



Angel Road Newsletter



04.12.2020

Christmas Cards – a very COVID Christmas at Angel Road

This year, children can still bring Christmas cards in for their friends if they would like to. However, it is important that we put in place some controls to help prevent the spread of infection:

- ◆ Christmas cards can only be brought in on either **Monday 7th, Tuesday 8th or Monday 14th December;**
- ◆ They must be put into a collection box which will be left outside the classrooms;
- ◆ Cards will be quarantined for 72 hours and handed out in the afternoons of **Friday 11th and Thursday 17th December.**

Please explain to your child that they **cannot just hand out cards to their friends for safety reasons and they must put them in the box** on either a Monday or a Tuesday.

A COVID Christmas -Infant School and Nursery

- We are working very hard to find safe ways to celebrate Christmas in school.
- We have made referrals The Salvation Army's Toys 'n' Tins appeal where toys and food have been donated to families to try and make a difference at this time of year.
- Staff collected 23 bags of food for donation to families, 11 families have received these so far. Please contact Miss Blythe if you know of a family in need or feel you would benefit from a food parcel.
- Children have been decorating their classrooms this week and staff are planning some craft activities for the children during the last week of term.
- Nursery parties will take place as planned when Nursery reopens.

The children and staff usually create some kind of performance for parents to attend at this time of year but we feel this would be irresponsible to encourage large numbers of families to gather so close to the holiday period. We are planning to put together a performance of sorts incorporating some Talk4Writing (storytelling with actions) and singing, however this may be more difficult than we anticipated with bubbles self isolating at this time.

FSM vouchers over the Christmas holidays

If your child currently receives Free School Meals (FSM), we will be providing you with a £15 a week food voucher from Edenred. This has been funded by Norfolk County Council's Winter package. If you currently receive FSM's, it is essential that we have your **correct email address**.

If you think you may be eligible for FSM – please contact the school office and we will send you a form to complete.

Christmas Colouring Competition

NARS (Norfolk Accident Rescue Service charity) would like to invite you to take part in a **Christmas colouring competition!**

The image you need to colour is on the last page of the Newsletter. If you are unable to print at home, please email the office and we shall give a copy to your child to bring home. The winner will receive a **£20 Langleys toy store gift voucher.**

There are two age categories: ages up to 7 and 8years +
Entries can be either:

- ◆ scanned and emailed to enquiries@nars.org.uk
- ◆ posted to: NARS, Millbanks, Hall Lane, Dereham, Norfolk, NR20 3GG
- ◆ sent back via the school office.

Please remember to include the name, contact phone number, email and the age of artist.

Closing date for entries is **Friday 18th December**

NARS will do our best to showcase entries on their Facebook page



FIND *hope* THIS CHRISTMAS 

JOIN US
FOR SPECIAL EVENTS THROUGH DECEMBER

Sunday 13 December 3:30pm - Christmas Messy Church
Christingle Special - Family fun with games, craft and Bible stories

Sunday 20 December from 9:00am - Christmas Carol Celebration
Available on the Surrey Chapel YouTube channel

Sunday 20 December 5:00pm & 7:00pm - Car Park Carols
Drive in, wear a Christmas Jumper, belt out some carols and experience the Nativity Story afresh
RCP Car Park, Botolph Street. Standing room for pedestrians too

Friday 25 December 10:00am - Christmas Day Service
At Surrey Chapel (covid-safe) and live on YouTube

surrey chapel
— NORWICH —

www.surreychapel.org.uk
tel: 01603 619555

Dates for the Diary

- 06.12.2020 - Last orders for Christmas Lunch
- 10.12.2020 - Last day for Donations of bags of sugar for 'Sugar for Shelters'
- 16.12.2020 - Christmas Lunch
- 16.12.2020 - Wear your Festive Wear, £1 donation for *Save the Children*
- 17.12.2020 - School breaks for holiday
- 05.01.2021 - School open to children for Spring Term 2021



Get a taste of Christmas.

Aspens are proud to present Christmas Lunch!!!

to be served Wednesday 16th December

*Turkey, Sage & Onion Stuffing, Chipolata
or
Sage & Onion Crumbed Quorn Roast*

both served with ultimate roasties, Christmas veg & gravy

Homemade Christmas Cookie

If you require a Vegan meal, please email the school offices.
Infant and Junior school meals are available to book using the
ParentMail cashless system.

