

WEEKLY DIGEST



A Message from the Heads

Dear Parents

At the time of writing, it is the fifth day of advent; whether this means another chocolate in the calendar or the countdown to a holy day, it reminds us that we continue to look forward, to the future. Over the last week, we have spent a great deal of time planning joint ventures and experiences, and the Senior Leadership Teams have been preparing a very full calendar for the term ahead, to include many exciting events and opportunities.

As we plan ahead, looking forward, we do hope you enjoy looking back at all the achievements of our stars of the week. There will be a bumper edition newsletter next week to include a whole host of activities and festivities.

With best wishes



Daniel Cummings
Headmaster



Dina Mallett
Headmistress



NURSERY NEWS

Dear Parents,

We have had a very busy week at both Purley and South Croydon getting ready for Christmas. We welcomed two new members of staff, Miss Bennett and Miss Mourtage to our South Croydon team, who are working with the children transforming the nursery in to a winter wonderland.



The Nursery has been rehearsing daily for the upcoming concerts which will take place this Thursday, Friday and Monday and Tuesday of next week. Please see the calendar for details.

Our children's Christmas lunch will be held on Wednesday 13th December and Christmas Jumper Day will be held on Friday 15th December, there will be a £2 donation to local charities.

Have a good week

Carole Finch
Head of Nursery



More glitter than 'Strictly' as we continue our Christmas crafts.

SCHOOL NEWS



Stars of the Week:

Awarded: Friday 1 December 2017

CLASS	STARS	REASON
RC	Ibrahim	For always doing his best to be his best self, and for being very sensible.
RM	Medina Zahra	For excellent understanding of subtraction.
RN	Rahavan	For being a great 'Bossy King' in the Nativity.
1M	Maya-Devi	For having a really positive attitude towards learning and for always having a smile on her face.
1S	Gideon	For becoming more confident at playtimes.
1SC	Rachna	For excellent work in science and identifying the characteristics of a fish.
1T	Kaylan	For listening carefully and concentrating well.
2C	James	For trying really hard with his handwriting and number work.
2G	Riyan	For trying so hard with all of his work this week.
2H	Ayla	For learning her lines for the play and delivering her role enthusiastically every time.
2L	Isabella	For trying hard to use contrasting and comparative vocabulary in her writing about the Isle of Struay and Croydon.
Special Teachers Award	Zaynab	For independently finding out what our liver does.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Elfridges

On Tuesday 12th December, our exclusive Elfridges comes to Cumnor Girls School, and the elves have been busy! We have gifts for everyone - Mums, Dads, siblings, aunts, uncles, grandparents and friends. The girls can do their entire Christmas shopping at school! Gifts are priced from £3-£7 and come pre-wrapped so all the girls need to do is place them under the tree.

Cumnor House School for Girls
Parents Association

**ELFRIDGES
CHRISTMAS SHOP**



**Why not surprise your parents, grand
parents and brothers & sisters
this Christmas!**



**Come and buy them a
special surprise
Christmas present**

**Tuesday
12th December
ALL DAY**
(girls will visit during school time so please
send them in with pocket money)

**Presents are priced at
From £2 to £6 each**

All presents are pre-wrapped
and come with gift tags.

Please bring money with you
on Tuesday morning



UPCOMING EVENTS

Santa is coming to Lord Roberts on the Green!

Come down and visit Santa at Lord Roberts on the Green this Christmas! Children can post their letters to the North Pole and visit Santa and the Elves at the same time!

Tickets are £12.50 which includes a gift and the opportunity to take many photos of this magical moment!

Don't forget to mention Cumnor House School when booking the tickets!

TICKETS INCLUDE A GIFT & PARENTS ARE ABLE TO TAKE UNLIMITED PHOTOGRAPHS

TICKETS £12.50
PLEASE MENTION CHS BOYS/NURSERY SCHOOL WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS!

POST YOUR LETTER TO THE NORTH POLE AND VISIT SANTA AND HIS ELVES AT THE SAME TIME!!

Come and visit
Santa's Grotto

8th to 24th December
10am-3pm

LORD ROBERTS
19 UPPER WOODCOTE VILLAGE
PURLEY
CR8 3HF

CALL 0208 660 2000 TO BOOK
OR ASK A MEMBER OF STAFF IN STORE

UPCOMING EVENTS

Beauty & the Beast Pantomime

Tickets are now available for “Beauty and the Beast by the West End Pantomime Company” at School Hall - Cumnor House School for Girls, Purley on Thursday 14 December 2017 at 2:15PM. Click the link for further information and to secure your tickets now! <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/date/427273>



The West End Pantomime Company comes to Cumnor!!

This year the girls will be treated to a fantastic interactive performance of Beauty and the Beast. This will take place on the afternoon of 14th December 2017 during school time so no one will miss out.

Price is £8 per girl or £15 for two siblings

Join Beauty on her brave journey to a mysterious castle, hidden deep in an enchanted forest. As the audience share enchanted castle life with Beauty and the Beast, we help them learn the true meaning of friendship and fun in this re-imagined tale where both Beauty *and* the Beast are trapped in his castle. Beauty's magical adventure, with her new friend the Beast, shows us all that kindness and beauty are much more than skin deep...



Starring
Mel Giedroyc
as the voice of the Magic Mirror

CALENDAR

Next Week: Cumnor House Boys Calendar

THU 7TH	Carol Service preparation and rehearsal, Croydon Minster Willows Christmas concert, Cumnor House Nursery, South Croydon Carol Service, Croydon Minster	2.00pm—4.00pm 2.00pm 7.00pm—9.30pm
FRI 8TH	Silver Birches Christmas concert, Cumnor House Nursery South Croydon	2.00pm—2.30pm
SAT 9TH	Swim to Win—Week 12 U11A Danes Hill Rugby Festival	9.00am—1.00pm 8.00am
SUN 10TH	Swim to Win—Week 12	9.00am—1.00pm
MON 11TH	Little Acorns & Pines, Christmas concert Cumnor House Nursery	2.00pm—2.30pm
TUES 12TH	Chestnuts, Christmas concert, Cumnor House Nursery	2.00pm—2.30pm
WED 13TH		
THU 14TH		
FRI 15TH	End of Term Reception, Purley Year 1 & 2 Year 3 & 4 Year 5 & 6 Year 7 & 8 Peter Pan, Redhill Parents' Association pantomime event	11.45am 12.00pm 12.10pm 12.30pm 12.45pm 2.00pm

CALENDAR

Next Week: Cumnor House Girls Calendar

THU 7TH	Reception class to Christmas Craft Workshop, Christ's Church, Purley	9.00am—11.00am
FRI 8TH	Clubs finish	
SAT 9TH		
SUN 10TH		
MON 11TH		
TUES 12TH	Christmas Jumper Day Christmas lunch and parties Elfridges	
WED 13TH	KS2 Carol Service Practice	
THU 14TH	KS2 Carol Service Practice, St Mark's Church Beauty and the Beast visit to school KS2 Carole Service , St Mark's Church	9.00am 2.15pm 6.00pm
FRI 15TH	End of Term Reception Year 1 – 3 Year 4—6	11.45am 12.00pm 12.15pm

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