



Thriplow School News

5th December

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TERM DATES

5th Sept-19th Dec

3rd Jan-5th April

(Half term 18th-23rd February)

Staff Training Mon 25th Feb-

No school

23rd Apr-24th July

(Half term 27th -31st May)

Staff Training Fri 24th May-

No school

DATES TO REMEMBER

December

6th- Football @ Barrington

6.00pm Nativity

13th- 2.45pm Choir sings in Village Hall

14th- Festive Friday

19th-2.30pm Church Service

January

3rd- Start of term

10th- 9.15am Holy Communion

19th- Young Voices at the O2

Mrs Kay Horsford is retiring at Christmas after 28 years as a Teaching Assistant, 9 of them at Thriplow. Mrs Horsford has made such a difference at this school, and so many children have benefited from her expertise, kindness and humour. Kay has been a valued and supportive colleague and everyone will miss her as she heads off to begin the next phase of her life. We will be marking Mrs Horsford's departure with a Celebration Assembly and party on Friday 25th January. On Friday 14th December we will be welcoming Heidi Allen MP to school. Heidi will be formally opening Grasshopper classroom at 9.15am, and I hope that many of you will attend (wearing Christmas jumpers for Festive Friday!).

Best wishes,

Victoria Penty



Sunday

9th December

3-4pm

Messy Church

4pm

Christingle Service

Christmas Lunch
Tuesday 18th December

Please let the school office know if you do not wish your child to have Christmas lunch by Friday 7th December. We will assume everyone is unless we hear from you!



It's a Party!- Nativity Performances

Wednesday 5th December at 2:30pm, and Thursday 6th December at 6:00pm.

Festive Friday

Friday 14th December, children may come to school wearing basic school uniform accessorised with Christmas socks/tights/jumpers/hats etc. This is a charity event, organised by Caterpillar Class in aid of Cool Earth. £1 per child.

Christmas Concert

Monday 17th December– 3.30pm. Please let the school office know if your child wishes to perform.

Christmas Lunch

Tuesday 18th December. Please remember to let the school office know if your child **will not** be having lunch

Carol Service

Wednesday 19th December at 2:30pm, at St George's Church, Thriplow

Any donations of mince pies for refreshments at the above events would be welcomed.



Messy Church

Weds 12th December in St Mary's Church,

Fowlmere from 3:30-4:45.

Everyone is

welcome for Christmas-themed craft and cake!

St. George's Church, Thriplow

Messy Christmas Teas

*Thursday 13th December
2-4pm in the Village Hall
Music . Teas . Stalls*

Church Services

*Sunday 9th December
3-4pm Messy Church for Christmas
4-4.30pm Christingle Service*

*Sunday 16th December
5pm Candlelit Carol Service*

*Tuesday 25th December
9.30am Christmas Day
All Age
Holy Communion*



**Ladybird Christmas Disco Update –
Friday 7th December 2018**

Unfortunately due to a lack of numbers for the KS 2 disco we will be combining the two discos. We will be extending the hours from 17:00 to 18:45. Please pass on the news. We do have a small number of tickets left if anybody else would like to come.

KAPLA wooden construction after school club



We are delighted to offer a one-off KAPLA after school club

Date: Thursday 24th January 2019

Time: 3.30pm- 5pm

Cost: £7 per child



This workshop is suitable for children age 4 -11. They will be working together in different age groups to build the most wonderful creations: palaces, bridges, animals, futuristic towers and much more...

Your children will experiment with physics by building different structures with the planks and learn about geometry by making their own geometric patterns.

They will have fun, will use their imagination and work on life skills such as team work, perseverance, logical thinking and concentration. They will step back and be so proud of what they achieved!

Book a space now!

Places are limited and bookings are compulsory.

Bookings and enquiries: Jennifer Norie kaplaclubs@gmail.com

www.kaplaclubs.co.uk

Tea with Santa

£5 Adults
Tea / Coffee /
Mulled wine
Slice of
festive cake

£7.50
Children
Hot meal, Drink &
Festive cookie
A story read by Mrs Santa
A present from Santa

Saturday 22nd December
Thriplow Village Hall 4pm - 5.30pm

To buy your ticket email Sabrina.melvin@heartfamilies.org