IMPORTANT DATES

Tuesday 29^{th} November – Flu immunisation for YI, 2 and 3

Thursday Ist December — Mufti day for Christmas fayre

Friday 2nd December — Christmas Fayre

Monday 5th December — School band at Salvation Army

Tuesday 6th December -

- Reception Christmas play
- Christmas Gift Sales
- Girls Football team match

Wednesday 7th December -

- Christmas dinner day
- Christmas jumper day
- Christmas gift sales

Thursday 8th December —

- Nursery Christmas plays AM at 10.30am, PM at 2.30pm
- Reception trip to Wyre Forest

Tuesday 13th December —Year 1 and Year 2 Christmas play at 5.30pm

Wednesday 14th December — Reception & Nursery parties

Thursday 15th December — Carol concert at St. Paul's

Friday 16th December —

- KSI & 2 Christmas parties
- children break up for Christmas

Tuesday 3rd January 2017 – children return to school

NEWSLETTER

29TH NOVEMBER – CHRISTMAS NEWSLETTER



As we enter the last few weeks of the Autumn term we thought you would find a reminder of our Christmas events useful.

Mufti Day — Thursday Ist December

Our Christmas Fayre will be held on Friday 2nd December from 2pm. We will be holding a mufti day on Thursday Ist December for which children are invited to come into school wearing their own clothes and bring in a donation for the Christmas Fayre. This year, can we ask for the following items from the following year groups please:

Nursery and Reception—Any chocolate items please Year I and 2 —bottles (unopened and in date, please send alcohol to the school office)

Year 3, 4, 5 and 6— groceries such as tins, cereals, packets of food (please make sure all food is unopened and in date)

Your donations really help to make our Christmas Fayre a success, so thank you in advance.

Christmas Fayre — Friday 2nd December

Our school brass band will be opening the fayre and all children will be making things to sell on school stalls. Father Christmas will also be making an appearance in his grotto! Please try and support us if you can. Due to our Christmas Fayre taking place during the school day, safety of the children is paramount. All children will be taken around the fayre with their class teachers prior to the fayre being opened to the public. Therefore, if you are unable to attend but wish to send some money in with your child in a named envelope, please do so and they can spend this whilst with their teacher. If you would like to collect your child at 2pm to enable you to visit the fayre with them, then please collect your child from the doors listed below and the teacher will sign them out. To reduce queues, children can be collected from various external doors as follows:

- Nursery Nursery conservatory door
- Reception Reception external classroom door
- Year I Year 2 conservatory doors
- Year 2 Year 2 conservatory doors
- Year 3 Mrs Lewis' door
- Year 4 Mr Kemble's door
- Year 5 Miss Banyard's door
- Year 6 Mrs Comery's door

Please note that once children have been signed out, then they will be your responsibility for the rest of the afternoon.

Thank you for your co-operation and we hope that you enjoy our fayre as the children will be working very hard to produce items to sell.

Christmas Dinner & Christmas Jumper Day — Wednesday 7th December

Our kitchen will be serving Christmas dinner on Wednesday 7th December and children are invited to

wear their Christmas jumper to school on this day. They can wear their own trousers/skirts with their jumpers.

Carol Service

Our annual Carol Service will be held at St Paul's church on Thursday 15th December at 1.30pm, with all children walking to church to take part. All parents are welcome to attend. Our local police officers are unable to help escort us to the church this year, so if you are able to help escort children with staff we would be very grateful. Please let your child's class teacher know if you are able to do this. Children who are playing/singing will also be attending rehearsal in the morning.

Christmas Productions

Children from Nursery, Reception and Key Stage I (year I & 2) will be performing their Christmas productions on the following dates;

Reception-Tuesday 6th December at 2.15pm AM Nursery-Thursday 8th December at 10.30am PM Nursery-Thursday 8th December at 2.30pm KSI (year I & 2)-Tuesday 13th December at 5.30pm

Tickets for Nursery have already been sent home and tickets for Reception and Key Stage I will be issued this week.

Christmas Parties

Christmas parties have been arranged for all year groups. Parties will be held on the following dates;

- Nursery Wednesday 14th December
- Reception Wednesday 14th December in the afternoon
- Year I and 2 Friday 16th December in the afternoon

Nursery, Reception, Year I and 2 can wear party clothes to school on the day of their party and are asked to bring a plate of party food into school, clearly labelled with their name. Please do not send any nuts into school due to children and staff with allergies.

Year 3, 4, 5 and 6's party will be held on Friday 16th December in the morning. Children can wear party clothes to school for their party. No party food is required.

Christingle

Can children in year I please bring a large orange into school on Monday 12th December to make a Christingle for our annual Christingle assembly and church service.