

Diary Dates

SET DATES

Monday - Violin and Orchestra
Young Voices

Tuesday - Multiskills for Year 5 after School

Weds - Commando Joe Club for Years 3 and 4 after school

Thurs - Year 4 Cello

Young Voices

5E Swimming

3E Swimming

Friday - 2Y Swimming

Year 4 Brass

OTHER DATES

25/11—Year 2 Class Assembly (9.00am)

26/11—Year 4 Parent Workshop

01/12—Year 2 Parent Workshop

02/12—Year 5 to the Black Country Museum

10/12—Cello Concert for 4K Parents and children who have lessons (9.30am)

11/12—Brass Concert for 4T Parents and children who have lessons (9.30am)

18/12—Children finish for Christmas Holiday

04/01—Children return to school



NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the latest edition of our
Academy Newsletter.

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Mr Chambers' Academy News

It was great to see everyone return safely after the half term holiday. Believe it or not we now only have five weeks left until we finish for the Christmas Holidays. This is a very busy half term and there is a lot happening in school.

There was a great turn out for parents evening. It is really positive to see that so many parents attend and are actively taking an interest in their child's education. Some schools really struggle to get parents to attend so I am really pleased that we have such a good turn out. It was good to hear some of the positive comments that were made by parents...and as always I have taken on board any suggestions for improvements.

We have lots of performances and events planned to celebrate Christmas this year. I have included a separate timetable on the other page of the newsletter to give plenty of notice. It would be great for as many parents/carers as possible to be able to attend.

Mr Phillips (Our Parent Support Worker) is still trying really hard to recruit parents to form a Parent's Association. This would give you the opportunity to have a real active engagement with your child's school. If you are interested then please let him or myself know.

I hope everyone has a fantastic weekend.

Mr Chambers

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CHRISTMAS DATES

WEDNESDAY 9TH DECEMBER	FOUNDATION STAGE CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES (9.30AM AND 2.30PM)
THURSDAY 10TH DECEMBER	WHOLE SCHOOL CHRISTMAS DINNER
MONDAY 14TH DECEMBER	RECEPTION VISIT TO WYRE FOREST
TUESDAY 15TH DECEMBER	WHOLE SCHOOL CHURCH SERVICE (NOT NURSERY)(9.30AM) HALF OF NURSERY TO ASH END HOUSE FARM
WEDNESDAY 16TH DECEMBER	KS1 CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCE (9.30AM) KS2 CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCE (2.00PM)
THURSDAY 17TH DECEMBER	HALF OF NURSERY TO ASH END HOUSE FARM YEARS 2 - 6 TO SEE CINDERELLA AT THE MIDLANDS ARTS
FRIDAY 18TH DECEMBER	FINAL CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY (KS1 9.00AM, KS2 9.30AM) PARENTS WILL BE CONTACTED IF THEIR CHILD HAS WON AN AWARD

FOOTSTEPS DAY-CARE CENTRE

Footsteps has now become part of the school and is no longer a separate day care centre. It is very exciting that we are able to welcome all the children from footsteps to be part of our school. The day care centre will be inspected as part of the main school. We now have over 570 children on roll at Albert Bradbeer!

UNIFORM

Could I remind you to put the children's names in their uniform. We have an increasing amount of uniform in lost property with no names on. I appreciate how expensive it is to keep replacing jumpers and cardigans so it means if there are names in the uniform we can return it to you. It also helps if a child brings the wrong uniform home.

POLITE REQUEST

Whilst I appreciate it is not on the school grounds I have many parents/carers who have requested that people kindly refrain from smoking around the outside of the school when they are dropping and collecting children, particularly by the entrances. Thank you in advance for your cooperation on this matter.

6A ASSEMBLY

6A performed in a super assembly this week. It was all about the First World War when both sides put down their weapons on Christmas Day and had a game of Football and shared some Christmas Spirit. It was a fantastic assembly. The whole school then observed a minutes silence at 11.00am. The children's behaviour was impeccable throughout both events and I was extremely proud of them.