

Friday 28th November 2025

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Dear Parents,

Breakfast Club Rota: Monday 1st December 2025

Monday	8.15am - 8.50am	Mrs Watson
Tuesday	8.15 am - 8.50am	Miss Chapelhow
Wednesday	8.15am - 8.50am	Mrs. Fawcett
Thursday	8.15am - 8.50am	Mrs. Matthews
Friday	8.15am - 8.50am	Mrs. Willis

Christmas Pageant countdown

There are only 3 weeks to the 2025 Christmas Pageant. Any donations for tombola prizes, mulled wine or hampers would be very much appreciated. If you require any extra raffle tickets, or could help on the night, please let us know.

Walk through Nativity: Wednesday 3rd December

On Wednesday 3rd December, we are taking the children to The Church in the Barn, Penrith, to take part in a 'Nativity Walk-Through' experience.

The children will come face to face with characters from the Nativity as well as real animals and authentic smells and tastes in the 'back streets' of Jerusalem.

We will be leaving school after lunch and travelling by coach returning to school for the end of the normal school day.

The children will need to wear their full school uniform and have plenty of water.

Festive Friday / Santa Dash: Friday 5th December

To help with preparations for this year's Christmas pageant, we would like to invite the children to come to school on Friday 5^{th} December in warm festive Christmas clothes. If your child would like to do this, we would like to ask for a donation of a box of























mince pies and an empty wrapped box- which can be used for a Christmas hamper (one per family).

In the afternoon the children are taking part in a 'Santa Dash' so they will need outdoor trainers to change into.

Spring Term Menus

At the School Council meeting it was agreed we need to help with our climate action plan by incorporating one meat free main meal each week, include more vegetables and salad.

Mr Brown has compiled a new set of menus for when we return to school in January. Please highlight your child's choice (on the attached document) and return it to school no later than Friday 5th December.

Key Stage Two brass lessons: week beginning Monday 1st December

A reminder there will be no brass lesson on Tuesday 2^{nd} December the lesson will be on Friday 5^{th} December.

Young Climate Warriors

Young Climate Warriors are challenged this week to counter the 'Black Friday' trend, by thinking imaginatively - as well as 'buying nothing'. How about an 'Amazon animals theme for homemade presents?



The battle for the Amazon is being fought on many fronts. Political leadership changes may help, as will the growing acreage covered by ARPA - Amazon Region Protected Areas - 128 million acres to date. Check out the Rainforest Connection project for an amazing insight into fighting deforestation with jungle sounds.

If you would like your child to join in with the Young Climate Warrior Award, please follow this link: https://www.youngclimatewarriors.org/youngclimatewarriorssubscribe Thank you,

Jeanette Matthews



















