

**Weekly Newsletter**

8th December 2019

**This week**

We have been continuing reading the Nativity Story and Santa’s Big Night.  We have had lots of practice singing our Nativity songs

* Away in a manger
* Silent Night
* Little Donkey

**Thank You**

A big thank you to Nannie June who bought in our Christmas tree, the children had great fun decorating it.  I think you will agree it looks very festive!

**Next week**

**Nativity**

We will be continuing with our Christmas Nativity and more singing! Singing the songs with your children at home would be lovely too.

**Rainbow rule**

We look after everything and everyone

**Rotas for next week please**

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| **Week beginning** | **Fruit** | **Beginning (Mon/Tue)** | **Middle (Wed/Thu)** | **Washing Bag** |
|   | 9th Dec | 8 Bananas each8 Apples each8 Pears each8 Satsumas each | -Hattie-Jack-Freddie-Jameson | -Iris-Joey-David-Jessica S | Alex (Thu) |
|   | 16th Dec | 8 Bananas each8 Apples each8 Pears each8 Satsumas each | -Jessie L-Emily Ch-Clara-Sen | ---- | Aryan (Thu) |
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**Dates for your Diary**

**The Methodist Church Luncheon Club**

This coming Thursday 12th December, is the Church’s monthly Luncheon Club, please can you avoid using the car park from 11am as access to the church needs to be kept clear.  An email reminder will be sent out nearer the time.

**School Christmas Church Service**

The moonbeam children have been invited to join the Church Christmas service at 9.30am on Tuesday 17th December, details to follow. Little Owls will be open as usual for our Shooting Stars and Little Comets.

**Little Owls Christmas Nativity**

9.30am Wednesday 18th December

**End of Term Party**

Our end of term party will be after our Christmas Nativity where we will have a bring and share picnic.

**Term Dates**

Term closes on the 18th December 2019 at 13.00pm

Spring Term opens Monday 6th January 2020

**Funding Raising**

**Christmas Cards**

Please purchase a pack as all proceeds go to Little Owls and we won’t have to bring them out again next year!

**Important information**

**Staff**

A big welcome to Katie who is joining us on Thursdays until Christmas

**Thursdays**

Being a pack away setting we must completely clear the preschool every Thursday at the end of session.  Please can you make sure that you take all of your child’s belongings home at the end of session as this makes it much easier for staff to pack away and less chance for personal items to go missing. Thank you.

**Lost Property**

We have a high volume of unclaimed clothing, all unnamed.  Please look in our lost property box as any items not claimed by the end of term will be donated to a charity as unfortunately we do not have the storage space.

**Fruit Rota**

After Christmas we will no longer be asking parents and carers of Little Owls to bring in fruit each week as we are finding that some weeks, we have no fruit.  We also feel that asking parents and carers to remember to bring fruit adds additional strain on already busy families. More details will be sent out shortly.

We hope you have had a lovely weekend and we look forward to seeing you all this coming week!

Best wishes from

Abby, Kayleigh, Sobia, Hayley, Caroline, Sophie, Katie and Julie

The Little Owls Team

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