

ROTHBURY LANTERN PARADE

Dear Parents/Carers

The Rothbury Christmas Lights Committee has invited our children to join the Christmas lantern parade on Saturday 25th November. We will be making lanterns in school on Tuesday 21st November. If you would like your child to make a lantern for the parade, **please send in a washed 2 litre plastic pop bottle which has had the top third cut off on Tuesday morning.** LED lights for the lanterns can be purchased from the school office for £1. Again the committee are asking everyone to carry their lantern hanging from a pole or stick. These can easily be made with a stick or garden cane with a wire hook attached to the end. The committee may have a small number of sticks available on the night if you are unable to make your own.

Our Singing Club has been asked to sing with other schools in All Saints Church as part of the celebration. A separate letter has gone out to parents today for those children involved.

Please see below for timings for the evening:

5.30 Meet on the Haugh Car park for the lantern parade to the village - the switch on takes place outside the Newcastle House

5.50 Carols outside the Newcastle House

6.00 The SWITCH ON!

6.05 Make your way to the church for refreshments and entertainment.

6.15 approx. Entertainment begins with Alnwick Dance Academy, followed by Rothbury Kindergarten, Harbottle and Netherton schools, Rothbury First Singing Club and Thropton First Singing Club. We expect the entertainment to finish no later than 7pm.

The committee have also arranged a Lantern Making Workshop and Coffee Morning with the following details:

10 - 1 Saturday 11 November in the Parish Hall, Rothbury

Come along and make a lantern to bring to the parade. (Small charge for materials)

We hope to see you at the Parade!

Rothbury First School