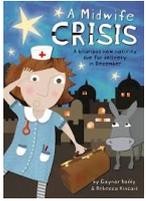


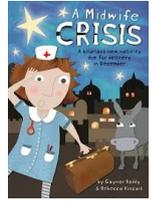


Newsletter

Monday 10th December 2018



Tickets for the Performance of A Midwife Crisis



Thank you for your prompt purchasing of tickets to see our Performance this Thursday. As you will know, extra tickets have gone on sale this morning via School Money - School Shop.

Purchased tickets will be sent home over the next two days.

Arrangements for the Performance

Afternoon Performance

The Performance starts at 1.30pm. Doors will be open from 1.00pm.

The Performance should end at around 2.30pm. Children will be escorted back to school where they can be collected from. For Parents not attending the afternoon session, children can be collected from school at the usual end time of 3.30pm.

Evening Performance

The performance starts at 6.30pm. Doors will be open from 6.00pm.

Children will need to be brought to school at 6.00pm **dressed in their costumes**. Staff will then escort the children to the Community Centre.

Following the performance, the children will be escorted back to school to be collected.

At each performance there will be a raffle, with a chance to win a luxury Children's Christmas Hamper and a luxury Adult's Christmas Hamper.

We really look forward to seeing family and friends at each of our performances!

A polite request

The children and staff have worked extremely hard as always, to make their Christmas Performance the best yet.

Last year, following the evening performance, I received a number of comments from Parents, staff and some of our children who said they found it really hard to concentrate due to a minority of adults and some older and younger siblings causing distractions during the actual performance.

I respectfully ask that consideration is shown and that everyone can enjoy what promises to be a thoroughly delightful Christmas Play.

Thank you.

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A very big thank you to the staff and children of Happy Hours for being so accommodating throughout our rehearsals—THANK YOU!

Weather related School Closure Procedures

Schools in Staffordshire have been asked to update Parents in relation to their School Closure Procedures.

Wherever possible, we open our school at times when weather warnings are issued. We are very conscious of the impact that school closure can have on families and children if we make the decision to close the school.

At a point when weather warnings are issued, the school follows a number of procedures to ensure that it is appropriate to open.

Factors considered include:

- Access routes to the school for both staff, parents and children (we appreciate many families travel by car, and many staff have to drive considerable distances to school)
- The weather forecast and conditions at the time
- The safety of the school site

We provide parents with as much notice as possible. We send a text message and an email message informing Parents if the decision has been made to close the school. If Parents do not receive a text or email informing them of a school closure, then they should assume that the school is open as usual.

If a decision is made for the school to open following initial checks, this decision will be reviewed throughout the day as factors may change. If at any point we are forced to close during the school day, we will make every effort to ensure parents are notified quickly and parents, children and staff can leave the school and return home safely.

These judgments are always difficult and we appreciate your patience and support at these times.

Thank you.