



### Introduction

Year Six have had a super week at Bewerley Park this week. If you follow us on Twitter you will have seen the range of activities that they have taken part in during the week. They have all been excellent representatives of the school throughout the week as usual.



### Upcoming Events

*December:*

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> Christmas Dinner  
Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> Choir Concert at Gateway Centre  
Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> 9.15am KS1 Nativity (school hall)  
Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> 1.30pm KS1 Nativity (school)  
Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> 9.15am KS1 Nativity (school)  
Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> 10.00am KS2 Concert (Gateway)  
Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> 1.30pm – Reception Nativity (Gateway)  
Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> pm: Y3 & Y4 Christmas Party  
Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> am: Y5 & Y6 Christmas Party  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> am: Reception Christmas party  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> 1.00pm: Carols in the Playground

All dates are available online at: [www.acombprimary.org.uk/parents/calendar-dates/](http://www.acombprimary.org.uk/parents/calendar-dates/)

### Starting School September 2019

If you have a child born between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2014 and 31<sup>st</sup> August 2015, you may already be thinking about school places for next September. So that we can get an idea of numbers, please can you let us know – phone, email or pop in – if you are going to apply for a place (or already have) at Acomb Primary.

### Parent/Carer Survey

Thank you to everyone who completed our survey. We have had 77 responses to the Y1 to Y6 survey and 20 to the reception survey – 30% of the school in total.

We will publish the results shortly.

### Breaktime snacks in Key Stage 2

Please remember that we ask parents to provide fruit if your child requires a snack at morning break. We have noticed that some children are eating crisps etc which are part of their packed lunch. Please remind the children to save these items for lunchtime. Thank you.

### Reception to Year 5 children

The deadline has passed to register online for the flu vaccine. If you haven't registered or have missed the deadline, paper copies will be available from the school office on Monday.

### *Foundation Stage (Reception)*

Letters about the Reception nativity performance have been given out this week. Please remember to return your slip to Mrs Bradley/Miss Peggs as soon as possible. Thank you

### *Key Stage One (Y1 & Y2)*

Bookings for tickets for the Year 1 and 2 Christmas performances close at midnight tonight. We will confirm how many extra tickets we can offer next week.

### *Lower Key Stage Two (Y3 & Y4)*

All the children in classes KJSW, RS and ESH will be going to see the Cinderella at the Grand Opera House in York on **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December**. We have managed to get tickets for just £10 per child which is an amazing reduction on the normal prices (oh yes it is!). All the children will need a packed lunch to be eaten at school before we walk to the theatre. The children should wear school uniform, a coat and sensible footwear for walking. Please note, we will **not be back to school until after 3pm** and we will confirm timings once we know them. If you are able to accompany us on the trip, please let your child's teacher know. Permission for your child to go to the theatre and a donation of £10 for the ticket can be made via ParentPay. Thank you, the Year 3/4 team.

### *Ignite Sports Coaching*

Want a child-free day after the Christmas madness? Look no further than our FUN, FRIENDLY Multi Sport Club! For children aged 4 - 13 (Reception - Year 8) on Wednesday 2nd January and Thursday 3rd January 2019 @ Acomb Primary School, West Bank, YO24 4ES. **Use discount code EB50-JAN by midnight on Friday 30th November for 50% off!** BOOK NOW AT: <https://www.ignitesportscoaching.co.uk/book-now/>

Please see attached two flyers about Christmas events at Holgate Methodist Church and West Bank Park.