



NEWSLETTER



Friday 12th December 2025

Dates for next week

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| Monday 15 th December | Christian Youth Enterprise performing their Nativity at 11am Christmas Craft afternoon Christmas Card can be posted in the Post Box from today: child's name and class on front. |
| Tuesday | Chartwell's Christmas lunch. Children not having hot meal, may bring a 'festive' lunch box KS2 Carol service at Boxgrove Priory: arrive at 6.15pm (see below) starts at 6.30pm |
| Wednesday | |
| Thursday | FINAL POSTING DAY FOR CARDS |
| Friday | Last Day Winter Walk afternoon and Christmas jumpers today |

Carol service for Beech and Oak Classes Tuesday 16th December at 6.15pm

The children should arrive with families at 6:15 PM. If you arrive earlier, please ensure children sit / stay with you so they are not running around the church and remain calm before they sing.

Children who wish to perform should wear plain bottoms and a 'Christmassy' jumper – this can be a bright jumper with tinsel attached, please don't buy one just for the occasion!

The event will last for approximately 45minutes and there will be mulled wine, mince pies and raffle tickets available to buy after the event. Proceeds from this event will be split between Boxgrove Priory and both Boxgrove and Singleton schools.

The service promises to offer a moment to pause, reflect, and sing together in the midst of the Christmas busyness. We look forward to seeing you there.

Christmas Lunch – Tuesday

Our Christmas lunch will take place on Tuesday. If your child usually brings a packed lunch, feel free to make it as festive as you like—or let them get creative and design their own!

Winter Walk afternoon and Christmas Jumper Day - Friday

On Friday afternoon, the children will be walking up into the Downs. Please ensure they are dressed appropriately for the weather, with a waterproof coat and warm layers if cold. They can wear Christmas jumpers on this day.

They should have either wellington boots or an additional pair of old shoes in school. The walk will only be cancelled in the event of torrential rain or high winds.

CHRISTMAS POST BOX OPEN FOR CHILDREN FROM MONDAY TO THURSDAY

Nativity and a Huge Thank You!

A huge thank you to all the children, staff, and families for making this week's Nativity such a special occasion. The performances were absolutely wonderful—full of joy, confidence, and festive spirit!

We are so proud of every child for their hard work and enthusiasm in learning lines, singing beautifully, and bringing the story to life. A special thank you to parents and carers for your amazing support with costumes and preparations—it really helped make the Nativity magical. And of course, a big thank you to our fantastic staff team for all their hard work and creativity in bringing everything together.

It was truly a lovely way to celebrate together. Well done, everyone!

Christmas Fair

Thank you to everyone who attended and supported our Christmas Fair! Together, we raised approximately £1400, which will go towards children's events, the Shepherd's Hut and little extras in school.

It was a brilliant community event, and we couldn't have done it without the amazing families and staff who ran stalls and helped with organisation.

Special thanks to Clarissa and the PTA team for their incredible effort in organising everything and bringing everyone together.

Have a wonderful weekend – rumour has it that you might see blue sky and the sun tomorrow!

Theresa Smyth and the Boxgrove Team