



Holy Trinity C E Primary School

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"Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another" John 13v34



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 18th December
Bling your Bike! Christmas Lunch
and Christmas Jumper Day

Thursday 19th December
@1:30pm—KS1 Christmas Party

Friday 20th December @ 10am—
KS2 Christmas Party

Friday 20th December @
1:30pm—END OF TERM
(please note there is **NO** After
School club on this day)

SPRING TERM BEGINS at normal
time on **Monday 6th January 2020**

ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY MATTERS

Monday 2nd to Friday 6th
December

Congratulations to Year 1 for
having the highest attendance
and to Year 4 and Year 6G for
having **100%** punctuality

ASK ME WHAT I DID POSTCARD

Nursery	-	Michelle
Reception	-	Reuben
Year 1	-	Darius
Year 2	-	Neriah
Year 3	-	Holly
Year 4	-	Myles
Year 5	-	Ida
Year 6E	-	Leon
Year 6G	-	Gabrielah



ParentMail PARENTMAIL

Thank you to everyone who has downloaded the app, please remember that from January we will no longer be using Teachers to Parents. Therefore, you must download the app before then, otherwise you will not get any messages from the school. Feedback from parents who have already downloaded the app is very positive.

BLING YOUR BIKE!

Decorate your bikes or scooters with Christmas decorations and ride them to school (make sure they are safe to ride!) next **Wednesday 18th December**. Please bring them to our new cycle shed (inbetween Peace Cabin and Club Room). Our Junior Travel Ambassadors will be choosing the best bikes and scooters from the infants and juniors and they will win a prize. All entrants will receive a badge. **HAPPY DECORATING!**



CHRISTMAS JUMPER/LUNCH DAY

Also on **Wednesday** we are taking part in the annual Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day. The children can come to school wearing their Christmas Jumpers and bring **£1** for Save The Children. Caterlink are also providing our annual Christmas dinner on that day. If you would like your child to have a Christmas Lunch please ensure you pay **£2.30** via ParentPay.



CLUBS SPRING TERM 2020

Clubs are now filling up fast. Please remember to sign up (via ParentPay) before we come back on 6th January 2020 as registers will be printed the first week back and clubs will be closed then.



MATHS CURRICULUM EVENING

The school is holding a Maths Curriculum Evening on **Thursday 16th January starting at 6:30pm** until approximately 8pm. This event is open to parents / carers of all year groups. The focus of the evening will be on how the school and parents can work together to support children in their learning of maths. This will include, onceptual understanding and using the concrete / pictorial / abstract approach, including bar-modelling, which has been embedded into our maths teaching. The evening will be led the school's maths consultant and expert Peter Warwick. We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible.

CHRISTIAN VALUE—KOINONIA

Proverbs 27:9

Perfume and incense bring joy to the heart, and the pleasantness of one's friend springs from his earnest counsel.

Friends like you make
Christmas extra special!



DECEMBER ROUNDUP (SO FAR!)

NATIVITY (PART 1)

Last Wednesday (4th) our Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 classes visited St James Church for a wonderful Christmas Experience. We went back in time and followed a star to Bethlehem. On the way we met Joseph, a shepherd, King Herod, the innkeeper, Mary and of course baby Jesus. We were very excited to meet real animals too. Many thanks to all of the adults who supported the children on our trip.



GIRLS FOOTBALL NEWS

Congratulations!! To our girls football team with their cup win versus Goldbeaters last Thursday. They played fantastically, winning 4-0 and showed great patience when the minibus broke down! Thank you to Mr Ritson for coaching them and to him and Patsy for taking and supporting them on the day.

MUSIC

On Monday we had a wonderful Ukulele assembly. The children in Year 4 and those who attended Ukulele club this term played beautifully. Also, on Monday and Tuesday, our Choir sang at the Homefield and Wilmot Homes. The residents really appreciated the children going and said it was the best singing they had ever heard.

NATIVITY (PART 2!)

WOW!! Weren't they fantastic? We hope you all enjoyed the shows. We are so proud of all our children for all the amazing performances they did. A huge thank you to our wonderful staff for making this happen. As I am sure you can appreciate shows like this don't just happen! A lot of hard work goes into these productions, so thank you for coming along and supporting them.



Nativity DVD

A huge THANK YOU to James for videoing the Year 2 Nativity play again this year (which was brilliant!!). DVDs (£5) and Memory Sticks (£8) - please order at the office by Monday 16th December. The videos on the flash drives are h264 1080p files in an m4v format. This is iTunes' default format and is playable on all modern Apple and Android devices, as well as most PCs from the last few years. They will also play on many smart TVs and modern DVD/Blu-Ray players, simply by plugging in and selecting the file to play.



Mince Pies

We received a really great response to our request for mince pie donations - so THANK YOU everyone so much. THANK YOU also to all who helped with selling them at the nativity shows this week and THANK YOU to the many people that bought a mince pie or made a donation. We have made £125 so far ... and this goes straight back into providing better resources for our children.

HTSA NEWS



Word of the Week!

bellowed

It means: a deep roaring shout
"He **bellowed** after them."

Can you use this word in a sentence?

British Values
9th - 15th December
Individual Liberty

There are lots of different clubs that we can join. We can all choose to take part in clubs that we think we might enjoy and say no to clubs we would rather not do.

