

Christmas at High Ham 2021

Information for Families

Please see below some of the things we have planned for the children. As there is lots going on, please check the website calendar for an overview of the dates.

PTA: The PTA event [flyer is attached](#) and the PTA are also sharing on their What's App groups.

Christmas Jumper Days: Children can wear a Christmas jumper instead of their normal school uniform or PE kit top (if they wish). They are on 1st, 3rd, 10th December and all the last week of term. Please remember to check PE days on the class homework sheets as sometimes they will change, particularly when we have Christmas events.

Friday 3rd December PTA Film Night

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£5 to include snacks. No need to bring any extra money. Book with the PTA. School uniform with Christmas jumper day. By booking, we are taking it as consent to watch the film as some maybe PG. Please pick up at 5.30pm using our normal 3.30pm pick up routine, children will be in their usual classrooms at 5.30pm but not necessarily when watching the film.		
Year	Teacher	Film
R	Miss McElwaine	Mickeys Once Upon a Christmas
1	Mrs Evans	The Grinch
2	Mrs Drew	Arthur Christmas
3	Mr Briggs	Home Alone
4	Mrs Palmer	Elf
5	Miss Peach	Adams Family
6	Mrs Edwards	Nativity 3

PTA Craft Week at School

Monday 6th until Friday 10th December, please book with the PTA (details on how to book on the attached PTA flyer).

Friday 10th December PTA Festive Fun Day

Please book with the PTA.

Last week of term

Celebrations 2021

This year we are delighted to ask you to join us in our Christmas celebrations which will take place in the church over several days.

Christmas Celebrations in our church

We have organised several Christmas celebrations across the school. Families are invited. Afterwards you can either pick up from school straight after the event or pick up as usual. Please do not bring school aged siblings – as they will get to see each class perform when we do our rehearsals.

Timing: Years R-4 will last around 20 min and Y5/6 for 45mins. We have allowed extra time for refreshments. You will see some year groups are paired but only one year group of families are watching.

The PTA are kindly supporting these events and will be serving refreshments and will have a raffle. Mask wearing will be a personal choice unless guidelines change and you might want to wear warm coat as the church can be cold in December.

Date	Year group and time	Audience NB: As there is plenty of space we do not need to limit numbers.	Clothing required Please can you provide the following in a named bag and send into school on or before Wednesday 8 th December
Monday 13 th December	1.30pm – 2.15pm Y1/2	All year 1 families to watch	Teachers will add a note in pupil diaries regarding costumes required.
	2.15pm – 3pm Reception	All Reception families to watch	The Reception pupils will be dressing as characters from the nativity, Miss McElwaine already has some costumes and will add a note in pupil diaries should they need your help to provide additional items.
	3pm – 3.45pm Year 4	All Year 4 families to watch	Teachers will add a note in pupil diaries regarding costumes required.
Tuesday 14 th December	1.15pm – 2.15pm Y5/6	All year 6 families to watch	The Y5/6 pupils will be dressing as characters for a play. Teachers will add a note in pupil diaries regarding costumes required.
	2.15pm – 3pm Year 1/2	All year 2 families to watch	Teachers will add a note in pupil diaries regarding costumes required.
	3pm – 3.45pm Year 3	All year 3 families to watch	Teachers will add a note in pupil diaries regarding costumes required.
Wednesday 15 th December	2pm – 3pm Y5/6	All year 5 families to watch	The Y5/6 pupils will be dressing as characters for a play. Teachers will add a note in pupil diaries regarding costumes required.

Wednesday 15th a PTA treat for the children followed by Christmas lunch (Free for all KS1, who have meals already and any FSM children. KS2 pupils can book and pay via the usual method should they wish). Menu will be a roast turkey dinner (with a vegetarian alternative) and a special festive treat for a pudding.

Thursday 16th The children are making Christingles at school and will bring them home.

Friday 17th Christmas party day followed by Carol singing with carols in the playground led by Rev Jess Pitman. Please come and join us in the playground (and/or you can pick up normal time or take your child home after). 2.45pm KS1 and 3pm KS2. If you have children in both Key Stages, you can collect your KS1 child after the KS2 children have finished. Remember warm coats and possibly umbrellas!