



Dear Parents/Carers

Just a very brief newsletter with some key updates and information about the upcoming festive season! I will share a full newsletter with highlights of the school year so far, before the end of term. In the meantime, the following information is being shared today in the email with this newsletter.

Christmas in School: a timetable of Christmas activities. Please check for key information so you don't miss out on any festive fun! We look forward to welcoming you in to school for a range of activities.

Holiday and Food (HAF) Clubs: there are a number of holiday programmes available for children across Barking and Dagenham. Places are FREE for children on benefits related free school meals. Booking details are included.

Family Health Information: our local Public Health Team have asked us to share important information about *winter wellness and finding the right NHS support*. We have saved information and video links in the community section of the school website: [Health and Well-Being Information for Parents](#) | [Becontree Primary School](#)
I look forward to seeing you all in school in the coming weeks.

Marie Ziane (Headteacher)

New Arrival

Many congratulations to Mrs Peters, her husband and daughter on the birth of their beautiful baby boy.

We look forward to meeting Baby Zack very soon.



Achievements Outside School



Congratulations to Amelia, Lexi and Lacey who were all winners at their Pageant! Well done to you all!

Amelia: 1st runner up and received a crown, sash and medal.

Lexi: 2nd runner up and received a sash and medal.

Lacey: 2nd runner up in the junior category and received a sash and medal.



Fundraising Updates



Thank you for supporting our brilliant Change4Change Team on World Kindness Day! They raised **£109.00** from the bracelet sales.



Thank you also for your kind donations for Children in Need. We raised an amazing **£260.37** on the day which will be sent off to Children in Need very soon!