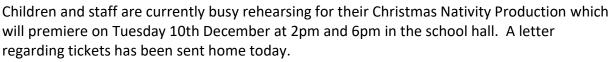
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Christmas Performance





Please can all children bring in a <u>plain white round neck t-shirt</u> to go under their Nativity outfits for a dress rehearsal on **TUESDAY.**

New SENDCO

We are pleased to inform you that Mr Ben Maunder has been appointed as SENDCO. He is an experienced SENDCO and we are very much looking forward to working alongside him to continue to support the children at our school. He will start with us in January.

KS2 Swimming Gala

On Wednesday we sent a Team of KS2 children to Heysham pool for the Inter school swimming gala. The children all swam brilliantly and were a real credit to the school but unfortunately, we just weren't fast enough for a top 3 placing. Well done to everyone who took part. We would also like to extend a huge thank you to Freyah from Leck who kindly swam for the Hornby girls team.

Recorders

Mrs Evans will be sending KS2 children home with recorders to practice their Christmas songs. Please can these be brought into school every Thursday for their music lesson.

Digital Photography Competition

Calling all budding photographers! In December we want to see your best festive photos. Whether it's twinkling lights, Christmas vibes, or snowy scenes, let your creativity shine! But please don't include any people in the photo. To enter, please send your photos to bursar@hornby.lancs.sch.uk by Monday 16th December for us to choose a KS1 and KS2 winner.

Term dates

The term dates for the 2025-2026 academic year have been confirmed by the Governing Body. Please see attached list of dates.

School Photos

For those that have ordered, the individual school photos have arrived, I have sent them home with your child today. Please check bags and retrieve!

Reindeer Rush 📆

St John's Hospice is coming to school on Monday to invite us to take part in 2024 Reindeer Rush – it's a fantastic way to get into the festive spirit whilst raising funds for our local Hospice who do a fantastic job. The Reindeer Rush will be a sponsored walk / run on the running track and every child will be given a pair

of reindeer antlers to wear for participating! Sponsor forms will come out next week. All children will take part in the Reindeer Rush on 16th December.

Computer ASC – last one

This Tuesday (3rd) will be our last Computer after school club session. A big thank you to Mr King for giving his time and expertise for these sessions.

Outside Achievements

Well done to Mark for achieving his Octopus 1 and 2 swimming certificates along with his 20m award.

	The following children have been celebrated for their achievements this week in assembly.	Reception & KS1	KS2	Lunchtime award
CONSPATULATIONS		Anastazja For fantastic 'partner talk' in maths explaining her ideas using the stem sentences	Ronnie Excellent attitude towards his classwork	Adam For setting a good example to others in the hall.



Our value this term is **Gentleness**

Teddy – superb group work, working together nicely and speaking encouragingly to his group.

Whats on this week			
Monday 2 nd December	Reindeer Rush Assembly		
Tuesday 3 rd December	Dress Rehearsal – bring white t-shirt		
	Juniors – Wear school uniform – No PE		
	Computer ASC		
Wednesday 4 th December	Infants wear PE kit		
	KS2 Christmas Dodgeball – Juniors wear PE kit		
Thursday 5 th December	Juniors wear PE kit		
	Juniors – bring recorders		
	Swimming for Years 3,4 &5		
Friday 6 th December	Infants wear PE kit		
	Infants bring small Christmas item		
Advance warning			
Tuesday 10 th December	Christmas Performance 2pm & 6pm		
Wednesday 11 th December	Whole school trip - Mother Goose Pantomine at The Grand, Lancaster		
Monday 16 th December	Reindeer Rush		
Thursday 19 th December	Christmas party lunch		
	Christmas craft afternoon		
Friday 20 th December	Breaktime buttys – bacon or egg		
	End of term – school closes at 3.30pm		
Monday 6 th January	School reopens		





