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Message from Head teacher: Thank you everyone for your fantastic support with costumes and lines etc for our performances, we were thrilled and so proud of all the children. An extra special thank you to Piers who rigged up the lights, they really added a professional touch to the plays. Also to Rosie who painted the amazing backdrop and made the stable for the FS/KS1 performance. This is the last newsletter before our holidays. Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year.

Dates For Your Diary

Tues 18th Dec - Christmas Party Day.

Weds 19th Dec - School Christmas Dinner.

Thurs 20th Dec - 1pm Carol Concert.
Last day of term.

Mon 7th Jan - Back to school.

Tues 15th Jan - Swimming lessons
(Years 4, 5 & 6), every Tuesday for 10 weeks.

School Census Day Menu - 17th January

On Thursday 17th January there will be a 'Make Yourself a Fresh Burger' themed menu. The meal numbers achieved on this day (for Foundation, Year 1 & 2) sets the funding the school receives from the DfE. This fun menu has been designed to encourage pupils to enjoy a school meal on Census day ensuring our funding is as high as possible.

Christmas Eve Service at Millbrook Methodist Church

We have been asked if anybody would like to do a reading at this service which is 6pm on Christmas Eve. There will be several readings from various members of the community and they have asked if anybody would like to represent Furlanesend. If your child is interested in taking part in the service, please let the office know.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB AT FOURLANESEND 3:15pm-5:30pm

Please contact the office to book a place for your child.
Places **MUST** be booked at least 24hrs in advance.

Last Day of Term - Thursday 20th December

Our Christmas Celebration starts at 1pm and should be finished by 1:45pm. All parents/carers are invited to attend and the children can be taken home as soon as it has finished.

Christmas Party - Tuesday 18th December

For our Christmas party please can your children bring in party food (on the day) according to class:

Plym: Sweet
Cremyll: Savoury
Tamar: Savoury
Lynher: Sweet

Please remember to label any containers you want returned. Children are allowed to wear party clothes but please ensure that they wear sensible shoes and bring a coat.

Winter Mini Reading Challenge

The Rame Centre Micro Library has had a delivery of a new range of Christmas books (for all ages). There is also a mini reading challenge running over the Christmas holidays. All you have to do is read three books between now and 11th January. Once you've read a book, add it to your website profile and write a review to let everyone know what you thought. Add 3 (or more) books to complete the mini challenge! There's a brand new Yeti certificate and an exclusive virtual badge for everyone who completes the mini challenge.

Class News

Class Lynher - We performed 'A Christmas Carol' on Wednesday and really enjoyed being able to show all the parents what we have been rehearsing. We have been busy making festive gingerbread for the Christmas fair. A big thank you to Olive's dad for organising our trip to HMS Bulwark yesterday, we really enjoyed looking around the ship. By Jack & Grace

Class Tamar - We made a film today about this term's topic 'do we need rules?' Mrs Norton was the judge and kept making us all laugh! Yesterday, we had a trip to HMS Bulwark and enjoyed climbing the ladders. We have also been making turkey hats for our Christmas celebration performance next Thursday. By Ruben & Lara

Class Cremyll - This week we practised hard for our two performances on Wednesday of 'The Land Lord's Cat!' In RE we have been learning about Christianity and why Christians believe Christmas is important. We also learnt about Christingle and what each part represents. Today we have been busy making penguin cards to sell at the Christmas fair. By Phoebe & Morgan

Class Plym - This week we performed our play 'The Land Lord's Cat.' We learnt about the story of Christmas and designed our own Christingles. During this week we used greater than and less than symbols. By Eben & William