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Headteacher: Miss T Williams

Dear Parent / Carer,

In a week filled with productions, Christmas lunches and general merriment and fun, Bells Farm has once again been a wonderful place to be this week. Having completed my first term as Headteacher of this special school, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your support. It truly is so heart-warming to work in a community where parents really care for their child's education and want the best for them.

Many of you have also checked in with me, asking how it is going, which is so thoughtful and kind. Looking back on the last term, I can honestly say it is everything I hoped it would be and so much more. I feel so proud to be the head of such an amazing school and never more so than this week whilst watching our performance of Children of the World. Everyone worked so hard to make it the amazing show it was. Thank you for joining us – it was lovely to see two totally packed performances!

Attendance

Here are our attendance figures 15th – 21st December:

Swans – 91%

Puffins – 94%

Toucans – 84%

Bluebirds – 94%

Robins – 88%

Kestrels – 92%

Eagles – 93%

Christmas Fayre

It was wonderful to see so many parents join us for our Christmas Fayre last week.

Many families did the full loop around school and experienced everything! We made an ENORMOUS £724.28! This will go towards improving provision in our EYFS outdoor area.

New Menu

Our menus have been updated and you have received a copy via email. Please now book as far in advance as you can for the next term.

Winners

The winners of the raffle were: Olivia, Maya, Emma, Jim, Ryan, Evin, Issey, Anaya, Amelie.

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George correctly guessed the number of sweets in the jar and Miles won name the penguin. You can see photos of our winners with their prizes on the school website.

On behalf of the charities we have supported this term, I'd like to say a HUGE thank you! Your generosity will be much appreciated at this time of year especially.

I'd also like to say a final farewell to Mrs Horsley. Thank you for your commitment over the years and good luck in your new role!

So whether you celebrate Christmas or not, have a very happy holiday, and I hope you enjoy precious time with your children. We look forward to welcoming the children and yourselves back on Tuesday 9th January 2024. Until then, please take good care of yourselves and enjoy the break.

Kind regards,
Miss Williams
Headteacher

Dates for your Diary

* Please note – changes and additions are highlighted

Date	Event	Details
Monday 8 th January	Teacher Training Day	SCHOOL CLOSED
Tuesday 9 th January	School reopens for all children	
Monday 15 th January	Y4 Book Breakfast	Details to follow
Monday 22 nd January	Y2 Book Breakfast	Details to follow
Monday 29 th January	Y5 Book Breakfast	Details to follow
Friday 26 th January	Young Voices	Letter sent – available on website
Monday 5 th February	Y6 Book Breakfast	Details to follow
Monday 5 th February	Year 1 trip to Synagogue	Letter sent – available on website

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Tuesday 6 th February	Year 2 trip to Mosque	Letter sent – available on website
Wednesday 7 th February	Y3 Book Breakfast	Details to follow
Thursday 8 th February	Year 4 trip to Buddhist Temple	Letter sent – available on website
Friday 9 th February	Year 5 trip to Gurdwara	Letter sent – available on website
Tuesday 20 th February	Year 6 trip to Birmingham Cathedral	Letter sent – available on website
WC 11 th March	Book Fair in school	Details to follow
Tuesday 9 th April	Year 3 trip to Shri Venkateswara Balaji Hindu Temple	Letter sent – available on website

* You can find a copy of this letter on our school website *

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