Issue 5

Hambleton Church of England Primary School

WISE UP

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WE ARE A PEANUT and NUT AWARE SCHOOL.

Nuts and peanuts or any products containing nuts or peanuts are NOT allowed in our school.

Heads Up

Little Owls Nativity:
Fri 4 December
KS1 Nativity:
Tues 8 December
Wed 9 December
KS2 Christmas Story
Tues 15 December
Weds 16 December

Thought of the Week

'Glory to God in the highest and on Earth, peace and goodwill towards men.'

Luke 2:14

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Our Christian Value for this half term is 'thankfulness,'





Children In Need
Thank you to everyone who donated to Children In Need on ParentPay. So far we have raised a fantastic £300.00. We will leave the payment open for a little longer if anyone else wishes to donate. Thank you. The children looked great in their spotty and stripy clothes with Pudsey ears!

Christingle
The children have had fun making their Christingles today in school and will be bringing them home today.
A reminder that it is the **Village Christingle Gathering and Christmas Lights** switch on at St Mary's Church on Sunday 29 November at 3.30 pm. The children can take their Christingles to the service too.

Children's Society – Our Annual Appeal
Candle-shaped collection boxes/envelopes were sent home last week on behalf of St Mary's Church. These should be returned to school by **Friday 11 December** please, kindly filled with any loose change that you are able to spare.
Please also return all empty candles/envelopes to school so that they can be reused.
The Children's Society provide a network of services all over the UK give help to vulnerable children when they feel they have no one they can turn to for help.

Christmas Dinner
A reminder that our Christmas Dinner will be served on Wednesday 2 December. NO jacket potatoes or sandwiches will be available on this day, therefore if you advised us that your child will not be eating the Christmas lunch then please send in a packed lunch (NUT FREE of course!). Normal school uniform should be worn on this day please.

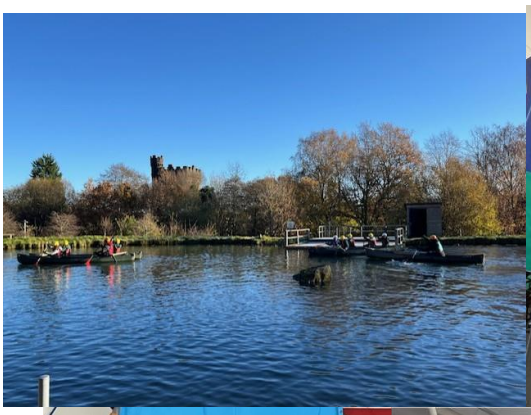
Robinwood Activity Centre Residential Eagle Owl - Year 6
The children had a fantastic time at their activity centre residential. They showed teamwork, compassion for each other and resilience. We were so proud of their attitude and achievements.

Marty said: *It was fun to challenge ourselves.*

George said: *Caving was amazing because I enjoyed the exploring games we*

played.

Harry said: *The 'Nightline' took us forever crawling, climbing and tumbling in the dark and then we were blindfolded, but only for a few minutes. I grabbed the tail of the pink squirrel!!!!!*












We work as a Team

Two are better than one, because they have a good reward for their labour. If either of them falls down one can help the other up. But pity anyone who falls and has no-one to help them up.

Ecclesiastes 4:9,10

Police Visit

Last week we had an exciting visit from a North Yorkshire Police Officer! Our visitor talked to all of the children about her career, the law and what police officers wear and carry when they are on duty. The aim was to help children feel confident around the police and you can imagine that the children had a lot of questions! A number of classes had the chance to sit in the holding cell in the police van - and to enjoy the siren at full blast!



Little Owls Nativity
It is the Little Owls Nativity on Friday 4 December at 9.30 am. All parents, grandparents and carers of Little Owls are welcome to come and watch in the school hall.
Please note that there will be **NO WISE OWLS** on this day.

KS1 Nativity Performances
We are very much looking forward to the KS1 Performances on Tuesday 8 December at 2 pm in the Church and on Wednesday 9 December, it is at 10 am in the Church.
Please bring your tickets with you for entry.

KS2 Christmas Story
The KS2 performance of Christmas Story and Songs will be in the School Hall on Tuesday 15 December at 5.30 pm and Wednesday 16 December at 5.30 pm. Children need to be back at school for 5.15 pm to get changed into costumes and start at 5.30 pm. Please bring your tickets with you for entry. They have been rehearsing a lot and are sounding and looking fantastic; it is going to be quite the performance!
All orders for tickets must be received by MONDAY 30 NOVEMBER. Once we have all the requests, the amount of tickets we have been able to allocate will then be sent home.

FOHS Christmas Raffle
Raffle tickets will be available at all performances. These can be purchased with cash or on ParentPay. We will send out communication when the payment is open on ParentPay.

Housekeeping
As the weather is turning very cold, please make sure that all children are sent into school with a coat for playtimes and a jumper or fleece to keep them warm indoors.
Please also remember a water bottle filled only with water too.

FOHS Newsletter
Please find attached the lastest edition of the FOHS newsletter.

Wise Owls Awards
Congratulations to all the Wise Owl Winners for the last two weeks:

Friday 20 November	Friday 27 November
Little Owls: Rory & Olivia	Little Owls: Tilly
Elf Owls: Juliette & Louie	Elf Owls: Charlie & Zoey
Barn Owls: Colby	Barn Owls: Cora
Tawny Owls: Henry	Tawny Owls: Isaac
Hawk Owls: Holly & Harry	Hawk Owls: Isabella & Lilly
Snowy Owls: Esmai	Snowy Owls: Indie & Aria
Eagle Owls: William W	Eagle Owls: Sonny & Marty

Our Christian Vision

We are:

Creative Resilient
Truthful Compassionate
Respectful Teamwork

