



Miserden CE Primary School

Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to Issue 4 of our Newsletter, the last one before Christmas! I would just like to take the time before you read on to wish you all a happy and safe Christmas holiday!

Out Door Learning, every Friday: The weather is getting colder so the children do need to bring warm clothes for Outdoor Learning. We tend to carry on whatever the weather so waterproofs are needed. Wearing waterproof trousers and coats for Outdoor Learning sessions enables the children to become far more involved in the activities;

They feel free to get wet and muddy.

They are protected from brambles and stingy nettles

They stay warm and dry whatever the weather

Having a separate coat and trousers is more versatile than an all-in-one as they allow the children to wear just trousers or just coat depending on the weather and activity. Smaller children often struggle to put on an all-in-one.

Christmas is coming and if Father Christmas does give some new waterproofs don't forget to name them!

Mrs Lucie Mitchell
Acting Headteacher



Don't forget check list!

Please don't forget to hand in the following letter slips:

- Panto forms reading attendance, deadline 4th December
- Caterlink Panto pack lunch requests by Thursday 30th November
- School Christmas Lunch requests by Wednesday 6th December (please include your child's requested puddings)
- Consent forms regarding photograph usage
- Swimming forms

PARTY TIME—13th December!

This years party, very kindly organised by the MSFA - Santa is visiting and there will be a disco ...

Venue: Village Hall
Dress Code: Party clothes
Time: During the school day, after the children have had their Christmas Lunch



Sports:

- ★ Thank you all for attending and any one that helped with lift shares at this year's Stroud Small Schools Football Tournament.
- ★ Congratulations to Miserden who were this year's winners, they topped their group and went on to beat Brimscombe in a close penalty shootout in the final.



Thank You's:

We managed to collect over 20 beautifully decorated shoe boxes ... I'm sure they will make someone very happy.
Pudsey Day ... We raised an amazing £87.92p!
Our **Poppy Appeal** raised £29.70 ...with every contribution The Royal British Legion would not be able to continue the vital welfare and benevolent work

A gentle reminder about pack lunches:



... No nuts please. and no sweets

Christingle Service :

In the morning the children will make a Christingle to light in the service in the afternoon. We would like to invite all parents to this service, 1.30pm at Miserden Church. After the service, as it is the last day term children can early finish if you would like. Children can be collected from their classrooms after the service. If you are working or unable to attend the service then normal pickup at 3.15pm is still ok.



Diary Dates – Autumn Term:

Friday 1st December

- Monday 4th December
- Friday 8th December
- Wednesday 13th December

Last Golden Book

- Last Creation Station
- Panto Visit Roses Theatre Tewkesbury
- Christmas Lunch followed by our Christmas Party

Friday 15th December

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Christingle Service in Church, 1.30pm

End of term, children allowed home after service

Sunday 17th December

Miserden Church Carol Service, 4pm

Tuesday 2nd January

Wednesday 3rd January

INSET day—no pupils

Back to school

Wednesday 10th January

Swimming STARTS!