



The children have been very busy decorating the tree

# Christmas News

## Boldon Nursery School – Outdoor Nursery

Ela the elf has arrived at nursery from the North Pole and we are sure your child is keeping you up to date with her tinkerish tricks !



Or chocolate for our hamper?

### CHRISTMAS CARDS

- Please help your child to write out **one Christmas card** for all of their friends in their group, they will be displayed in your child's group area and this will help us to save paper, card and disappointment if not all children receive one.
- We are joining in with **Save the Children Wear a Christmas Jumper on 15<sup>th</sup> December**, please donate £1 to the appeal if taking part



### CHRISTMAS GIFTS

- This term at Nursery, as parents, you have already made fantastic donations to great causes through Children in Need and the Samaritans Shoe Box Appeal. All staff would like to say a huge thank you for all of your support; this will make a big difference to children all around the world. From past experience we know some of you may be thinking about your child bringing in a gift for their teacher. **We would like to let you know you have given us the best gift possible already by allowing us to share your child's amazing early years experiences.** Staff are always very grateful about the generosity shown at this time of year **but there is no need, bringing your child to nursery each day to make memories with us is enough of a gift to us all!**

### CAN YOU HELP THIS FESTIVE SEASON?

- If you would like to take **Beryl and Sooty our chickens** home for Christmas we would be very grateful. Please see your child's key person if you can help us!
- We are looking for **helpers to wrap prizes** for our Christmas party and gifts for the children from Santa – Please sign up to help with Dawn (everything provided and cups of tea too!)
- We are looking for **parents helpers on the last day of term** (Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December) for our annual Christmas party between 11 and 2 – Please sign up with Dawn.

**WE RETURN TO NURSERY on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January.**

Raffle tickets on sale next week!

**£1 per strip**

**Have you signed up for a Christmas workshop?**

**KIT REMINDER –** As the weather is increasingly colder and we have been lucky enough to have SNOW please ensure your child has appropriate layers including thermals, fleece or jumper and hat, scarf and gloves so we can enjoy this special time of year together...



**May we remind you of the important  
dates you have on your newsletter**

<p><b>Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December</b> <b>Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December</b></p>	<p><b>Christmas Workshop with Sam</b> 9-11 AM 12:30-2:30</p>	<p>You must sign up to this event – LIMITED SPACES. Come along and make an angel garden with your child!</p>
<p><b>Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December</b></p>	<p><b>Save the Children Christmas jumper day</b></p>	<p>Please bring your child to nursery in their Christmas jumper and donate £1</p>
<p><b>Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December</b></p>	<p><b>Nativity sing along</b> Rebeccas AM group – 9-10 AM Rebeccas PM group – 12:30- 1:30 PM Laura and Tracy’s group – 2-3 PM</p> <p><b>IMPORTANT</b> –If your child does not normally attend on this day please bring them to nursery so they can join the performance. (Laura and Tracy’s Group)</p>	<p>Come and watch your child perform some special Christmas songs to celebrate the true meaning of Christmas</p>
<p><b>Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December</b></p>	<p><b>Nativity sing along</b> Sam’s AM group – 9-10 AM Shannon’s group – 10:30- 11:30 AM Sam’s PM group – 2-3 PM</p> <p><b>IMPORTANT</b> –If your child does not normally attend on this day please bring them to nursery so they can join the performance. If they attend a full day please let Sam know which performance you will be attending</p>	<p>Come and watch your child perform some special Christmas songs to celebrate the true meaning of Christmas</p>
<p><b>Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December</b></p>	<p><b>LAST DAY OF TERM</b> <b>Christmas Party</b> Nursery is only open from <b><u>11AM – 2PM</u></b> for ALL CHILDREN</p> <p><b>IMPORTANT – NO EARLY BIRDS OR EXPLORERS TODAY AND DIFFERENT SESSION TIMES FOR ALL CHILDREN</b></p>	<p>Bring your children to nursery at 11AM in their party clothes. Please bring a food contribution the day before – nursery will provide all fresh party food (sandwiches etc.)</p>

**We hope you have the most amazing Christmas with your family and friends and we look forward to welcoming you back to make more memories together in the new year.**

**Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from all of the staff x x x**