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### A FOND FAREWELL

We bid a fond farewell this week to Mrs Finch, who has worked in the school office for 14 years. We thank her for all the kindness and support she have given to children, parents and colleagues and we wish her every happiness for the future.

#### HOUSE SPELLING COMPETITION

Our Spelling Competition on 23 November was a great success! Children who got full marks have been awarded certificates. Congratulations to the winners St Lucy house and Blue Class.

# YEARS 4, 5, 6 CAROL CONCERT REHEARSAL—FRIDAY 9 DECEMBER

Children in Years 4, 5 and 6 will be at St Erconwald's for the carol concert rehearsal on Friday afternoon. Please collect your child at 3pm from the church. Year 5 and their siblings can be collected from the Church Hall, Years 4 and 6 from the church. If you have indicated on your permission slip that your child is returning to school for an after school club they will walk back to Cardinal Newman with a member of staff. Letters to apply for concert tickets are being sent home today. Please return your application slip by Wednesday 7 December. All slips received by then will have tickets allocated by lottery. Thank you.

### **CHRISTMAS CONCERTS NEXT WEEK**

The Years 1 and 2 concerts and the Reception Nativity all start at 2.30pm with doors opening at 2.15pm. When the performance has finished please leave the school through the KS1 playground, where you can also wait for any siblings. Thank you.

### CHRISTMAS LUNCH—WEDNESDAY 14 DECEMBER

Children who have school lunches will have a roast turkey lunch. Children who have a packed lunch may bring an extra treat for their lunch (no nut products, please). Thank you.

#### **EFFORT AWARDS**

Red	Sebastian B	Alina M	Ruby	Daisy H	Erin C
Orange	Dominic L	Alessandro S	Coral	Helka K	Isabella K
Green	Sophie A	Ben B	Opal	Mia S	Olivia C
Yellow	Lucas B	Jemima B	Sapphire	Krzys B	Rebecca S
Violet	Sienna G	Abigail E	Emerald	Katerina X	Olivia A
Blue	Noah H	Oscar R	Amethyst	Ella B	Isabella K
Topaz	Keeva J	Luca G	Garnet	Ellie E	Abi C

### **DIARY DATES WEEK COMMENCING 5 DECEMBER**

Tuesday Yrs 1 and 2 Christmas Concert 2.30pm Yrs 1 and 2 Christmas Concert 2.30pm Wednesday

Thursday Reception Nativity 2.30pm Friday St Stephen House mufti day

Yrs 4, 5, 6 Carol Concert rehearsal at St Erconwald's



#### **KS2 LUNCHES FOR NEXT HALF TERM**

- The letter for KS2 lunches next half term is being sent home today. Please
- remember to tell us if your child is changing to or from school lunches. Thank you.

# **BOXES OF TISSUES**

- The school office and Violet Class would be very grateful for donations of tissues
- for children to use in school. Thank you.

#### CLUB NEWS

- Please check carefully for the last sessions of clubs this term. The following clubs
- have already finished—French, Cricket, All Saints + St Erconwald Singers and Spanish.

# REQUEST FROM KS1

- KS1 would be very grateful for any donations of white tights for children to wear
- during performances. Thank you.

### RAIL SAFETY TALK

- Thank you to British Transport Police based in Guildford who spoke to every class this week about rail safety. They taught children how to stay safe near railways
- including at level crossings and who they can talk to.

# FOOTBALL NEWS

- Well done to our Year 6 team who beat Walton Oak 10-0 on Tuesday; Year 5 lost
- 3-1 to Grovelands. Reports to follow on the website.

# **FOOTBALL KITS**

A reminder to our football teams to please return the school strip after matches so that it is ready for the next match. Thank you.

# ST ERCONWALD SINGERS—SUNDAY 4 DECEMBER

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- St Erconwald Singers are leading Mass on Sunday at 9.15am. If children who
- normally go to St Erconwald's would like to join in please pop along before Mass.
- If children in Year 3 or above would like to say a bidding prayer please contact Emma Simpkin at emma@simpkin.net. Thank you.

# **CHRISTMAS FAIR**

- We look forward to seeing you tomorrow at the Cardinal
- A Newman Christmas Fair. The Fair runs from 12pm to
- 쿷 3pm.
- There will be festive fun for all the family including:
- TSanta's grotto, craft stalls, raffle, cake stalls, rodeo rein-
- **Z** deer, chocolate tombola, mulled wine, mince pies and
- 🛦 🌲 much more!
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