



Dear Parents

10 December 2010

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Dates for the last week of term

Friday 10 th December	Hillside Carol Service 7.00 pm St Andrew's Church, Thorpe St Andrew
Tuesday 14 th December	Reception Christmas Play 10.00 am Nursery Christmas Play 11.00 am and 2.45 pm
Wednesday 15 th December	Reception Christmas Play 10.00 am
Thursday 16 th December	School Christmas Lunch. Please remember your child will not need a packed lunch if they have ordered a school Christmas Lunch.
Friday 17 th December	Last day of term. School finishes at 2.30 pm
Monday 20th December to Tuesday 4th January	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY
Wednesday 5 th January	Children return to school for Spring Term Half term is from 21st to 25th February Term ends on Friday 8th April 2011.

School Carol Service

Our annual Carol Service is this Friday at 7.00 pm, in St Andrew's Church. This event is always very crowded so you need to arrive early to be sure of a seat.

School Meals

School meals cost £2 per day. **Please send money for any meals ordered for that week into school on Monday morning.** Payment should be in a sealed envelope with your child's name, class and the amount enclosed clearly marked on the front, together with a note of which days a meal is required. From January 2011 cheques for school meals should be made payable to '**Hillside Avenue School**' and **NOT** to Norfolk County Council.

Milk Bottle Tops

We have been given some bags of plastic milk bottle tops but unfortunately no longer have anyone to pass them on to. If anyone is aware of a charity who still collects them perhaps you would let the school office know.

Hillside Nursery

We are trying to finalise our list of Nursery admissions for next September. If you are, or you know anyone who is planning to apply for a place in the Nursery in September, could you please check that the school office have details on file.

Next week will be my last week as Headteacher prior to my retirement. I have really enjoyed working at Hillside. It's a wonderful school and I feel privileged to have worked with the children, parents, staff and governors for the last four and a half years. I wish your children continued happiness and success at school and I wish you all a Merry Christmas.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Richardson
Headteacher

