



SCOPE CEVC PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

26th November 2021

Who to speak to

I have been asked to clarify who parents should speak to at school if they have a question or problem, and this works around my part time availability at school.

In the first instance, the best person to talk to should always be your child's class teacher. Although teachers are available for a quick chat on the playground first thing in the morning and again after school, you might want to speak more privately, and if this is the case, please speak to Mrs Buck in the office and she will arrange for the teacher to give you a call.

If it is something that is more serious, or something that hasn't been resolved, then you might want to speak to me. The same applies as above, although I am available for a quick conversation on the gate in the mornings and after school on my days of working, you might feel it more appropriate for me to speak to you more privately and if you speak to Mrs Buck, she will pass the message on and I will get back to you. On days I don't work, Mrs Bennett is in charge and she can deal with any urgent matters.

I hope that clarifies arrangements. I just want to make sure you are aware that we are all approachable and we share a desire to make children's attendance at Scole Primary School effective, safe and enjoyable.

Martin White

Christmas

It doesn't seem possible that Christmas is really only a few weeks away now. Along with Miss Ellis and Mrs Bennett, I started working at Scole in September and it feels like it was just 'yesterday'. Sunday is actually the first Sunday of Advent and we will be lighting our first candle in our Advent Wreath on Monday. The first candle signifies 'Hope' and we will be explaining this to the children next week.

We will be having our Christmas Lunch next week as well, somewhat earlier than we would like to be honest, but our meals are cooked at another school and we have to work around their wishes on this I'm afraid.

Parents have been asking about whether there would be any school performances at Scole this Christmas in light of Covid restrictions. Unfortunately we are still unable to invite parents into school so each class will produce a video of their respective performance and this will be available on the school website for parents to view – really sorry about this.

However, we are delighted to have been given permission to take the whole school down to St Andrew's Church for our Christmas Service on 14th December. Unfortunately, this will only be for children and staff but it will be lovely to celebrate Christmas at St Andrew's again this year.

SPECIAL MENTIONS FOR LAST WEEK

Eddie Scarfe—Explorers

Millie Webster & Jemma Attard—Pathfinders

Jack Last & Jerry Fullerton—Adventurers

Gracie Webster—Navigators

We raised £82 on Friday for Children in Need by coming into school in our Spots & Stripes. Thank you to you all for donating.



CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

The last day for tickets and BACS payments is Monday 6th December. (Please ensure payment is made to the FOSS account and not the school).

Dates for your Diary

THURSDAY 2ND DECEMBER

Christmas Lunch

MONDAY 6TH DECEMBER

Reception and Year 6 Health Screening

TUESDAY 14TH DECEMBER

Christmas Service in Church (sorry, for the children only).

FRIDAY 17TH DECEMBER

THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL MENTIONS

Halle Lake—Explorers

Skye Barber—Pathfinders

Callum Wright & Oliver Marshall—Adventurers

Erin Smith, Rhys Lewis & Zenna Browne—Navigators