Last date for ordering is be 6th December

We would also like to invite the children to dress in their 'Festive Wear' on the 16th December too. A £1 donation for *Save the Children* should be handed to the teacher on the day.





Junior School Star of the Week



Congratulations to these children who have been chosen by their teachers and classmates to be this week's 'Star of the Week'.

Well Done for getting your certificate.

These are just a few of the reasons why they have been chosen:

3B - Lily-Mae - She completed some fantastic learning on Seesaw.

3P - Lennon - I think he is a genius, if I ask him a question he always gets the answer right!

4L - Evelyn - She is a great friend due to her kind nature and outgoing personality.

4G - Firdaws - fantastic listening and participating in lessons.

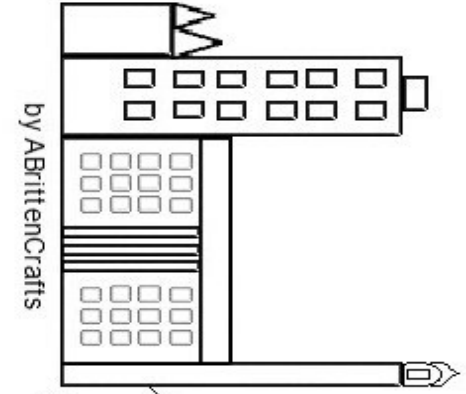
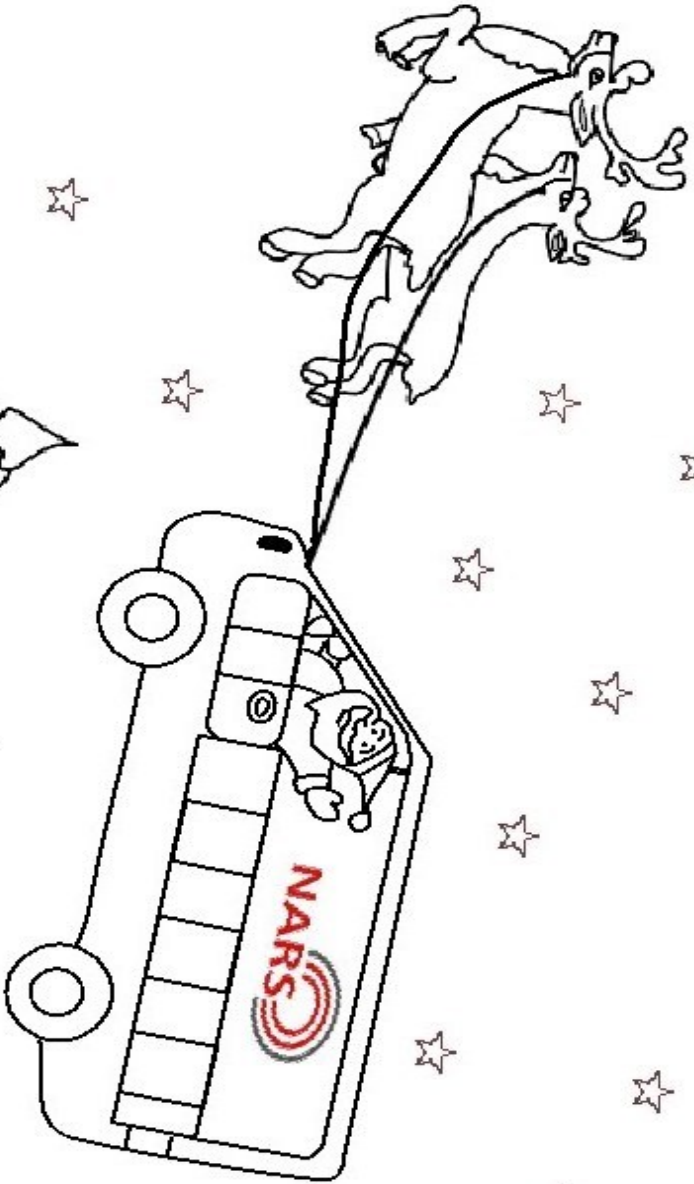
4PK - Katie - She is kind, friendly, hardworking and always has a smile on her face.

5N - Eleanor - She has lovely handwriting and she is hardworking and smart.

6H - Sarah - She is great at maths and does lots of extra work at home.

6D - Kieran - He is a great friend, very kind and extremely funny.





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