Blue Clarinet Performance @ 9.30am 3.30pm – 5.30pm

16th December

Small Blues Panto visit to

17th December

18<sup>th</sup> December Small Blue Nativity @

19th December

Last Day of Term Christmas Jumper Day (£1.00 for St. Elizabeth

# **SPORTS FIXTURES**

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