

Messages

The weather remains very cold and icy. This has made conditions in the playground difficult so we assess this each day and keep children in when there is a lot of ice. Please ensure children are not running and skidding in the playgrounds before and after school and that they stay off the top area.

On snow days we will inform you if school is closed. We often have to ascertain whether staff are able to safely attend and therefore decisions will not always be made straight away. If you have not been informed then please assume that the intention is to open. We will inform you via School Comms as soon as possible if we are closing. Please refrain from messaging staff in the mornings as decisions will be communicated to you as soon as a decision is made. Information on the current status of whether a school is open or closed can be found via the link below. This updates frequently throughout the morning.

<https://schoolclosures.suffolk.gov.uk/>

Here is the link for the *Raring2go! Winter magazine*.
<http://bit.ly/3unoNT8>

Looking Ahead

Christmas Lunch 14th December

There will be no other lunch options on this day. If you have informed the office that your child does not want a Christmas lunch then please remember to send them in with a packed lunch. Children are welcome to wear a festive jumper on this day if they wish.



Thursday 15th December— Christmas Movie after School - tickets available from the front office or via Parent Pay

Friday 16th December—Raffle will be drawn. Tickets are still available from the office or on Parentpay.

Tuesday 20th December Christmas Service—Baptist Church 9:15 KS2 only (Yrs 3-6)

Tuesday 20th December—Last day of term, school will finish at the usual time.

Thursday 5th January 2023 —Children return to school.

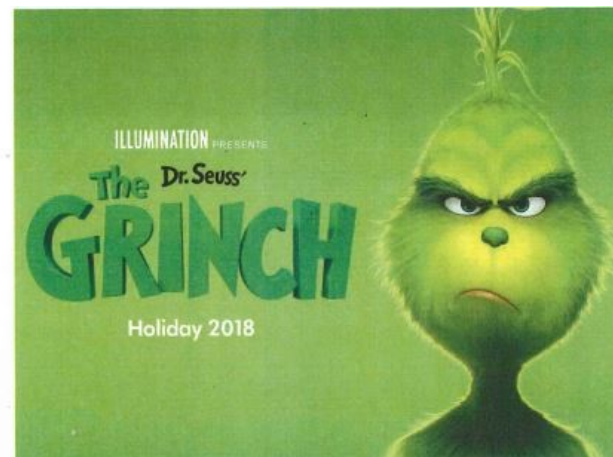
School Lunches—We are having difficulty sourcing fish fingers for lunch on Fridays we may therefore have to substitute for sausage and chips.

2022-23 Key Dates

This is a preliminary list of key dates. It is subject to alteration occasionally, but we will try to give you as much advance warning as possible, should this happen.



AUTUMN TERM	
<i>Wednesday 14th December</i>	Christmas Dinner (Festive Jumpers may be worn)
<i>Thursday 15th December</i>	Cinema afternoon
<i>Friday 16th December</i>	School Council Raffle Draw
<i>Tuesday 20th December 2022</i>	9:15 KS2 Carol Service (Baptist Church)
<i>Tuesday 20th December 2022</i>	Last day of term
<i>Wednesday 21st – Tuesday 3rd January 2023</i>	Christmas School Holidays
<i>Wednesday 4th January 2023</i>	PD Day
<i>Thursday 5th January 2023</i>	Return to school



**Movie Night on Thursday 15th
December 3pm – 5pm.**

Tickets £3 each this includes



Amazing Christmas Raffle

So many amazing prizes have kindly been donated from the local community, including:

- £50 cash prize from The Bell
- £40 cash prize from Knights Country Kitchens
- A cut and style with Kat at D:Fine
- £10 Voucher from JR Humphries
- £20 Voucher from The Swan Inn
- £20 Voucher from Tuckermans
- A Sewing Workshop Gift Voucher
- £5 from Trading Post
- £10 Voucher from Small Town Clare
- A mini Christmas hamper
- 2X £10 vouchers from Clare Fish & Chips
- £20 Beauty Treatment Voucher from Black Thorn Beauty
- 2 Guest passes for The Gainsborough Spa

And lots more amazing donations including gifts from: Harris & Harris Book Shop, Blue Dog, Honey Hill, The Cock, The barbers, Co-op, Hangers Boutique, Maiso De Clements

Get your Raffle Tickets now to have a chance of winning one of these amazing prizes and help us to raise money to improve our outside quiet area.

Only £1 for a strip of tickets

Tickets are available on Parent Pay, at the school office and will also be sold after school.