

We have had a lovely end to the term. All the children's parties went very well and everyone had a good time. We finished off the party day by watching 'The Snowman', which has become a bit of a tradition for us. Today the whole school joined together and sang our favourite Christmas Carols and songs by the lights of the tree. We have a very festive atmosphere in school at the moment.

We would like to say a huge thank you for all your kind words, cards, biscuits, cakes and gifts. It is not necessary, but they are very thoughtful and very much appreciated. We hope that you are able to have a very happy Christmas with your families and we look forward to welcoming the children back on **Tuesday 9th January**.



The Church in Tickton is holding a Christingle Service on Christmas Eve at 4pm in the Methodist Church. This is open to all ages – everyone is welcome.



Y2 & Y3 swimming lessons will start in January. These are the children's PE lessons for the spring term. The children will need to come dressed in their PE kits and bring their swimming costumes/trunks and a towel in a waterproof bag. They can also bring a pair of goggles if they wish. Y2's lessons will take place on Thursday afternoons, starting **11th January** and Y3's on Tuesday afternoons from **16th January** for the next ten weeks. As it is a short term, Y3 will have their final lesson on 9th April, which is after the Easter break.

Can you help? Weborchard have kindly sponsored our **fantastic new website**, which will go live in the new year. Do you run a local business or know of a local business that would like to sponsor us? In our upcoming newsletters we will be telling you about specific resources or events that we hope to have sponsored. In return, we can offer advertising on our new website and publicity on our social media pages. You will also be giving back to our fantastic children.

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Feedback: We do appreciate your feedback as it helps us to improve our school further as well as celebrate the things that have gone well, so if you are happy - or not - about something, please let us know.

Parental Feedback:

Date:

Feedback/ Issue:

Name:

Would you like an appointment with Miss Brown to discuss this further?

You can also share your thoughts and opinions, both positive and negative, of our school through the Ofsted site Parent View either by using this address/link, <https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk>, or typing 'Parent View' into Google.

