



Oakridge Community Primary School

Newsletter

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Feast Web site

Free places are available for eligible families over the Christmas Holidays, see below;

Not only are there listings of all the activities on offer in your area, there is also a huge range of online activities for everyone to enjoy, plus you'll find our '12 Days of Christmas' virtual sessions, for all children and young people to take part in. There are a variety of arts and crafts, dance and even yoga to do, all from your own home.

For more information and to access the online sessions visit the web site

www.northyorkshiretogether.co.uk/feast/

If any family has a question about the FEASTive programme, they can contact

hello@northyorkshiretogether.co.uk

Thank you! From the North Yorkshire Together team.

About FEASTive

As you'll already be aware, the Department for Education is providing local authorities with funding to coordinate a holiday programme offer combining healthy food and enriching activities for children and young people who are eligible for benefits-related free school meals. The County Council has commissioned North Yorkshire Together, a partnership between Rural Arts, North Yorkshire Sport and North Yorkshire Youth, as lead provider for the FEAST programme. We're delighted that FEAST will be back for the Christmas break, with free places at face to face holiday activities available for eligible children and online resources that all North Yorkshire families can enjoy.

EYFS

We have had a very exciting end of term in EYFS as Eric the Elf has moved in and he has been writing us letters. He asked us to make a Christmas tree for Santa's cottage and we made a beautiful one! We have made snowman party hats and loved playing all the party games on Wednesday. Thank you for all the contributions to the party and for supporting our outdoor Nativity. Mrs Cordwell and Miss Kaye both wish you a very happy and joyous Christmas and a healthy, peaceful New Year.

Miss Juliet Kaye EYFS Teacher

Seahorse Class

The children all had a fantastic time at their Christmas Party. Thank you for all the lovely food, it went down a treat. They are all ready for a break so Merry Christmas to you all and see you in the New Year.

Mrs Naomi Bannister Year 1 & 2 Teacher

Dolphin Class

This afternoon we enjoyed the online panto and the children had a great time at their party earlier this week, thank you for the wonderful goodies! Have a lovely Christmas and see you all in January.

Mrs Laura Little Dolphin Class Teacher

Dolphin Class

Phew we made it through a very busy half term! A big well done to all the children and their families. Wishing you all a happy and healthy Christmas and I'm looking forward to seeing everyone in January.

Miss. Sarah Trafford Dolphin Class Teacher

Christmas Raffle

The raffle was drawn yesterday afternoon and won by Isabella Lyth – congratulations and we hope you enjoy tucking into all the treats.

I wanted to say a big thank you to all our families for supporting us over the last term, especially when we have had to cancel events at short notice. As a school community we have done so well to keep everyone healthy and safe whilst trying to continue with our normal lives. We will be keeping an eye on the government guidance and following their advice and should anything change we will notify you as soon as possible.

Have a fantastic Christmas, enjoy a restful break and we look forward to seeing you all again in January.

Take care,

Hilary Thompson

