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Dear Parents

December 2020

### **Covid-19 Contact Arrangements**

It is vitally important should any child test positive for Covid-19 over the holiday period that I am informed. Therefore, my e-mail: [head@foxton.leics.sch.uk](mailto:head@foxton.leics.sch.uk) needs to be used so I can assist with contact tracing. The easiest way I then have to inform close contacts is by our text message system. Fingers crossed I won't have to message you!

### **Achievement Assembly**

This month's Year Group Achievement Cups have been presented for 'Performance'. Congratulations to: Fox Cubs – Ava. Year 1 – TJ. Year 2 – Ida. Year 3 – Yasmin. Year 4 – Felix. Year 5 – Roni. Year 6 – Olivia W. The Year 3 and 4 ukulele band sounded great, thank you to Mr Thurlow for teaching them.

### **Team Point Challenge**

This month's winners are the Tigers Team, congratulations to them.

### **Year 1 & 2's Production**

This year's production of the Jolly Christmas Postman is available online until 6<sup>th</sup> January, if you are having problems with the link please ask Mr Lambden.

### **Fox Cubs Christmas**

There aren't many of them but they sounded and looked great singing their Christmas songs. Mrs Bellamy and Mrs Foster have arranged a way of getting the recording to you.

### **Student Teachers**

During January we have two student teachers starting work with us. Mr Marlow will be working with Year 5 & 6 and Mr Green will be working with Year 1 & 2.

### **Christmas Dinner**

Christmas Dinner was delicious; Jenny cooked over 90 meals on this day. Thank you, Jenny.

### **Uniform**

Over the holidays you may be buying new shoes for your child/children, please buy black shoes for school. Please check if their current pair of black indoor footwear have worn out and replace, as necessary.

### **Used Clothes**

£94 was raised for the clothes through Bags2School and donations. Hopefully, next year the toys will be sold to raise further funds. Thank you to Nicola Hazell for all her efforts in organising and storing everything.

### **Snow**

If there is enough snow to close the school I will send a text message, giving as much notice as possible as well as a message on Twitter, on our website, on BBC Radio Leicester and on Harborough FM.

### **School Mobile**

We have got a school mobile number – 07498 519719 so if you are unable to contact us on our landline please try the mobile number.

Best wishes for Christmas and the New Year. The Spring Term begins for children on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2021.

Yours sincerely

Mr Clark

**From Reverend Paula**

# **Make your own Christingle**



Sadly, we can't invite you to a Christingle service at St. Andrew's Foxton this year so we thought you might like to make your own Christingle to light on Christmas Eve.

- The orange represents the world.
- The red tape symbolizes the love and the blood of Jesus.
- The sweets and dried fruits represent all of God's creation.
- The lit candle represents the light of Jesus in the world, bringing hope to people living in darkness.

Watch the Christingle service on [www.churchofengland.org](http://www.churchofengland.org)

Donate to The Children's Society on [www.childrensociety.org.uk](http://www.childrensociety.org.uk)