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Local Memories, Broadening Horizons



What a week here at BMPS! We finished last week with an epic trip to Wembley Stadium - the home of English football to see the mighty Lionesses beat The Netherlands 3-2. This was part of our PE project 'Be Inspired' and hopefully was the first of many trips to expose our pupils to the magic of live sport.

Seal Class have had a very busy week too - they attended the Fakenham Christmas Tree Festival on Wednesday and had a wonderful time looking at the beautifully decorated



trees and eating cake. On Thursday evening the class and their families were treated to a library lock in, in the school library, which was kitted out with twinkly lights and comfy seating. Mr Bates brought in some of his books and illustrations too. What a fabulous evening - thank you Miss Stanford and Mr Bates.

Today, we welcomed Helen Batteley from Movement and Music into school today for a Bollywood extravaganza. Helen worked with all the classes individually before bringing the whole school together for a performance for parents, amazing!

Christmas Performance – 12th & 13th December

We cannot wait to welcome you into school next week for our Christmas production, A Twinkly Nativity!! The children have been hard at work practicing their lines and songs, it is sounding wonderful. We still have tickets left for both performances so please get in touch with the office if you require more. If you are watching your children Tuesday afternoon, you are welcome to take them home after the performance. Please can you just let the office know so we can take the children off the bus list.

Whole School Panto visit to The Maltings – 15th December

We are delighted to announce that we will be taking the entire school to The Maltings in Wells, for their festive production, Little Red Riding Hood. We will be travelling by coach, funded by FOBS and will return to school in time for lunch. Alongside parental consent, we are asking for a £5 donation per pupil, paid for via SCOPAY, to cover the cost of the ticket. It promises to be a wonderful morning and a lovely way to finish what has been an extremely busy and fun half term.

BMPS Carol Concert – 15th December

As we head into the chilly month of December, we can think of all things festive, with joy and excitement. One of which is the Christmas musical event at All Saints Burnham Sutton Church, two weeks tomorrow. All the children in school have been rehearsing the songs and the choir have been rehearsing in earnest. Everyone is welcome and the

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more that attend, better the sound will be. Come along, have a mince pie, a tot of refreshment and some seasonal cheer. As it is a post-school event, parents are free to bring their children as they wish. Hopefully see you there.

Christmas Dinner

If your child would like Christmas Dinner on Wednesday 20th December, please make sure you have ordered it on SCOPAY by Monday 11th December, the menu is at the bottom of the page - Many thanks.

FOBS

Christmas Raffle and Stalls at the Christmas Productions - Thank you to everyone who has purchased tickets for the raffle already. There are more tickets available from the office and there will also be tickets for sale at the Christmas productions. We will have a refreshment stall at both performances, with the draw for the Christmas Raffle taking place after the second one, on the evening of Wednesday 13th December. Good luck!

Dates

Tuesday 12th December – 1.30pm Christmas Production

Wednesday 13th December – 6pm Christmas Production

Friday 15th December – Panto at the Maltings

Friday 15th December – Carol concert at All Saints Church Burnham Sutton 4pm

Monday 18th December – Cluster Quicksticks Hockey Yrs 4-6

Wednesday 20th December – 9.30am Christingle @ St Mary's Church, Christmas lunch & parties

Wednesday 20th December – Last day of term

Thursday 4th January 2024– Spring Term starts

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Friday 16th February – Last day of term

Monday 26th February – Term starts

Wednesday 27th March – Last day of term

Monday 15th April – Summer Term starts

Friday 24th May – Last day of term

Monday 3rd June – Term starts

Wednesday 19th June – Sports Day 9.00am – 13.00pm

Monday 24th - Friday 28th June – Holkham Woodland Week

Wednesday 3rd July – Friday 5th July – Whole School Transition
(internal and APHS)

Friday 19th July – Finish for the Summer Holidays



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