



Rothersthorpe CE Primary School

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Rothersthorpe Reporting 30th November



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Dear Parents,

This week we come to the end of 'lockdown' and move into the Tier system. Let's all hope that cases continue to decline, especially in our area. From Wednesday we hopefully welcome back our staff who have been shielding—however, we are still waiting on the final confirmation.

Christmas cards

Children can bring 'Christmas cards' into school from tomorrow, Tuesday 1st December. There will be a box in each class for the children to put their cards into, throughout the next couple of weeks. The cards will then 'quarantine' over the weekend and will be distributed on Monday 7th and Monday 14th December. Therefore the last day to bring cards into school will be **Friday 11th December.**

Kind regards Mrs Fountain and all staff



**Stars of the
Week
27th November
2020**



**‘Small School Big Heart’
Cookbook Winners
Organised by The Friends of School**



Well done to our amazing winners of the front cover competition.

All entries will feature in the cookbook which is available to buy at £6.00

per copy.

Please send in your order form if you wish to purchase a copy for Christmas. I'm sure they will make a great present for all the family.



Remembrance and Children in Need



£187 was raised in Poppy sales
£120 was raised for Children in Need



WELL DONE EVERYONE!



Lots of children are enjoying and succeeding in our school gym clubs

Well done everyone





'The Nativity'

**Performed by Class 1 & supported by Class 4
W/C 7th December 2020**

The Nativity will be performed in two separate halves of the school hall this year. There will be two scenes/stages. Both classes will stay in their bubbles.

Year 6 will support with narration, plus Year 5 and Year 6 will sing separately in their year groups. The hall will be well ventilated and there will be more than 6m+ distance between bub-

bles at all times.

The Nativity will be recorded and uploaded to Teams for the school and parents to watch.

Lights, Camel, Action!

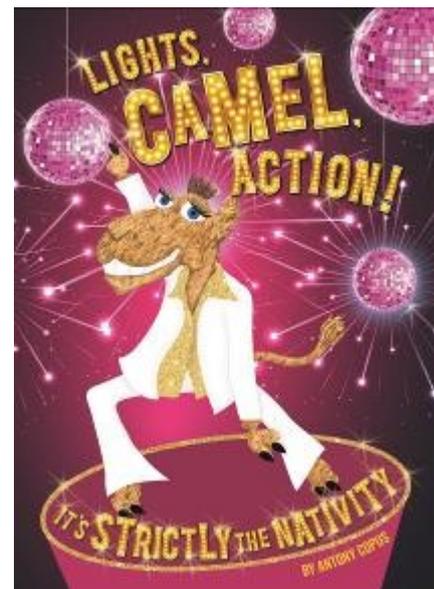
It's Strictly the Nativity

**Christmas Performance by Class 3
with support from Class 2**

W/C 14th December 2020

This Christmas play has been adapted to be performed in two separate bubbles with lots of dancing.

Class 2 and Class 3 will perform the scenes separately and these will be recorded to create an imovie for everyone to watch in school and at home. The imovie will be available on the school Teams account once created.



Calendar

Wednesday 9th December 2020	Flu immunisations in school— don't forget online consent!
W/C 7th December 2020	Class 1 'The Nativity' with Class 4 narration and singing support.
Friday 11th December 2020	Christmas Jumper Day and Fun Run on the school field
Friday 11th December 2020	Dolce Hot Christmas dinner - order online
W/C 14th December 2020	Class 3 & 2 Christmas Play—Lights, Camel, Action!
W/C 14th December 2020	Class parties, Christmas Pantomime in bubbles sponsored by 'The Friends of School' and other fun activities
Friday 18th December	Last day of school. Achievements assembly & Christingle Service on the playground in Bubbles, weather permitting or 'Teams'.
Mon 21st-Fri 1st January 2021	Christmas holidays
Monday 4th January 2021	Training day—school closed
Tuesday 5th January 2021	Back to school



Christmas Dinner, Christmas Jumper & Fun Run for Charity! Friday 11th December 2020



Our fun run this year is in aid of a local charity: <https://kidsaid.org.uk>

This charity supports children in Northamptonshire. KidsAid provides therapeutic support for children and young people. They do this by providing creative psychotherapies, including play therapy, art therapy, drama, dance and movement therapy. They also provide parent support.

Children can come to school on the **Friday in mufti with a Christmas Jumper**. They will also need **wellies, boots or old trainers in a plastic bag** to run around the field in. Plus their **coat** and maybe a **hat and gloves** if they wish. (The children will complete fun exercises in class if it rains).

The children will have a fun day at school, starting with their Christmas dinner at lunchtime, followed by the 'fun run' in the afternoon.

Any amount of donations are welcome—we know that many parents may have many different commitments this year. The overall aim is for the children to have fun, get a bit of exercise and raise a little money for other children in our local area.



Hopefully, Santa will visit and watch the event from our Amphitheatre on the field and give the children lots of waves as they run past. **Ho Ho Ho! Merry Christmas!**