



**Good bye and Good Luck to William who leaves us next week .Thank you for being such a special part of our school. X**

# Keelham Primary School

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**Miss Butler's News**  
**Be Kind, Persevere, Succeed.**



This will be my last newsletter to you in what has been a very unusual and testing year.

There is indeed a new normal to everyday life now and this is no different within school. It has tested us all and I am proud that our qualities have led the way. We have a clear, shared vision for the school and for the children in our care and a dedicated, experienced and capable staff who work so hard every day. We have children who excite, challenge and amaze us daily, a community of families that support and work in partnership and I hope, a leadership that has listened, led by example and put the children first.

I have of course been reflecting back on the last 13 years and how far we have come as a school: the improvements made in every department, not least the building and learning environment, the children and families who have made their mark at Keelham and have now moved on. There have been so many enriching experiences shared with the children, the hard work put in to achieving so highly in both academic and in out of class successes and the perseverance and determination shown in moving forward as a school every year.

Keelham is a special place and it is a school that has developed its own sense of purpose and unique personality. I trust I have left the school in a strong position to move forward and it now continues to build on these special qualities in the future. Moving into 2021, let us hope that everyone's future is more secure and the New Year brings fresh hope and well-being for all.

Thank you for sharing this very important part of my life with me. Debra Butler Head teacher 2007-2020.

## Upcoming events

### Friday 11th December

Christmas jumper/  
Christmas non uniform  
day– Virtual panto for  
all classes!

Tuesday 15th Decem-  
ber Christmas lunch  
for KS1 AND FS ( KS  
2 Christmas themed  
packed lunch available  
only)

Wednesday 16th De-  
cember Christmas  
lunch for KS2 ( KS 1  
and FS Christmas  
themed packed lunch  
available only)

Thursday 17th De-  
cember –Christmas  
themed end of term  
non uniform day- Party  
days for all classes.

**After school sports  
clubs– all clubs end  
today 10th December**

**As the letter sent  
9/12/20 already out-  
lined....**

**School closes  
THURSDAY 17th DE-  
CEMBER and re  
opens Monday 4th  
January 2021 .**

## Keelham Christmas Notices –



Tuesday and Wednesday  
are our Christmas lunch  
days.( see diary  
dates) ..yummy!

Our thanks go to the  
kitchen staff who work so  
hard not only for these  
days but throughout the  
year.

Please note the  
Christmas packed lunch  
option is only available  
on these days for those  
classes not involved.

**Santa** has left a small  
present for each child and  
says sorry for not being  
able to visit us in school  
this year. These will be  
given out on Thursday  
17th ...if you've been good!



Thank you to Robert-  
shaw's Farm Shop for  
the donation of our  
Christmas tree which  
is now sparkling in our  
school hall.



**Virtual pantomime day tomorrow 11th De-  
cember ..Robin Hood show for all children  
in school**

**NON UNIFORM Christmas jumper/themed  
day £1 donation for FKPA please .**

**Thursday 17th  
December—end of term  
Party Day– non uniform  
party/Christmas themed  
day £1 donation to FKPA**

**The FKPA have provided the  
virtual pantomime for the  
children this year and have  
also prepared all the food  
and games for each class  
party for the 17th so that they  
can take place in safety and  
we can end the year off with  
fun.**

**We thank the FKPA for their  
hard work during the year  
and especially for their  
efforts to ensure there is an  
enjoyable Christmas in  
school this year, despite  
everything! Please remember  
£1 donations to help fund  
these and future events.**

**We hope also to have a class  
carol singing session on the  
17th too to remember the  
lovely services in the church  
we have shared together in  
the past.**

