Headlines

12th December 2025

Dear Parents

It has been full speed towards Christmas this week although partly without me as the bugs and germs from the residential last week have brought me to my knees! However, as always, the school has managed perfectly well and there have been lots of great events this week.

Take a look at the newsletter articles and also check out the attachments sent with Headlines for events and support over the holidays.

Have a great weekend Mrs T L Good

Year 5 and 6 Residential

Last week Years 5 and 6 went on a residential trip to Sayers Croft. We had a lot of fun learning about teamwork and responsibility. It took about an hour to get there but it was worth the wait. We were shown our dorms when we arrived; the Year 5s and 6s were in separate buildings. We did lots of activities and some of our favourite ones were caving, high and low ropes, axe throwing and bouldering. The food there was tasty, and we all loved the banana cake and toffee sauce that we had for pudding. Everyone who went on the trip loved it.

By Kira and Imae

Reminders for Next Week

KS2 have been busy rehearsing for the Carol Concert on Monday. Children should arrive at the church at 6.45pm in school uniform. We aim to finish at 8.00pm.

On Wednesday, we will be going to the panto. Please don't park on Liberty Rise on this day as we have four big coaches arriving at the beginning of the day.

Christmas lunch is on Thursday - children are welcome to wear Christmas jumpers.

Dates for your diary:

Description	Date	Time
KS2 Carol concert	15/12/25	18.00 - 21.00
Panto	17/12/25	all day
Nursery Christmas party	17/12/25	14:00 – 15:00
Nursery songs to parents	18/12/25	09:15
Christmas lunch	18/12/25	12:00 – 13:00
Rocksteady Concert	18/12/25	14:30
Term finishes 1.30pm – Nursery normal time	19/12/25	
Back to school 08.50	05/01/26	

Nativity

Well done to our YR and KS1 children who performed in the Nativity this week. It was wonderful to watch our children performing so confidently. Thank you to all the teachers and adults who put this together and helped the children to rehearse and prepare.

Football

Despite the wet weather earlier in the week, the Y5 football team were able to travel to St Cuthbert's for their first league game of the season on Wednesday. Both teams started well but it was St Cuthbert's who took an early lead with a very good free kick. We battled well and Kareem made several good saves to keep us in the game. We had a few chances but a second half penalty and a further goal for St Cuthbert's resulted in a 0-3 defeat for us. Well done to Kareem, Judd, Nectarios, Noah, Abhiram, Joshua, Sol, Rocco and Connor and thank you to parents for your support at the game and with transport.

Miss Hale

Worries and Complaints

A reminder to parents that if you have worries, concerns or complaints about the school the quickest way to get these addressed is by talking to the office, the class teachers or the senior leadership team.