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Key Dates:	
29 th Nov and 2 nd Dec book fair	12 th December – Christmas lunch
4 th December – Flu vaccinations	16 th , 17 th & 18 th December Christmas performances
9 th December – Elfridges run by HSPTA	19 th December – class Christmas parties
12 th December – Christmas jumper day	20 th December – HSPTA Santa dash

Communications this week:	
Christmas Lunch	Y1 Curriculum News
Boiler works	Book Fair
HCC School Term Dates	Christmas Performances
Y2 Victorian Era Day	

Dear Parents & Carers,

We thought lots about staying safe when travelling in the dark in assembly on Monday in preparation for our 'bling your ride' competition. The children were great at identifying how to be bright to be seen!

I have been in classes looking at maths learning in particular recently and been really impressed by the children's knowledge, vocabulary and progress.

Year 2 are looking forward to joining a Victorian classroom set up on Monday morning in their classes following on from their learning all about the Victorians.

Book Fair

Thanks to everyone who came to our book fair last night, please remember this is on again tonight and Monday after school. This is a great opportunity to purchase some new books and also raises funds for the school that we can invest into more books including books for our reading raffle prizes.

Attendance

Please see the attached leaflet created with a range of local schools to share the importance of good attendance at school and to share our joint expectations.

Christmas Performances

We are excited to share that you can now get your seats for the Christmas performances. It is a maximum of 3 seats per family across the two performances. The children will be beginning their rehearsals next week as the Christmas countdown begins! A reminder of the dates and times of these below:

Monday 16th December: 9.30am Year 2, 2.00pm Year 1

Tuesday 17th December: 9.30am Year 1, 2.00pm Year R

Wednesday 18th December: 9.30am Year R, 2.00pm Year 2

HSPTA

We are so grateful to the HSPTA and all the wonderful events they organise at this time of year for the children. Please go to their website and look at their newsletter to ensure you have purchased tickets. We are looking forward to Elfridges on the 9th December and the Santa Dash on the 20th December. I'm sure lots of you have also purchased Christmas trees and the house decorating will be beginning soon!

Learners of the Week:

					
<p>Arthur Cherry Ares Plum</p>	<p>Jayden Apple Ben Spruce</p>	<p>Lottie Cherry Violet Plum William Beech Willow Beech Jenson Hazel Molly Holly Freddie Cedar Esme Spruce</p>	<p>Theo Chestnut</p>	<p>Felix Apple Laira Hazel Luke Chestnut</p>	<p>Phoebe Holly Sanvika Cedar</p>

Bling your Ride

Thanks to everybody who took part in the 'bling your ride' competition on Wednesday this week. John was really impressed and found it hard to choose winners. We announced the winners in assembly today where they received their prizes and certificates. Here are some pictures of the winners:



Kind Regards

Phillippa Longman

