



ST. PAUL'S PEEL C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Headteacher: Miss Barker

Wednesday 5th December

Dear Parents/Carers,

The 1st advent candle has been lit in school and the Christmas decorations are up meaning we are starting a very busy, but exciting, few weeks in school leading up to Christmas. As you aware, this terms diary dates have are always available through our new school website (either through the School Diary option on the Homepage or the Letters Home option in the main menu). However, with so much going on we have put together a reminder list of all the key dates and information below;

Christmas Shows:

Next week our Christmas performances start in school. Parents and family members are always welcome to come and watch the fantastic productions that children have been working on in school. Ticketing arrangements for each performance will be sent out by Class Teachers. Below is a list of the performances for each year group;

Nursery:

13/12/2018	2.15pm	Nursery's Class-Songs
14/12/2018	2.15pm	Nursery's Class-Songs

Reception:

12/12/2018	9.30am	Reception Show
13/12/2018	2.00pm	Reception Show

Year 1 and Year 2:

12/12/2018	2.00pm	Year 1/2 Show
13/12/2018	9.30am	Year 1//2 Show

Class 3M and Class 3/4:

10/12/2018	2.00pm	Classes 3 & 3/4 Show
11/12/2018	9.30am	Classes 3 & 3/4 Show

Class 4D:

Miss Denney's class will be leading our Christingle Service in Church this year on Friday 21st December at 9.30am. Everyone welcome (no tickets required).

Year 5:

14/12/2018	2.00pm	Year 5 Christmas Show
17/12/2018	9.30am	Year 5 Christmas Show

Year 6:

Year 6 will be continuing our annual tradition of Carol Singing at the Ellesmere Centre in support of The Rotary Club on Thursday 13th December at 2.00pm.

Christmas Lunch:

Christmas Lunch this year is taking place on Thursday 13th December, if your child usually has a packed lunch but you would like them to have this special lunch. The £2.00 payment can be made via Parentpay

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Christmas Parties:

Each class will be having a Christmas Party (dates listed below). During the parties, children have a disco in the hall, festive games, party food provided and of course a little gift from school. To help towards the cost of this we are asking parents for a voluntary contribution of £1, to be sent into school to class teachers by Monday 10th December.

17/12/2018	am	Christmas Party	Nursery/Reception
19/12/2018	am	Christmas Party	Year 1 and Year 2
19/12/2018	pm	Christmas Party	Year 3 and Year 4
20/12/2018	pm	Christmas Party	Year 5 and Year 6

Christmas Pantomime:

With the mounting costs of Christmas, this year we have managed to secure a visiting pantomime - Dick Whittington for Years 1 - 6. The pantomime is being performed by LADA Theatre Company on Friday 14th December. The cost for this is £2.50, which will include refreshments, and can be paid via Parentpay or cash sent into school by Wednesday 12th December.

Christmas Discos:

We are having two Christmas Discos this year as follows;

17/12/2018	3.30pm -4.30pm	Christmas Disco	EYFS/KS1
19/12/2018	3.30pm - 4.30pm	Christmas Disco	KS2

To join us at the disco children need to pay an entry fee of £1 by Thursday 13th December in order for the children to be placed on the Disco Registers. This will gain them entry to the Christmas Disco and a free drink on arrival. There will also be Tuck Shop items available for the children to purchase. All money from this event will go towards our school funds.

School Council Events:

Our school council have been busy organising and preparing some Christmas fundraisers for school funds. Today (Wednesday 5th December) they have made and sold Kindness Biscuits (50p) and on Thursday 13th December they are holding a 'Design your own Christmas Hat competition'. All entrants design a Christmas Hat at home and then brought into school on the day with £1 to enter the competition. The hats can then be worn for the Christmas Lunch (with school uniform as normal) and the judging will take place on this date and prizes given to the winning entrants. There is also a Name the Reindeer competition running for 30p an entry for the chance to win their very own (stuffed) reindeer!

Christmas Hampers:

Raffle tickets are now on sale in school for our 'famous Christmas Hampers'. Tickets cost £1 a per strip and are being sold around school at playtimes and will be for sale at all the Christmas productions in school.

Yours sincerely,

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