#### Love and Serve

"In everything I did, I showed you that by this kind of hard work we must help the weak, remembering the words the Lord Jesus himself said: 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.' Acts 20:35

## Dinners – Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> Dec

Class 3 & 4 will be at The Orangery for most of the day on Wednesday rehearsing for the Production and so their lunch options on this day will be a packed-lunch sandwich option with veg sticks and Toffee Apple Muffin. These will be delivered to The Orangery so that they can eat there. Class 1 & 2 lunch will be as per the menu.

## **School Production - Wanted**

Our School Production of Peter Pan is coming along very nicely. We just need a couple of costume items & props if anyone is able to help:

- Long wigs (we need 5 in total please) •
- ٠ Wooden Pirate Ship Toy (for set display – not to be played with) Please drop these into the office if you are able to help. Thank you. If you have elderly relatives or younger children that would prefer to attend the dress rehearsal this is absolutely fine. The dress rehearsal is at 1.30pm at The Orangery.

Just a reminder that children should be back at The Orangery at 5.30pm for the evening performance at 6pm please. Please park at the Village Hall and walk up wherever possible thank you.

## **Class 1 Let's Learn Together**

This will be back on next Wednesday for one last session. Parents & carers of Class 1 children are invited to join at 8.45am if you are able.

## **FOCAS News & Events**

Thank you to everyone who attended the Christmas Fair and Wreath Workshop which together raised over £650 for FOCAS. Raffle tickets are still on sale but need returning by Thursday next week ready for the draw on Friday please. We have more tickets in the office if you need any. As it's Christmas, the 100club prizes are double in December with a total of £120 up for grabs! If you're not already in the draw please contact a member of FOCAS so that you don't miss out! You can get more info on any of the above by emailing focassettrington@outlook.com or joining "FOCAS news and events" on Facebook.



# Hand in hand we learn

#### Good Work Awards

Star of the Week Class 1 – Isaac Class 2 - Merry Class 3 – Amelie Class 4 – Noah

**Excellent English** Class 1 – Scarlett.H Class 2 - Billy Class 3 - Rachel Class 4 – Joss

#### Marvellous Maths

Class 1 – Brvn Class 3 – Thomas Class 4 – Digby

**Fantastic Foundation** 

Class 1 – Theo Class 3 - Elijah Class 4 – Sam

Well done to the **Blue** house who scored the most house points over the last fortnight (we carried over last weeks).

# **Christmas Jumper Day** We raised f76 for Save the Children on Christmas Jumper Day. Thank you very much for your support.

# Calendar for the next Week

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> Dec: breakfast & after-school clubs Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> Dec: breakfast & after-school clubs, Cello Lessons Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> Dec: breakfast & after-school clubs, Class 1 'Let's Learn Together', Keyboard lessons, Dress rehearsal 1.30pm, Evening Performance of production 6pm. Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> Dec: breakfast & after-school clubs, Forest Schools.

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> Dec: breakfast & after-school club, Violin lessons

## Dinner menu for next week

Monday: Pasta Bolognaise, Custard Cookie Tuesday: Chilli Beef, Toffee Apple Muffin (sandwiches Class 3 & 4) Wednesday: Roast Pork Dinner, Biscuits & Cheese Thursday: Chicken Burger, Chocolate Sponge & Chocolate Sauce Friday: Fish & Chips, Iced Sponge Alternative options of Jacket Potato and sandwiches are available every day. Please can Class 1 parents let the office or class teacher know if your child would like an alternative option. Please can we remind you that we are a NUT FREE school.

# **Diary Dates**

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Production – dress rehearsal 1.30pm, final performance 6pm at the Orangery Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> December – Parish Carol Service 3pm Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December – Cello & Violin Concert (after school). You are ALL warmly invited to attend a performance by our cello & violin students straight after school on this day. Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Dinner for Children Wednesday 20th December – School Carol Service in Church @ 4pm Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December – Class Christmas Parties Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December – Last day of term

# **Local Events**

This December Malton Library is running 'Bauble Book Bingo' for primary aged children. Next time you visit Malton Library - Can you find a fact about a winter animal? read a book with 'Christmas' in the title? Colour in a picture at the Library? Bauble Book bingo runs between now and the 6<sup>th</sup> January 2024. Norton Hive have their next Busy Bees craft morning tomorrow at 10.30am, please see attached poster for more details.

Fri – 8<sup>th</sup> Dec