



CHRISTMAS TREE ASSEMBLY

Our Christmas Tree assembly was well attended by family and friends and really kick-started our Christmas celebrations. The tree looks lovely with all the decorations that the children have made, all of which were hung on the tree this morning. Well done to those children (and teachers) who read so beautifully, all those who sang, the Vocals Group, and our instrumentalists who played clarinets and piano. I am very proud of you all!



CHRISTMAS LUNCH

This year our end-of-term party lunch is being prepared by the older pupils (with some adult help) and is being funded by the PTFA. This means that there will be no hot lunches on the final day of term (19th December). If you have already ordered for that day, the money will be credited to your account.

HOT LUNCHES

I went to a meeting this week with Local Food Links who told us about new food standards which are being introduced by the government. It means, for example, that wholemeal pasta or brown rice must be offered once a week; potato cooked in oil can only be offered once a week so there will be mashed potatoes; 3 different fruits and 3 different vegetables must be on the menus each week – this means some lovely fruit desserts have been added.; side salad will be offered with jacket potatoes and there will be a side dish of vegetables with some meals; for vegetarians there will be 3 or more non-dairy meals each week. If your child has allergies, the company are introducing a page on their website showing all the meals on offer and the allergies linked to them. The new menu is included with this letter. Mrs.Pike has done a block booking for all KS1 children for the next menu, but you can go onto the website and change those orders if you wish to. KS2 children need to order at least a week in advance.

PANTOMIME

Just a reminder that our trip to the pantomime is next Wednesday 10th December. We will be back at school between 4.45 and 5.00 p.m. We still need permission slips and the monetary contribution from some children.

CHURCH CAROL SERVICE

Our carol service at Stour Provost Church will be next Thursday 11th December at 6.30 p.m. I am hoping that the Vocal Group will sing and that some children will do some of the readings and poems. Please will you complete the slip below if you know that your child is definitely coming. Many thanks.



I will be bringing my child to the Carol Service at Stour Provost Church on Thursday 11th December.

Signed

