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Brampton Village Primary School

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Newsletter

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Headteacher's notes...

We have enjoyed some wonderful performances this week and all those who have taken part are to be congratulated on doing so well. The children in Key Stage 1 put on a wonderful production of 'A Christmas Recipe' and we also had a very entertaining concert led by our choir and instrumentalists. We have some very talented children in our school and I would like to thank all the staff for their hard work in making these events such a success. The children from Brambles did very well in their Assembly today and earlier in the week members of our choir sung carols at Hinchingsbrooke Hospital. We received this message from the Hospital Chaplain:

We all wanted to send a huge thanks to the children and all your team for coming and singing in chapel and on so many wards. Their voices lifted many hearts and they will never know how much it means to people.



There was a great turn out at the Christmas Fair last week. Thank you to everyone who came and supported it and to all those who helped in any way to make it such a success.

On Monday we have carol services at St. Mary Magdalene and Brampton Methodist Chapel before the last day of term on Wednesday. The last day of term, **Wednesday 19th December**, will be a non-uniform day as the children take part in various Christmas activities.

The children return for the Spring Term on **Monday 7th January 2019**.

Young Voices

The Young Voices concert tickets have now arrived in school. Mrs Crozier will be giving these out when we return to school in January. If you have any particular requests regarding seating arrangements please send an email to kcrozier@brampton.cambs.sch.uk before the end of term.



Balanceability

We have been very fortunate to secure Balanceability sessions for all Year 1 children in the Spring Term. These will be happening on either a Monday or Friday (this will differ for each class) on the weeks beginning: 7th January, 14th January, 21st January, 28th January, 4th February and 11th February.

Every child will be provided with a bicycle helmet and a balance bike to ride, therefore, will not need helmets or to bring bicycles from home. The children will be asked to change into their PE trainers for these sessions, so please do make sure that your child has the correct outdoor PE kit in school throughout the Spring Term.

We are very excited to be able to give Year 1 children this opportunity and look forward to seeing their balancing skills in action!



Vacancies

We are currently recruiting further Midday Supervisors to work for 5 lunchtimes a week, starting in January. If you are interested in joining our team please contact the school office for further details.

Brampton Kids Club Christmas Holiday Club

Brampton Kids Club will be open in the school holidays on **Thursday 3rd January** and **Friday 4th January 2019, 8am until 6pm**. To book your child's place, please take a booking form from the rack outside the school office or download it from the school website.

PTA News

A big thank you to everyone who contributed to the Christmas Fair; from bringing in donations to giving their time to help out. It was a great event and the children all seemed to enjoy it.

You will have seen the banner about the Abel and Cole fruit and veg boxes outside school, if you think you might want to try it please sign up as the school gets a big donation for everyone who gets a delivery.

We are looking for a new Treasurer. This will involve getting floats ready for events, collecting money and banking it, and dealing with all financial correspondence. If you think you could help at all please get in touch and we'll send a full role description.

Have a great Christmas! From the PTA team

Community

Christmas Opening details for the Brampton Community library are as follows:

The Library will be closed from Monday 24th December through to Friday 28th December

Open as usual on Saturday 29th December

Closed Monday 31st December, Tuesday 1st January 2019

Re - opening Wednesday 2nd January 2019

Normal opening times:

Monday 11:30 - 1:30

Wednesday 3:00 to 5.00

Saturday 11:30 - 1:30

What's On Next Week:

Monday 17 th Dec	YR visit to Brampton Methodist Chapel KS1 Carol Service at St. Mary Magdalene KS2 Carol Service at St. Mary Magdalene
Tuesday 18 th Dec	Y6 Football match
Wednesday 19 th Dec	Last day of term Non Uniform Day



Spring term 2019

Thursday 3 rd January	Professional Day
Friday 4 th January	Professional Day
Monday 7 th January	Children return
18 th February – 22 nd February	Half term
Friday 5 th April	Last day of term