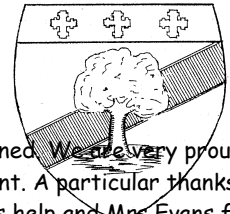


# Newsletter

## HENLEY IN ARDEN COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL



### NIA

Thank you for all your support at the NIA. It was a memorable evening for all concerned. We are very proud of all our children as their behaviour and participation during the evening was excellent. A particular thanks to Mrs Stevens for arranging the event and training the children with Miss Freeman's help and Mrs Evans for all the extra admin it created.

The CD recording went very well - please order copies as soon as possible. Some of you may have seen a report about us on Central TV on Tuesday morning.

### Tickets

Please return any unwanted tickets for our own Christmas performances to the office as there is already a waiting list for them. Thank you.

### Sickness

Many children have caught the latest virus in school which gives them a high temperature very quickly and sometimes sickness, though not always.

We have received a second warning from the local health trust concerning the measles outbreak, which they say is getting worse. Please take your child for immunisation if they have not already received the MMR and the pre-school booster. Children's health is generally at a low ebb at this time of year, so they will be more susceptible than usual to catching everything.

### Assembly

Thank you to Year 3 and 4 for their amazing assembly "Troy Story". It was not only thoroughly enjoyable but also very informative. Well done!

### Christmas Events

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas disco from 5.30 - 7.30 where there will be a 'special' visitor.

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December 1.30 - KS1 dress rehearsal. KS2 and invited guests to watch.

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> 9.30 - KS2 dress rehearsal

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> 1.30 - KS1 performance - tickets only

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> 1.30 - KS1 performance - tickets only

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> 6.15 - KS1 performance - tickets only

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> 6.15 - KS2 performance - tickets only

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> Christmas dinner or Christmas lunchbox

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> KS1 parties

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> KS2 parties

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> Theatre

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> 1.30 Carol singing

### Theatre

To ensure we get to Birmingham in good time for the 10.15 performance, the coaches will be leaving school at 9.00 prompt. Please bring your child into school by 8.45 on that day. They will need a drinks bottle to take and we will give them a small snack at the interval. They will also need to bring a packed lunch which they will eat when they get back to school. There will be no hot dinners available that day. Children receiving free school meals can be given a packed lunch if ordered by Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December.

### Performances

You will be able to take your child home after the afternoon performances along with siblings.

### Carol Singing

Do put this event in your diary as this year we have the Alcester Silver band to lead us in our carol singing. As the event was so full last year, we will be holding this year's carol singing outside! Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December 1.30.

As most children will leave the school at the end of the concert at 2.00, please arrange for your child to be collected early if you are not coming to the concert.

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SCHOOL IS CLOSED FOR THE CHILDREN ON 19<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER AND OPENED AGAIN ON 6<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2009.

*All of us at school would like to wish you a very happy and peaceful Christmas.*

## SCHOOL HOLIDAY DATES

### Spring Term 2009

Designated Teacher Training Day -Monday 5 January 2009

Term Starts - Tuesday 6 January 2009

Half Term - Monday 16 February to Friday 20 February 2009

Term Ends - Friday 3 April 2009

### Summer Term 2009

Term Starts - Monday 20 April 2009

Half Term - Monday 25 May to Friday 29 May 2009

Designated Teacher Training Day - Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2009

Term Ends - Friday 17 July 2009

### Autumn term 2009

Designated Teacher Training Day - Friday 4 September 2009

Designated Teacher Training Day - Monday 7 September 2009

Term Starts – Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2009

Half Term - Monday 26 October to Friday 30 October 2009

Term Ends - Friday 18 December 2009

### Spring Term 2010

Designated Teacher Training Day -Monday 4 January 2010

Term Starts - Tuesday 5 January 2010

Half Term - Monday 15 February to Friday 19 February 2010

Term Ends - Friday 26 March 2010

### Summer Term 2010

Term Starts - Monday 12 April 2010

Half Term - Monday 31 May to Friday 4 June 2010

Term Ends - Friday 23 July 2010

