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Dear Parents and Carers

I hope you all had a wonderful Christmas and New Year. I know the festivities were definitely quieter in the Craig household this year, but that could be due to having teenagers who weren't as 'excitable' this year! The school term has also started much quieter than expected and, hopefully, this will continue through the next few weeks.

Winter Book Trail

We hope that those of you who joined in with our Winter Book Trail enjoyed the activity. Our school was featured in both the Chronicle and Shields Gazette (links below). If you would like to watch or listen to the Winter Stories, the links to each story are also below. Thank you to the staff and pupils who recorded the stories.

Dates for the term

Dates for the term were shared yesterday. As mentioned in the letter, these are all subject to change if necessary, but we hope that we will be able to complete all events and activities. We have also signed up to a number of sporting activities during the term. These events are all during school hours, so will not affect picking up times etc, but these dates will be shared with you next week.

We hope to have our Gold Book Assemblies in school, but again these are subject to both national and local restrictions.

100 Reads!

Well done to Amelie, Camilla, Sonny, Rio, Julia, Riley, Leo, Gwendolyn and Millie, who have achieved the 100 Reads award. They were the first pupils who chose a book out of the Dream Big Read vending machine this year. Well done!

Jubilee Day

It is a long way off, but there is an official Bank Holiday for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. As this has been named during the May Half term, all schools in the Trust have agreed to change the date to **Friday, 22nd July**. This means that school will close for the Summer break on **Thursday, 21st July**.

Finally

With a New Year comes new resolutions! I hope that you haven't already broken your promises. My aim to eat less chocolate and cake has led to a very difficult week!

Take care!
 Mr P Craig

LINKS (Click on the link below)

Winter Stories news coverage:
[Shields Gazette](#) [Chronicle](#)

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