

St. Andrew's C of E Junior School Newsletter

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Headteacher's Message

We have been enjoying our Christmas activities this week and will continue to do so next week. We are really looking forward to our Christmas Fair today and hope to see you there.

We wish all of you a very merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. We hope that you all have a happy, peaceful holiday. See you all on Monday 7th January 2019!

Diary Dates

Mon 17th - Fri 21 Dec
NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Mon 17th Dec
Yr 5 Christmas party

Yr 4 at Central Methodist Church for Christmas Celebration

Tues 18th Dec
Yr Christmas Production
6.30 pm

Wed 19th Dec
Carols in Church
All children at St Martin's Church 1.15 pm
PARENTS WELCOME

Fri 21st Dec
Yr 4 Christmas party

Yr 5 Christmas party

ALWAYS Assembly
invite only 2.45 pm

School closes for Christmas

Pantomime

On Wednesday all the children enjoyed a fantastic pantomime performance of The Wizard of Oz performed by a professional touring company. The children joined in with all the singing and there was plenty of laughter echoing around the school hall.

Even the teachers took part!

Take a look at the photos on our website gallery.



Yr 3 Christmas Production "Superstar"



Our extremely talented Year 3 children will be performing their Christmas production to parents on Tuesday 18th December.

To book tickets contact the school office.

All children must be back at school at 6 pm to get ready.

Show starts at 6.30 pm!

School Clubs

There will be **NO** clubs the first week back **except** for Choir which starts Mon 7th Jan.

Christmas Lunch

A HUGE thank you to our amazing cook, Mrs Sullivan and her superb team for making over 200 Christmas dinners for children and staff. The meal was delicious and I'm sure the children would agree. A BIG thank you to all who helped to serve. Feet up now!



God, our Father, we pray that you will protect our children. Keep them safe from harm and help them to grow healthy in mind and body. Give them strength to keep their faith in you, and keep alive their joy in the birth of Jesus at Christmas time.

Join us!

Christmas Carols will be held in church on Wednesday 19th December at 1:15pm. Everyone is invited to join us and after the service the children from the School Council will be serving tea, coffee and mince pies.



Crib Service

You are invited to come along to St Martin's Church on Sun 23rd Dec at 3 pm for our Crib Service. Children are welcome to come along dressed as shepherds, angels, stars, kings or even Mary & Joseph for the re-telling of the Nativity story and to sing carols. All children must be accompanied by an adult. For further details contact Rachel on 07788428401

Non-Uniform Day

Today was Christmas Jumper Day!



Thank you to everyone for your kind donations.

We have raised over **£150** for Overgate Hospice.

Family Learning

The Family Learning Team would like to thank all the children, parents and carers who have attended their events throughout 2018. We hope you have enjoyed them.



Sikh Temple Visit

The children in Y6 enjoyed a visit to the Sikh temple in Huddersfield last week. They learned lots about the religion and practises at the temple. After the tour and talk the children shared Langar (a meal) with members of the Sikh community.

