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Weekly Newsletter



Christmas Performances - withdrawal of consent for filming

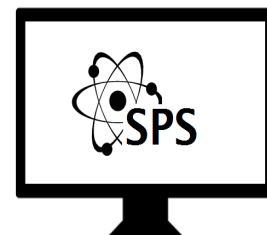
As detailed in last week's newsletter, we are unable to invite families into school for Christmas performances and workshops and are considering options for how to share performances with families. One option is to film the performances and share them securely with families online. Please note no performances will be shared with the general public.

If your child CANNOT be included in a filmed event please let us know on the School Gateway.

You will need to look under **PAYMENTS** then select the consent section entitled "**NO TO FILMING - Christmas Performances - withdrawal of consent for filming**". Please inform us in the payer comment section as soon as possible. We need responses by **Monday 29th November** so that we can make appropriate arrangements.

If you are happy for your child to be filmed, you do not need to do anything.

We will provide more information as soon as we can. Thank you for your continued support.



Year 6 Swimming Lessons

We have been advised that the changing rooms at Concordia Swimming Pool will be refurbished over the holiday period and the pool will be closed for a short time. As a result, Year 6 children will attend their last swimming lesson on **Wednesday 1st December**. Our Office Team will calculate and issue any refunds to families after this last session.

Cramlington Uniform and Foodbank – A reminder

The Hope Centre is a registered charity, based in Cramlington, that works to support families who need help with food parcels, school uniforms and baby equipment.

Over the Christmas period, the Hope Centre are providing a Christmas Room where referred families may choose gifts from a selection of new toys and games. If your family would benefit from this service please contact school, in complete confidence, so we can make a referral to the Hope Centre Team.

Children in Need

We had a lovely non-uniform day in support of Children in Need last week. Thank you for your generous donations. Overall, **we raised £183.**



Feeding Families Charity

Thank you to everyone who donated items to the Feeding Families Charity, providing help to families in need in our local area.





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School Photographs

Families have until Wednesday 1st December to take advantage of free delivery of school photographs back to school. Please order through the Tempest website at www.tempest-orders.co.uk If anyone has any problems please contact Tempest on 017736 751555 (option 3)

Breakfast and Out of School Club

Bookings for December Breakfast Club and OOSC may be made on the School Gateway until Tuesday 30th November. After this date bookings will need to be made with our Office team and a £2 late booking fee will be charged.

Menus

The menu for next week is shown below.

W/c Monday, 29 November 2021				
Monday 29	Tuesday 30	Wednesday 01	Thursday 02	Friday 03
Breaded Cod Fillet	Pasta Bolognese	Roast Chicken & Yorkshire Pudding	Chicken Korma with Naan Bread	Pizza Margherita
French Bread Pizza	Jacket Potato Choice	Jacket Potato Choice	Jacket Potato Choice	Jacket Potato Choice
Jacket Potato Choice	Sandwich Choice	Sandwich Choice	Sandwich Choice	Sandwich Choice
Sandwich Choice	-----	Quorn Fillet And Gravy	Chicken Fajita Wrap	Pepperoni Pizza
-----	Garlic Bread	-----	-----	-----
Jacket Potato wedges	Garden Peas	Roast Potatoes	Creamed Potatoes	Chips
Baked Beans	-----	Broccoli	Carrots	Baked Beans
-----	Pudding of the Day	-----	-----	-----
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Don't forget to pre-order your child's **Shanklea Christmas dinner** on the School Grid for **Tuesday 7th December**.

Ho Ho Ho... join in the fun with Santa's Tour of Cramlington!

Cramlington Town Council is delighted to announce that Father Christmas is hopping on his festive bus for a three-night tour of the town at the beginning of December.

Our council staff are currently in discussions with Santa's Little Helpers to finalise the details but we can confirm that he will be aboard his blinged-up bus between **5-7pm on December 1st, 2nd and 3rd**. Our friends at Northumbria Police and Northumberland Fire and Rescue are helping with the arrangements – rumour has it that some of Santa's elves are hoping to hitch a ride with them – what fun!

Barely able to contain her excitement, Cramlington Town Mayor Loraine De Simone said, "I just can't wait, this is





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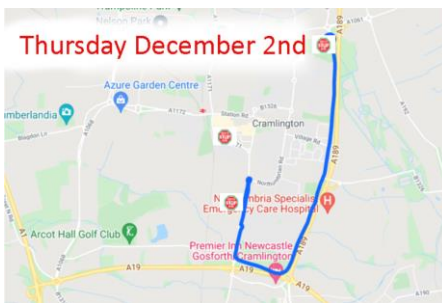
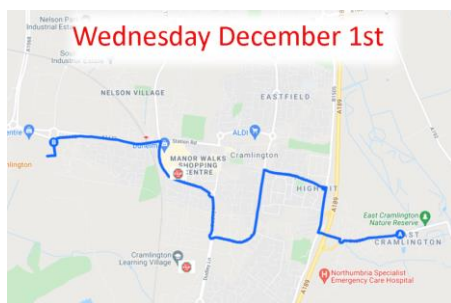
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going to be a fabulous Cramlington Christmas!"

"It's going to be a fantastic sight – his bus will be bedecked with festive twinkles and he'll be ringing his bell and playing seasonal songs so you will be able to hear him approach. As he tours the town he would love to see as many youngsters as possible and if they, and their mums and dads, were dressed up in Christmas outfits so much the better!

A summary of Santa's routes is shown below. Please see Cramlington Town Council's website for more information <https://www.cramlingtontowncouncil.gov.uk/video-ho-ho-ho-join-in-the-fun-with-santas-tour-of-cramlington/>



Shanklea Superstars

Well done to **Leo and Amelia C** who have provided character voices for an animated short film which is being screened in festivals across the world. The film, Cuties, won 2 awards for Best Animated Short Film and Best in Show at the first ever Newcastle International Film Festival. Well done Leo and Amelia - what an amazing experience!



Congratulations to the **Shanklea Stars** of last week:

Dylan S	Skylar H	Jacob S	Isabella K	William B	Brooke P
Owen H	Jessica S	Harrison D	Devin R		
Charlie B	Jayden M	Lois E	Oliver S		

