

# Saffron Green's Newsletter

Friday 18th December 2020



Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to the final newsletter of the autumn term and what a term it has been. It has been fun and interesting ensuring that all the children get the best learning possible in spite of all the restrictions that Covid-19 has brought us. Equally as challenging has been how to ensure that all the children experience all the joy that the Christmas season brings into our lives, with regards to that I believe the whole Saffron Green team has done pretty well.

The children were able to enjoy producing their Nativity plays and I hope that you have all been successful in watching them online through the link sent out to you by email.

Also please see below some wonderful photos which show how much the children have enjoyed the festive season. Especially in KS2 where they were able to make Christingles and light them during our outside carol service. We really did miss being able to visit Holy Cross Church this year.

Lastly, please do remember, that the Government have asked that you continue to report any cases of Covid-19, within your household, to the school up to and including 24 December 2020. As mentioned in a letter sent to you yesterday, the email address for reporting this is [reportcovid@saffrongreen.herts.sch.uk](mailto:reportcovid@saffrongreen.herts.sch.uk) this inbox will be checked daily.

All that is left is to wish you a joyful, peaceful and safe Christmas and wish you all well for 2021 and let us hope that we get some normality back into our lives during 2021.

Best wishes  
Linda Storey  
Headteacher

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## **Inconsiderate Parking**

This photo was sent in by a neighbour and was taken on Monday morning, 14.12.2020 at 8.51am.

Would all parents/carers please park legally and considerately.



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## **KS2 Christmas Carol Service**

Thank you to Sheba, Carly and Vicky for our amazing Christmas Lunch.



## **Diary Dates**

Tuesday 5th January 2021

Children's First Day Back

**New and extended Nursery Hours at Saffron Green from April 2021**

**New Hours 8am to 6pm—Monday to Friday**

# PLAY YOUR PART

## What is self-isolation?

Self-isolation means that you must not leave your home except in an emergency

### Do not:

- X** visit family or friends
- X** go to any shops or supermarkets
- X** go outside to exercise or walk your dog
- X** go to work, university, college or school
- X** use public transport, taxis or share a car
- X** attend parties or other events, even if these are outside

If you are worried about your finances or emotional wellbeing, struggling with shopping or feeling isolated then help is available to you through HertsHelp, our countywide information advice and support line:

Email:  
**info@hertshelp.net**

Telephone:  
**0300 123 4044**

Or visit:  
**www.hertshelp.net**



### When should I self-isolate and how long for?

	Days
If you develop symptoms (a fever, new cough or loss of taste or sense of smell)	10
If you test positive for COVID-19	10
If you've been told you're in close contact with someone who has tested positive	14
If you have been contacted by the Test and Trace service	14
If you live in a household where others (including children) develop symptoms or they have tested positive	14
If you have been sent home and told to self-isolate as part of a bubble. Other household members do not need to self-isolate unless someone in the household develops symptoms or tests positive	14

If you develop symptoms, book a test at **www.nhs.uk** or call **119**



## **Borehamwood Food Bank**

You are welcome to join us for:

# **Christmas Holiday School Lunches and Activities**

We will be open on

**Wednesday 23rd December and  
Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> December**

**11.00am to 1.00pm**

Children's food bags full of festive treats, craft activities – make your own gift box and gifts, cookery packs to cook together at home, and family games.

St Teresa's Church Hall, 291 Shenley Road

No Booking Necessary, Everyone Welcome!

**Hertfordshire School Immunisation Team**

5 Portmill Lane

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Herts

SG5 1DJ

**Tel: 01462 341173**

Dear Parent or Guardian,

If your child has still not received their Fluenz Vaccine nasal spray it is not too late to have it.

It is important to keep your children, family members and the wider community protected this Winter from the Flu virus.

Please can you call the number at the top of this page to book your child an appointment to have their Flu Vaccine.

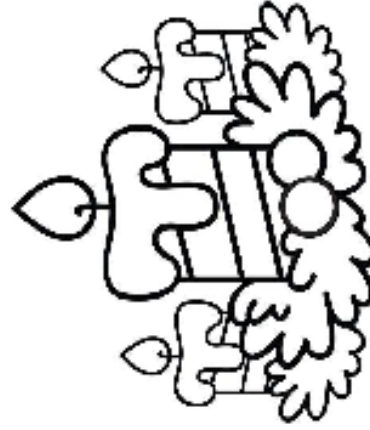
**IF THE PORCENE CONTENT IS THE REASON FOR YOUR DECLINE PLEASE CAN YOU  
CALL US TO DISCUSS AN ALTERNATIVE VACCINATION.**

**PLEASE NOTE YOU CAN NOT GET THIS AT THE GP.**

Yours sincerely,

Vaccination UK

## Merry Christmas - From Red Watch Borehamwood



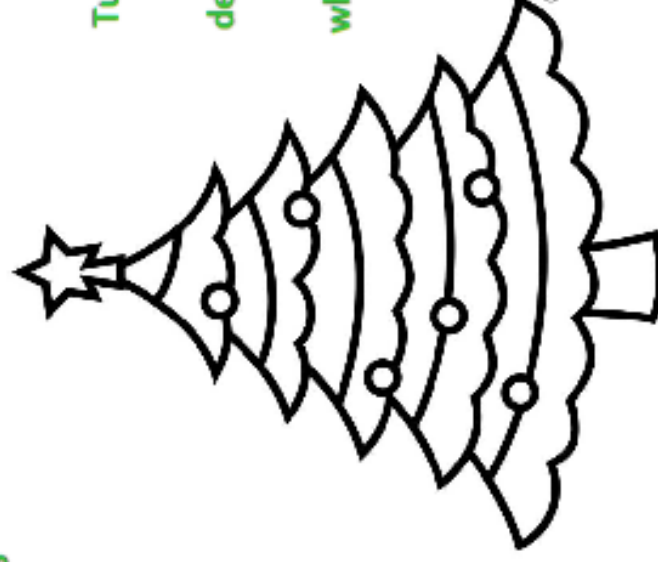
Never leave candles  
unattended



Test your Smoke alarm -  
Weekly

Tick when tested ☐

Turn lights and  
electrical  
decorations off  
at night or  
when you leave  
home



Learn how to call 999 in an  
EMERGENCY.

Tick when complete ☐



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Red Watch Borehamwood would like to wish you a happy, SAFE & WELL Christmas. Book a  
FREE Home Fire Safety Visit on **0208 207 0491** or visit [www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/fire](http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/fire)