

# St.Paul's Peel C of E Primary School



## Dinner Money

Dinner money is £10.50 per week, payable in advance. This can be paid via Parent Pay or handed into the office or class teacher in an envelope, marked clearly with your child's name.

## Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club is £5.00 per child per week. There is also a new requirement that you must sign your child into Breakfast Club each morning.

## Parents Evening

Thank you to everyone who attended parents evening. This is an extremely important time for parents to discuss the progress and development of their child.

## School Discos

Both KS1 and KS2 discos were a great success. The children thoroughly enjoyed themselves

Thanks to the Salvation Army who donated 12 toy and goodie hampers. For an extra free raffle in school.

## Christmas Shows

A huge well done goes out to all the children and staff of St.Paul's Peel for their fantastic Christmas productions. The Nursery performed 'Songs of Christmas' in their classroom. The Reception performed their 'Christmas Show' in the hall. Year 1/2 show was 'Everyone Loves a Baby.' Classes 3/4 sang a variety of carols. Year 4 and 5 show was Christmas around the world.

## Carols for All

Carols for All took place on Tuesday 17th December, which was organised by Sister Dorothy. This was an extremely enjoyable evening for everyone who attended. The School Choir sang a range of beautiful songs led by Miss Herrera. There were also readings and poems. Members of the congregation, governors, staff and parents were all invited to join in with the traditional carols. This was a lovely celebration for the whole school community.

## THEATRE EXPERIENCE

On Thursday 19th December Years 1 to 6 were able to watch the pantomime 'Jack and the Beanstalk' performed in school by LADA theatre company. This was a very enjoyable experience for all the children. The Nursery and Reception will be having their special event in January.

## CHRISTMAS HAMPERS

A huge thank you to all the parents for the hamper donations. This has enabled us to create some wonderful hampers for the raffle, to raise money for our school fund for the benefit of all our pupils..We have also had our children's Teddy Bear raffle.

## Attendance and Punctuality

Being late for school reduces learning time.

At St.Paul's Peel we aim to have outstanding attendance and are constantly trying to improve standards. School Starts at 8.55am and registration starts at 9am. To avoid receiving a late mark please ensure you arrive on time. Thank you for your support in our efforts to raise our attendance.

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|-------------|-----------|-----------------|------------------------------------|
| Green       | 96-100%   | Fantastic       | Best opportunity to learn          |
| Green/Amber | 91-95%    | Great result    | Try going for green                |
| Amber/Red   | 85-91%    | Could be better | A cause for concern                |
| Red         | Below 85% | Poor attendance | Could lead to a Fixed Penalty Fine |

## Uniform

A reminder about appropriate school uniform.

- ▶ Maroon Jumper/Cardigan (preferably with school logo) Black/Grey trousers or skirt Blue Polo Shirt ALL children must wear black shoes RE Uniform is a White polo/Plain white t.shirt Black/Navy PE shorts and black pumps.

## The Star Memory Tree

Our beautiful Memory tree has been in the entrance hall. This was blessed by Sister Dorthy on Friday and all donations will go to St Anns Hospice.

## Just Joshing

Our school welcomed back the FireHorse productions company for years 1 to 6. 'Just Joshing' was a dynamic and informative performance based on anti bullying delivering the message in a memorable and reflective way.

## Carol Singing/Carol Service

Year 6 went Carol singing at The Ellesmere Centre raising money for The Rotary Club. This was a lovely occasion for both the shoppers and the children. It brings lots of joy to everyone involved.

On Friday 20th December we had a beautiful Carol Service in Church led by Class 5/6 and 6. This was a wonderful way to end the school term.

## Remembrance Service

On Monday 11th November Years 1 to 6 went over to Church to take part in a poignant Remembrance Day Service, led by Sister Dorothy.

## SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

We have now come to the end of another school term. Miss Barker, all the staff and governors would like to wish you a happy and peaceful Christmas. We look forward to seeing you all back at school. School closes on Friday 20th December at 3.30pm and reopens on Monday 6th January 8.55am.



