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|   | <p>ANSTON HILLCREST PRIMARY SCHOOL Hawthorne Avenue, South Anston, Sheffield S25 5GR Tel. 01909 550022 Headteacher: Mrs Kate Rayner school@anstonhillcrest.org</p> <p>Our values are: RESPECT, RESILIENCE, TEAMWORK, KINDNESS and ASPIRATION</p> |  |
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Hillcrest's Christmas Extravaganza

Monday 9th December @ 1:30pm OR Tuesday 10th December @ 9:30am OR 1:30pm

Years 1 – 6 are taking part in a sing-a-long in the main school hall- there will be singing, dancing and traditional carols too. As there are 3 performances we would love for family members to be able to make it to at least one of the performances.

Please indicate on the return slip which one of the three performances you would like to attend (2 seats per family). Please send this back to school by **Friday 29th November**. We will let you know via text if there are any extra spaces available for the three performances nearer the time.

FS2 Nativity – Wednesday 11th Dec @ 9:30am and 1:30pm

There will be two performances for families to attend. A letter from Mrs Moore has already gone out with more details.

We won't be selling refreshments this year, however there will be a Christmas Raffle - £3 a strip. Please remember to bring cash. This year there are more fabulous prizes than ever before including festive Disney cuddly toys, a Fortnite chopper toy, Squishmallows and lots more! If anyone would like to donate any further prizes to our raffle please do bring them to reception.

Last year we loved having a 'real life live' panto experience for all our pupils from FS2 to Y6... and we are repeating it this year but going up the beanstalk instead..... 'Oh No you aren't...Oh Yes we are!'

Whole School Pantomime 'Jack and the Beanstalk' – Thursday 12th December (Afternoon)

We kindly ask for a donation of £3.00 towards the cost of this production which is also part funded by our PTA fundraising. You will receive a notification shortly to make donations on the School money payment system. This is also partly funded by the fundraising work of our PTA and we are so grateful we are able to offer the children live action theatre fun!

Reindeer Run- Friday 13th December

Close to our hearts is the Rotherham Hospice and this year we will be having a 'Reindeer run' where the children can bring festive hats to run raising money for this valuable charity. Mr Smith has all the details...soon to follow on the SWAY.

We will be holding our usual **Class Christmas Parties** where each class will be playing party games with prizes, dancing and singing along to Christmas tunes. Please send in party clothes for your child to change into. We will be providing a chocolate treat, crisps and a drink at a cost of £2.00 per child, which will also be available to pay on the School money system.

The parties will take place on the following dates;
FS1 & FS2 – Monday 16th December at 1pm

KS1 (Year 1&2) – Monday 16th December at 1pm
KS2 (Years 5&6) – Tuesday 17th December at 1:30pm
KS2 (Years 3&4)- Thursday 19th December at 1:30pm

Christmas Jumper Days- Wednesday 18th and Thursday 19th December

Please feel free to wear a Christmas jumper (with rest of the school uniform) on Wednesday 18th it's Christmas dinner day in school too

Finally, if anyone would like to donate a selection box, I will be taking these to the Dinnington Food bank as we finish school for Christmas- please drop any donations off at the main office.

We look forward to seeing you all in school for the festivities and the whole staff team would like to wish you all a wonderful Christmas and best wishes for the New year!

Kind
regards

Mrs Kate Rayner
Headteacher

Don't forget!

Inset Day – Friday 20th December

School re-opens – Tuesday 7th January 2024



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Child's Name _____

Class _____

Please indicate which performance you would like to attend (2 seats). Please tick one only:

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