

Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you to all our parents for coming to parent afternoon—it was so good to share with you all the work children have been doing this term. I know that we as a school were very pleased with the feedback you have given us. Staff work incredibly hard to ensure that your children get the very best teaching at Benson so it is great to know that it is recognised by parents too.

We look forward to welcoming you all to our Christmas fayre on the 13th December. Can I please insist that children do not come without a responsible adult—teachers will be unable to supervise as they will be running stalls.

Mrs Dennis

Road Safety Week.

Thank you to all the children and the parents for supporting Road Safety Week last week. A variety of activities took place including: local walks, zebra crossing role play, assemblies and lessons on Road Safety. Please ask your children what they have learnt and practice road safety with them when walking to and from school. We will continue to work throughout the year to promote Road Safety in our community



Christmas Jumper Day 7th December 2018

Children are allowed to wear a Christmas Jumper on the 7th December.

We ask parents to donate chocolate to go towards the Christmas Fayre, either bars of chocolates, chocolate boxes or Christmas selection boxes. Any donation will be welcome.



After School Clubs



All Girls Football has now ended for this term and will return on 17th January 2019

Clubs Finish for this term on 7th December and new Clubs will start in January 2019. Details to follow.

Children in Need



Thank you to everyone for their donations we have successfully raised

£327.34.



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Don't Forget.....

We have loads of things going on in school in December,
 Choirs Christmas Plays Christmas Fayre
 Christmas Lunch Christmas Raffle
 Music Concerts.



Please ask at the Office for more information.

Christmas Lunch.

Details of the lunch menu have been sent out. Please complete the slip and return to school.

Inset Days.

School will be closed to pupils on these dates:

Monday 7th Jan 2019
Friday 1st Feb 2019
Monday 22nd July 2019

Child Absence.

When reporting an absence, you can phone the school office or leave a voicemail on the child absence line before 9am.

Dates for your Diary:

Friday 7th December 2018	Christmas Jumper Day—Donations of Chocolate
Tuesday 11th December	Tea & toast—parent group—all welcome 9am
Wednesday 12th December 2018	Christmas Lunch £2.30.
Thursday 13th December 2018	Christmas Fayre—Doors open at 3.30pm - 5pm
Friday 14th December 2018	Christmas Choir and Music 9.15-10.00am
Monday 17th December 2018`	Nursery Christmas concert 11.15-11.45am
Thursday 20th December 2018	Year 1 Nativity play 9.30am—10.30am and 2—3pm
Friday 21st December 2018	School breaks up for the Christmas Break
Monday 7th January 2019	School Inset Day—Closed to Pupils
Tuesday 8th January 2019	School open as normal—8.40am.
Friday 7th February 2019	School Inset Day—Closed to Pupils
Monday 22nd July 2019	School Inset Day—Closed to Pupils

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