

# Friday Letter for Parents and Carers



## Headteacher Update 10th December 2021

### Diary Dates

#### December

13th Christingle Service  
20th Dec-3rd Jan Christmas  
Holidays

#### January

26th/27th Hob Moor Oaks at  
the Movies

Can you beat Christmas jumper day? The children look amazing and the kitchen staff have made a wonderful Christmas lunch! A massive thank you for all your support, time and feedback following our Christmas fair! The reindeers were a big hit - for staff and children! Father Christmas and his Elves did an amazing job. We still have some pennies to count but we have currently raised over £900. THANK YOU!

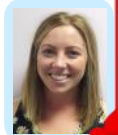
### Happy Birthday this week to:



Our school trips have been very special this week and we continue to have more next week. From Father Christmas visits to walks in Stockeld Park to wheelchair ice skating! Thank you to the staff for their energies towards these trips, classes haven't been on the mini-bus and out of school for a really long time due to the pandemic so it was has been a huge achievement for all involved. Thank you.

Next week we finish our Christmas preparations with our virtual Christingle service. The children will bring their Christingles home next week. Have a wonderful festival weekend. Olivia

Olivia



## Seedlings



Christmas is in full swing in Seedlings class. We are enjoying lots of Christmas music, making some beautiful Christmas crafts and we had a wonderful time visiting Santa on our class trip. We have done some dressing up in Christmas costumes and added a shimmer of glitter to most of the classroom. We have also been very lucky to welcome a new little Seedling, Maeve, to our group. Merry Christmas everyone!





## Golden Leaf Awards 10th December 2021

<b>Seedlings</b>	<b>Maeve for a super start to Hob Moor Oaks</b>
<b>Acorns</b>	<b>Katie for carrying your own feed bag all the way to the sensory room and back!</b>
<b>Blossoms</b>	<b>Theo for making a 3 part sentence to request favoured objects and travelling with your sentence strip</b>
<b>Twigs</b>	<b>Hussein for using his sense of touch to navigate the sensory theatre and find the waterbed</b>
<b>Saplings</b>	<b>Harrison for working hard to focus at dinnertimes</b>
<b>Buds</b>	<b>Riley for doing so well on his first school trip and showing amazing confidence in the park</b>
<b>Branches</b>	<b>Leon for great work learning to read new words</b>
<b>Roots</b>	<b>Aaron for developing water confidence in the pool at Energise</b>
<b>Boughs</b>	<b>Frank for happily showing his family around the Christmas fair and calmly re-joining class</b>
<b>Trunks</b>	<b>Harry for doing amazing in rebound, following instructions and doing good waiting</b>
<b>Catkins</b>	<b>Benjamin and Asher for initiating play with a friend</b>
<b>Oak Leaves</b>	<b>Freya for great effort in maths this week- Freya can name common 2d shapes!</b>
<b>Oak Trees</b>	<b>Joe for writing an excellent book review in English</b>
	<b>Olivia's Outstanding Award</b>
	<b>Evan P for the best Christmas outfits throughout the month of December!</b>