

Friday 29th November 2019

ATTENDANCE

Well done to the children in Year 3 who achieved 100% attendance this week. They received an attendance sticker and will look after the Attendance Cup for the week.

<u>YEAR</u>	ATTENDANCE %			
RECEPTION	93%			
YEAR 1	89%			
YEAR 2	97%			
YEAR 3	100%			
YEAR 4	98%			

HUMSHAUGH STAY AND PLAY



We are delighted to announce a ** **New group** for pre-school aged children starting on <u>WEDNESDAY 8th JANUARY</u> <u>2020</u> here at Humshaugh First School **

Humshaugh Play & Stay will meet every Wednesday during term time between 9.30am - 11.00am in the school hall.

We look forward to welcoming all-from newborn to school starters and their adults to come along and enjoy toys, play and most importantly... coffee & biscuits!

The session is completely free. All we ask is that you bring a healthy snack for your child.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

We will be having our Christmas lunch on Thursday 12th December. If your child usually has a school dinner, they will automatically have a Christmas lunch.

If your child is usually packed lunch but would like a Christmas lunch, <u>please let me know by email by Monday at</u> <u>the latest.</u> We need to inform our Catering Manager of the numbers.

The charge will appear on Parent pay at some point after Thursday 12th December.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS UPDATE

LAST MESSY CHURCH-TUESDAY 3rd DECEMBER

LAST SPORTS CLUB-MONDAY 9th DECEMBER

LAST ZUMBA-THURSDAY 12th DECEMBER-PARENTS WELCOME TO COME AND WATCH FROM 4PM

<u>ALL CLUBS WILL RESUME ON WEEK 2</u> OF THE NEW ACADEMIC YEAR-WEEK COMMENCING <u>MONDAY 13TH JANUARY 2020</u>

EYFS UNIT CHRISTMAS NATIVITY

This year, the children in Nursery and Reception will be performing in their own 'Wriggly Nativity'.

Parents are invited to watch the EYFS Nativity on Wednesday 11th December at 2.30pm.

In addition, the Reception children will join the older children and perform in the 9.15am performance of 'It's Chriiiiiistmas!!!', also showing on Wednesday 11th December.

CHRISTMAS TEA TOWELS

If you would like to purchase a tea towel, please complete the form that was sent home and return it with the money (cash or cheque made payable to Humshaugh First School) in a clearly labelled envelope to the school office. Availability is on a first come first served basis with parents having the option of buying a maximum of two tea towels at £5.00 each.

SWIMMING

Swimming fees are due now. The cost for swimming for this half term is £21.00. Please access your Parentpay account to pay if you haven't already.

MESSAGE FROOM THE FRIENDS

Tuck Shop on at 3:05pm at the hatch.

Tickets for the Christmas Disco are now available. £2:50 per ticket which includes food, drink, screaming and flashing lights.

Christmas Raffle Star Prize Alert! The lovely people at Wild Northumbrian have donated a spectacular stay at their site in Tarset in one of the five-star yurts! **The raffle will be drawn on the day of the Christmas performances.**

Dates for your diary

Tuesday 3rd December: LAST MESSY CHURCH BEFORE CHRISTMAS

Wednesday 4th December: Friends from the Village

Monday 9th December: LAST SPORTS CLUB BEFORE CHRISTMAS

Wednesday 11th December: Christmas show 'It's Chriiiiistmas!' 9.15am and 5.30pm (Y1-4) *Reception

performing in the morning show ONLY*

EYFS 'Wriggly Nativity' at 2.30pm (Nursery and Reception only)

Thursday 12th December: Christmas Lunch

LAST ZUMBA BEFORE CHRISTMAS (Parents welcome to watch from 4pm)

Friday 13th December: Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day (Please wear a festive top and bring

a £1 donation)

Friends Christmas Disco 5.30-6.30pm

Monday 16th December: 1.00pm 'The Three Bears'-Queens Hall (N/R) Letters in bookbags today

Tuesday 17th December: 10.00am 'A Viking Christmas'-Queens Hall (Y1-4) Letters in bookbags today

Thursday 19th December: Christmas Party p.m.

Friday 20th December: Christmas Service-St. Peter's Church at 9.30am (All welcome)

Break for Christmas

Monday 6th January: Teacher Day

Tuesday 7th January: Spring 1st term starts

Week commencing 13th January: ALL clubs resume

Tuesday 11th February: Safer Internet Day