



# Ardleigh St. Mary's Church of England Primary School (Voluntary Controlled) Primary School



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### Happy Christmas!

The Children, Staff and Governors would like to wish you all a very merry Christmas and a happy new year.

We hope you have a fabulous break and we will see you again in 2017!



### Methodist Church

Last Friday afternoon the whole school went to Ardleigh Methodist Church to join them in their Christmas Service.

The Methodist Ministers told stories, taught the children some new songs and we performed some of our songs too; we had been asked to sing three of our songs and so the children sang 'Imagine if you can', 'Starry Night' and 'It's a Long Way on a Donkey'.

We always enjoy going to the Methodist Church and we would like to thank everyone associated for inviting us again this year.

### Christmas Concert

On Monday evening members of Class 3 and Class 4 and the Choir (which included pupils from Class 2) took part in our Christmas Concert in St. Mary's Church, Ardleigh.

It was an evening of entertainment which included singing, readings, children playing the keyboard and ukuleles and a dance!

It was lovely to see so many people in the audience and we would like to thank you all for coming.

It was a most enjoyable event and as Reverend Antony commented - 'It was extremely heartwarming!'



#### Meals - Lunch Menu

The menu for the week beginning 02.01.17 is Menu 45



#### Additional Letters

## Dates For Your Diary

- \*21.12.16 Break up
- \*05.01.17 Return to School
- \*11.01.17 Squash lessons start for Class 3
- \*11.01.17 Hygiene Angels - Class 1 and Class 2 - am
- \*11.01.17 Pestaurant - Class 3 and Class 4 - pm
- \*12.01.17 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Enrichment Activity - Cookery Workshop - aimed at Y3 @ Bradfield Primary School - details to follow
- \*16.01.17 Ardleigh Community Award - Visit from Friends at Mistley Manor to meet with Y6
- \*17.01.17 Full Governing Body meeting - 6.30pm start
- \*20.01.17 Essex Schools Games Squash Competition - details to follow
- \*26.01.17 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Enrichment Activity - Cookery Workshop - aimed at Y2 @ Wix and Wrabness Primary School - details to follow
- \*26.01.17 Manningtree High School Music Event for Year 5 pupils - details to follow
- \*02.02.17 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Enrichment Activity - Music Workshop - aimed at Y4 @ Wix and Wrabness Primary School - details to follow
- \*06.02.17 Young Voices Concert @ The O2 Arena, London
- \*07.02.17 Manningtree High School 'Guys and Dolls' Production - Class 4 - details to follow
- \*09.02.17 Tendring Small Schools' Cluster Enrichment Activity - Computing Workshop - aimed at Y6 @ Langham Primary School - details to follow
- \*10.02.17 Break up
- \*20.02.17 Non Pupil Day
- \*21.02.17 Return to School

### Non Pupil Days

Monday 20th February 2017  
Monday 5th June 2017



Please don't forget, if you have any issues or queries you want to discuss with any member of Staff please come in and speak to us.

Have a lovely break.

Take care - From all at Ardleigh St. Mary's



*Merry  
Christmas*

