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22 November 2013

Dear parents, carers, staff, governors and friends.

This week at Brindishe Green

On Monday, ten of our oldest children went with Ms Hopkins to the anti-bullying conference to represent the school. They were fantastic ambassadors for the school and enjoyed the day working with other representatives on anti-bullying ideas. Many thanks to Lynn Peters, one of our Governors, for accompanying the children.

Amanda Reagan emergency relief work

We have heard that Amanda has safely arrived in the Philippines and look forward to her return early next week.

Attendance and punctuality update

This week Mangrove class had the best attendance closely followed by Magnolia class. Chestnut 2 wins the award for top attendance in reception and will have Ready Freddy (Ready Teddy's cousin).

Well done Olive class who has more children who come to school on time than any other class. They will have a special session with Talmud, our Capoeira and dance teacher! Congratulations!

Dates for your diary

26 and 27 November - Challenge Partners
Review of teaching and learning at BG
30 November - Christmas Fair
4 December - Choir performing at Turning of
the Year at Blackheath Halls
10 December - Reception Nativity performance
in Main Hall at 2.15 p.m.

11 December - Christmas dinner
12 December - Y1 and 2 Christmas
performance in the Main Hall at 2.15 p.m.
16 December - Y3 and 4 Christmas
Performance in the Main Hall at 2.15 p.m.
17 December - Y5 and 6 Carol Service at St.
Swithun's Church at 6.30 p.m.
19 December - End of term
7 January - Return to school at 8.55 a.m.

Christmas Dinner Wednesday 11th Dec 2013

If your child normally has a school dinner there is no need to book one. However, if your child is normally a packed lunch and you would like them to partake of this treat, then you will need to book and pay £1.80 at the school office by Wed, 27th Nov 2013. There will be no facility to book after that or on the day as the order will have been placed by then - so remember to let us know as soon as possible please.

...and finally

Do you have any old clocks or watches to donate?

Nursery is making a collection. If you have any old clocks or watches please see Debbie Hughes or any of the nursery team. Thank you

Please see our term dates attached as our Inset Day for May has changed to 22 May 2014 as the school will be used as a polling station. The dates for 2014/15 are on our website.

Christmas Fair - Saturday 30th November Remember to put this important date in your diary. We hope you will be able to come and look forward to seeing you on the day. The Fair is from 11.00am - 3.00pm.

Best wishes.

Sarah Gorbutt Headteacher

Executive Headteacher Vicki Paterson DBE