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> > 13<sup>th</sup> December 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been another busy week at Yaxham! We enjoyed a fantastic trip to the circus, luckily for us our teachers escaped being picked from the audience for another year, much to the disappointment of Eagles! Everyone has really entered into the Christmas spirit with their outfits today, hopefully raising lots for Save the Children at the same time. We are all looking forward to our Christmas lunch and the carol service this afternoon.

Whilst we are all enjoying the festivities, it is lovely to see that our children are thinking of others. Both Charlotte and Samuel have organised food for the homeless and taken it out to them on the streets of Norwich. Samuel also tries to support the homeless when he visits London.



Samuel made the sandwiches himself ready to distribute.



Charlotte had a visit from Wally Webb asking about her donations. We were all really excited to listen to her on Radio Norfolk.

## **Other Messages**

### Book Fair

Thank you to those who supported the book fair. Unfortunately, we didn't sell enough to get any books for school so we will look at doing something different next year.

## Pyjama Day

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December will be a Pyjama Day, as we get ready for the Christmas Break. Children will still go outside at break times so please make sure they are appropriate or they have something underneath so that they will be warm enough.

### Party Day

Children are welcome to come to school in party clothes but again they will be having normal breaks outside so please make sure outfits are practical. Please let Mrs Fulham know if you don't want your child to have their photograph taken with Father Christmas. If you would like photographs to be emailed before Christmas, please make sure you confirm you are happy for your email address to be shared with Kate Anderson Photography.

### Competition

Don't forget the inter-house competition between the four houses at school. The challenge set for each house is to collect items to make a family themed hamper - the house who collects the most items for their hamper will win house points for their house. Items should be brought into school week commencing Monday 2nd December - coloured collection boxes will be in the school office. Items should be non-perishable and can include bottles and cans, but can also include craft items or items suitable for younger family members. Try to stick with the colour theme!

The four hampers will be raffle prizes, raising funds for the friends of Yaxham Primary school, who fund the extra items that the school budget can't stretch to. Raffle tickets can be purchased at the New Year's Eve party at Yaxham village hall, where the raffle will be drawn.

Wishing you all a well-earned restful weekend ready for our last 3 days in school!

Jennie Müller

Headteacher

# Dates for your diary:

Monday 16th December 2019 - Reception/Key Stage 1 Cathedral Visit

Tuesday 17th December 2019 - Pyjama Day!

Wednesday 18th December 2019 - Christmas Party

Last Day of term

Monday 6th January 2020 – Children return to school

Wednesday 8th January 2020 – Robins Swimming





#### CATERING ASSISTANT REQUIRED

For a local Contract Caterer at Yaxham VA Primary School.

Duties to include serving customers, food preparation, washing-up and general cleaning and kitchen duties

Must have excellent customer service skills

and be a real team player

with a 'CAN DO' attitude

Monday to Friday working,

term time only.

Good salary package to include

Company benefits,

Uniform provided

and developmental training

Please contact Derrol Waller

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