



Newsletter: Monday 13th December 2021
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KS2 RE Homework Project

KS2 were given a homework project last week, they were asked to create a picture of The Nativity Story using different types of materials. Some of their beautiful work has been put on our Advent display.



Wednesday word

Please see the link for this half-term's *Wednesday Word Booklet* below;

<https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/christmas-holiday-special?pid=MTA101634&v=47.2>



Dates for your Diary

- Wednesday 15th December – Christmas Lunch
- Thursday 16th December – Class Christmas Parties
- Friday 17th December – School finishes at 2pm

Nativity

Our children have been practising very hard for this year's Nativity performance. Their final dress rehearsal is on Tuesday and the production will be recorded on Thursday.

We have had to overcome many hurdles to get to this point; we hope that you will all be pleased with the final cut! We are hoping to have this available on the school website on Friday 17th December. The password will be sent to you in a text.

Flu vaccinations

Unfortunately, the Flu immunisations did not take place this term despite us arranging it twice with the school nursing team. They are now scheduled to take place next term.



Year 4 Swimming Lessons



After the Christmas holidays, Year 4 will start their swimming lessons at Seven Island's Leisure Centre every Wednesday afternoon for a one hour swimming lesson.

Christmas parties



On **Thursday 16th December** Reception to Year 6 classes will have a Christmas Party.

Can you please provide your child with a small INDIVIDUAL party bag: a bag of crisps, biscuits and a drink is sufficient. Please remember that we are a 'nut free' school!

Nursery last day of term



The last part time Nursery sessions take place on **Thursday 16th December**.

On **Friday 17th December** **school finishes at 2pm**. Please make a note of the earlier time.

Raffle

We have an unclaimed raffle prize with pink ticket numbers 641 to 645. If you have these ticket numbers please bring them to the school office to claim your prize.



Parent Governor Elections

Thank you to those parents who have put themselves forward for this role, nominations are now closed. In light of the fact that more than one person has stepped forward we will now hold Parent Governor Elections, Please look out for the statements from the nominees and your voting slip tomorrow. Voting closes at 12 noon on Friday 17th December 2021.

FOSJ – Christmas tree



We would like to thank the Friends of St. John's for arranging for us to have a Christmas Tree again this year!

Celebrating Success

KS2 Carol Concert

Thank you to all those parents that braved the cold and icy winds to join with us for our first ever outdoor carol concert. The children were a joy and a special praise and thanks must go to our choir and especially Marianne for her solo harmonies.

