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Dear Parents /Carers,

I hope you enjoyed the Christmas performances last Thursday and Friday. All the children did an amazing job and we are all extremely proud of them! I have uploaded photographs of the children's performances onto our school website under the tab 'News and Events' then 'Christmas 2024'. We are hoping that in the new year, a film of the Christmas productions (filmed by staff from TPS) will be available to buy to download.

The children have had a very special time this week, with Christmas lunch on Tuesday, followed by Christmas parties on Wednesday; even Father Christmas managed a visit to the Infants' party! Yesterday the whole school thoroughly enjoyed our trip to see Cinderella in Fareham, which was very special indeed.

Thank you to the Friends

A huge thank you to all the Friends for their hard work in organising and running the children's Christmas Shopping afternoon, the very successful Christmas Market, and organising mulled wine, hot chocolate and mince pies for the Christmas performances. These events took months of planning, hard work and much dedication by everyone involved. It is events like these that help to ensure that the weeks leading up to Christmas remain a very special time for the children in our school.

Behaviour certificates

This week, many children will be receiving a special behaviour certificate to celebrate their excellent behaviour over the term. We are particularly proud of the children who receive a certificate for behaviour, so please celebrate this success at home with your child as well.

I will not be issuing attendance certificates this term as an unprecedented amount of children have been so poorly this term. However, I'd like to take this opportunity to thank all parents for ensuring that their child's attendance is otherwise excellent (except when they are poorly).

INSET on 14th February

On Friday 14th February (the day before half term) school will be closed for an INSET day.

A reminder...

School finishes at **1.00pm today** and term starts for all children on Monday 6th January 2025.

On behalf of myself, all the staff and Governors at Buriton Primary School, I would like to wish you all a very Happy Christmas and healthy New Year to you and your families. Thank you for your good wishes, gifts and support this term and we look forward to seeing you in the New Year.

Yours sincerely

Danielle Brown

Mrs Brown, Headteacher