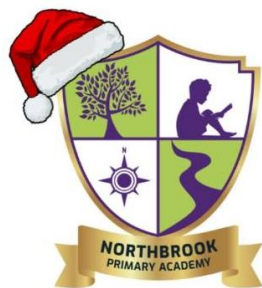
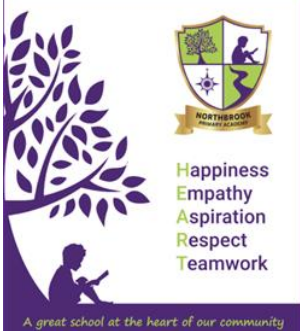


FRIDAY



LETTER

Friday 9th December 2022



VALUE FOCUS

This half-term our value focus is **empathy**. We are challenging all the children to:

- ✓ To treat each other with care and compassion.
- ✓ To listen to each other and show kindness.
- ✓ To support to each other through difficult times.



★ The Star of the Week Award Winners:

Reception	Oliver Mc & Harley T
Year 1	Cohvan F & Reggie B
Year 2	Correy L-D & Aaron P
Year 3	Medi M & Jaxon D
Year 4	Poppy H & Cemil O
Year 5	Robyn F & Erin F
Year 6	Rorey W & Vinny B



THIS WEEK'S BEST ATTENDANCE GOES TO...

Year 5 & 6

96.8%

Well done!



House Team Competition: Each week in the 'Friday Celebration Assembly' we have been checking the totals of the house points. Last half-term the **Red team** won the competition but who are the current leaders...

Red Team	2235
Yellow Team	1959
Blue	1118
Green Team	1114

Well done to the **Red team** for maintaining lead this week!



Recognition Awards..

Well done to Harry and Elsie in Year 6 who have passed their Silver swimming award! Such an important life skill and an award that tested if they could



Special recognition also goes to Robyn in Year 5, who has been raising money for the 'Little Princess Trust'. Little Princess Trust is a charity that provides real hair wigs, free of charge, to children and young people who have lost their own hair through cancer. She has already rased £400 after having her golden locks cut and will no doubt raside a higher total figure. If you would like to support Robyn you can donate through the just giving page

www.justgiving.com/page/robynsbigchop



We are so proud of all the children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 for a fantastic nativity. Well done everyone! More photos linked [Here ...](#)



**KS 2
Christmas
Performance**
Thursday 8th December 1:30pm and 6:00pm

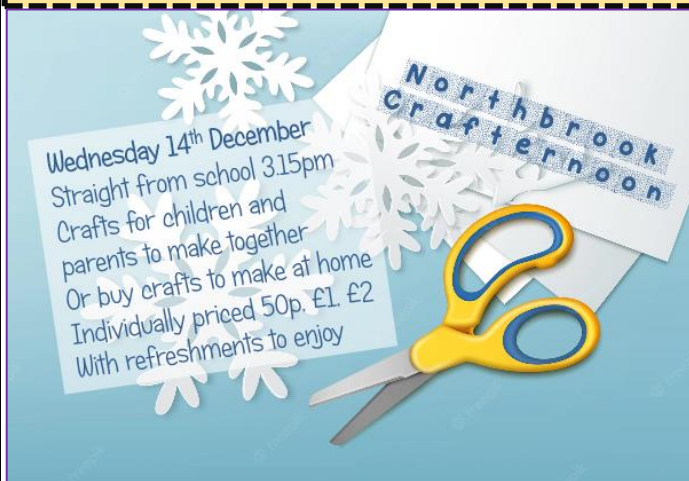
Superb! We are brimming with pride. Well done to all the children in Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6. A thoughtful and educational presentation of Santa's journey around the globe...



More photographs are linked [here](#) on our website...



Important messages



Wednesday 14th December
Straight from school 3.15pm
Crafts for children and
parents to make together
Or buy crafts to make at home
Individually priced 50p. £1. £2
With refreshments to enjoy

**Northbrook
Crafternoon**

We warmly invite you to the NPA 'Seasonal Crafternoon' on Wednesday 14th December, 3:15pm to 5:00pm.



Friends of Northbrook News: If anyone would like to get the inside info on FON, why not join our WhatsApp group? Just email friendsofnorthbrook@gmail.com and ask to be added, or speak to a member of staff at school and they'll point you in the right direction!



**GIVE
A GIFT**

We will be running a special event on Thursday next week, during which all our children could select a gift to take home for a loved one. In order for the event to work we need good quality gifts that we can wrap with the children and then they can take home and enjoy the happiness we all all feel by giving a gift to someone special.



This is the final call for any items at home that we could use as gifts or donations of gifts, suitable for parents, grandparents and siblings.
Please drop them into the school office by Wednesday 14th December. Thank you!



HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES 
 Monday 19 to Thursday 29 December

Free Christmas Pantomime Aladdin
 23 December - two performances

Fun activities and a healthy meal for children on free school meals, during the Christmas Holidays, book your child's place now!

- FREE Activities for all children on free school meals
- FREE Meal with every session
- Activities include swimming, tennis, gymnastics, boxing, kick boxing, football and arts & crafts
- PLUS our incredible 'jungle and football' inflatable play zone

For children aged 4-16
 To view the timetable and book your child's place, please visit the website below or email us at haf@southribble.gov.uk



southribble.gov.uk/haf

Holiday Activities & Food: South Ribble Borough Council is delivering a programme of holiday activities for children over the Christmas holidays.

The Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) scheme aims to provide healthy food and enriching activities for **children aged 5 to 16 who are eligible for free school meals.**

There will be a variety of activities on offer at venues across the borough.

This provision:

- Is free of charge
- Offers fun activities and experiences
- Includes a meal and refreshments



If you need more information or want to book please use the link here – www.southribble.gov.uk/haf

The weeks leading up to the Christmas break... To give parents as much notice as possible we have listed the key dates for the last week below...

- **Wednesday 14th December** – Christmas Lunch and Christmas Party day (non-uniform day Christmas themed jumpers can be worn).
- **Thursday 15th December** – We will have a special visitor in school who wears a big red suit. We wonder who that can be? Also, our 'Give A Gift' afternoon...
- **Friday 16th December** – School finishes at 2.10/2.15pm.



If you need to contact me at school please do not hesitate to email m.cunniffe@northbrookpa.org
Tel: 01772 421599 [Contact Us | Northbrook Primary Academy](#)

See you on Monday 12th December. Have a fantastic weekend!