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Friday 22nd December 2023

Dear Families,

All the staff at St Joseph's would like to take this opportunity to wish all the children and their families a very happy and blessed Christmas.

We enjoy every minute of teaching your children and we feel very privileged to work with each and every one of them. Your children bring so much love, joy and happiness to our school each day. Thank you for sharing them with us!

This weeks newsletter is a highlight of the wonderful week we have had in school... Firstly our fabulous dinner at Harborough Town Football Club on Monday, thanks to the generous support of our Harborough Community (click [here](#) to read the article in Harborough FM).

We were so proud of our school choir singing in St Mary's Place and Rosewood Manor on Tuesday. They raised a wonderful £150 for Menphys.

Thank you to our wonderful Chaplains for leading our beautiful Christmas liturgy on Thursday and thank you to so many family and friends for joining us. The discos were also great fun on Thursday – the children had a fantastic time and raised a wonderful £270 for CAFOD.

Today, our Wellbeing Ambassadors enjoyed spreading some Christmas joy as they delivered Christmas cards to local businesses – especially those who supported our Christmas Lunch.

We are pleased to attach our menu options for the rest of this academic year – thank you again for being so understanding and supportive of our revised menu.

Finally, we have the wonderful news that the DfE will provide the funding to replace the roof in our hall and kitchen and the aim is for all the work to be completed by August 2024. Please read the attached letter from Mr Lockyer our CEO.

What a wonderful week and a perfect end to the term. Wishing you all a wonderful Christmas.

**God bless,
Mrs Dabbs**

Key dates for your diaries...

Christmas Holidays

Monday 25th December – Friday 5th January

**Children and staff return to school on
Monday 8th January**

**Thursday 25th January – Open Classroom
(RE focus)**

