WHADDON NEWS

Christmas

What a busy but exciting term this one has been!

This issue is a bit different.

It is a photo edition to show the many Christmassy activities and events the children have taken part in during the last fortnight.

Everyone is tired and ready for a rest but before we go, we would all like to say thank-you to all of our families. Thank-you to the wonderful children for working so hard while remaining enthusiastic about all you have learnt. For treating each other kindly and with patience and for making Whaddon School such a great place to be. Thank-you to parents for all of your support and help. For all that you do to encourage your children to be the best they can be.









Christmas Club Fayre



Golden Awards

Well done to all the children who have achieved their Golden Award!!!

Week 1 FS: Lily Kirby

Year 1: Emma Harrold Kensei Askoolum-Vidler

Year 2: Zack Garland Grace Birch-Jones

Week 2

FS: The whole of FS for a super Nativity!

Year 1: The whole of Year 1 for a super Nativity!

Year 2: The whole of Year 2 for a super Nativity!

Snow!

In case of snow, we will always endeavour to stay open. If, however, we are forced to close the school for the safety of the children and staff, we notify you as soon as a decision has been reached.

We will send out a text and an email to all families and we will put a notice on the school website. You can also go on to the county website and check the list of schools that have

closed:<u>http://closures.buckscc.gov.uk/</u>

County inform local radio stations so you can tune in to Mix FM or Heart FM and they will read out a list of the local schools that have had to close.

If we need to close the school **during the day** due to worsening weather conditions or facilities failure, we will send an email and text message and put a message on the school website. Please check these lines of communication regularly if we experience weather which could result in us closing the school early.

Dates for your Diaries				
Date	Event	Time	Venue	
Friday 18 th December	Christmas Carols	1:30 pm	St Mary's Church	
	Everyone welcome			
Friday 18 th December	End of Term	3:00 pm		
Tuesday 5 th January	Spring Term begins	8:50 am		

Term	Open on the morning of	Close on the afternoon of	
Autumn Term	Thursday 3 September	Friday 23 October	
	Monday 2 November	Friday 18 December	
Spring Term	Tuesday 5 January	Thursday 11 February	
	Monday 22 February	Friday 24 March	
Summer Term	Tuesday 12 April	Friday 27 May	
	Tuesday 7 June	Thursday 21 July	

*Schools will be closed on Bank Holiday Monday 2 May 2016

Inset Dates

Wednesday 2nd September 2015 Monday 4th January 2016 Friday 12th February 2016 Monday 11th April 2016 Monday 6th June 201