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This Week

John Lewis Carol Singing: Some students from Seniors will be carol singing at John Lewis in Horsham on **Thursday 5th December at 11am**. Everyone is welcome to join them.

Christmas Play/Nativity Performances: Our Primary Christmas performances will be on **Tuesday 10th December at 1.30** and **Wednesday 11th December at 11.00**. There are now some additional tickets remaining, which can be booked via the link that was sent out to parents & carers.

Christmas Play Parking: Please remember we have **no parking available** on the school site. If you are attending the Christmas Play/Nativity performances, please park nearby, while being considerate of our neighbours and their access, then walk in to school.

Christmas Carol Concert: This year's Seniors Christmas Carol Concert will be held at St. John's church in Broadbridge Heath on **Friday 6th December** from **10.15-11.30**. All parents/carers are welcome to join us.

QEII Glows: We are launching an exciting Christmas event "QEII Glows", which will be on the evening of **Wednesday 4th December** from **4.30-6pm**. Please see the flyer that was sent out with the previous newsletters for more information. **Springboard Project Info:** Please see the attached three flyers with information from the Springboard Project.

FACE Information: Please see the attached newsletter and timetable from the Family Advice Centre.

Tesco Stronger Starts: Thank you to everyone who used their blue tokens to vote for us in local Tesco branches. We are delighted to have come first, which means the school will be receiving a donation of $\pounds 1500!$

Wine Donation: William Reed once again donated a valuable crate of wine to us, which was then auctioned on our behalf by Bellmans Auctioneers, raising a brilliant £2700 for us! Thank you to both companies for their ongoing support.

Christmas Jumper Day: Next **Friday**, **6th December**, it is Christmas Jumper Day. Everyone is invited to wear a Christmas jumper to school. We are fundraising for Save the Children and request a suggested donation of £2 per jumper-wearer please.

Headteacher's Award Winners

Bridget, **Balloonists**: Counting in her head whilst practising tens and ones in place value maths lessons this week.

Riley, **Balloonists**: Attending all of his phonics reading comprehension sessions this month. **Amber**, **Trailblazers**: Swimming half a length without a noodle.

Yoimoji of the Week: Jambop

This week's Yoimoji was Jambop the brave raccoon. We are using "Yoimojis" in our Assemblies, to help with learning and celebrating OFSTED's Fundamental British Values. Yoimoji is a blend of the Japanese words "voi" (good) and "emoji" (slang for character.) You can

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Letters Home

Year 8 Students: HPV Vaccination letter. (Sent by email.) Outstanding Year 10/11 Students: Td/IPV and MenACWY vaccinations letter. (Email.) Year 9 Students: Tetanus, diptheria, polio & meningitis ACWY vaccinations letter. (Email.)

Class News from Adventurers

As part of our Stargazer topic, Adventurers have been learning about the moon landing as well as properties of materials and what different materials are used for. This week, Adventurers have been challenged to find appropriate materials and make rockets to keep their egg-astronaut safe. Adventurers selected materials generally made from paper, plastic and fabric for their rockets. We are happy to report that no eggs were harmed in the making a trip to the tufftray-moon!

