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*"To go forward together in Christ, respecting our neighbour and striving for excellence"*

Our Christmas Fair will take place with the children on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> December. Parents should have received an order form to place orders for raffle tickets or crafts their children have made.

**We are asking for any nice raffle prices to be donated to school please.**

### **DRESS DOWN FRIDAY**

Tomorrow (26<sup>th</sup> November) is 'Dress Down Friday' – children are invited to come to school in their own clothes for the day in return for a donation to our Christmas Chocolate Raffle.

### **FILM NIGHTS**

We have organised two film nights for each key stage. Juniors is on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> December and Infants is on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December.

Each class will be watching the film with crisp and juice. The film will end at 5pm and children will be handed over on the yard to parents.

Tickets are available to purchase on the ParentMail app or at the school office. £2:50

### **CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY!**

On Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> December, we are asking you to send your child to school in a Christmas Jumper together with £1 donation either in school or via ParentMail. If they don't have a

Christmas jumper, then any non-uniform day clothes. Don't worry!

### **NATIVITY**

The Infants Nativity tickets are now on sale at the office or on ParentMail. We are only allowing two tickets per family for each performance due to health and safety regulations and as a covid safety measure Tickets cost £2 each

Class 1 – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2:30pm

Class 2 – Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2:30pm



### **SALVATION ARMY**

Salvation Army have once again teamed up to launch their annual appeal to help families and children who might otherwise go without this Christmas. After a difficult year, we want to reach out to the people who are suffering the most and bring joy and hope into their lives this Christmas. Thousands of people will turn to The Salvation Army for help this winter.

Please support the Christmas Present Appeal by donating new, unwrapped

toys and gifts for children who might not otherwise receive a Christmas present. We are asking for gifts to be sent in with your child and they will be handed over to the Salvation Army on **Monday 6th December**.

The gifts will then be wrapped and distributed to those in need. We believe every child deserves a new gift at Christmas so we are unable to take used or second hand items for the Christmas Present Appeal.



### PRIMARY SCHOOL ADMISSION 2022

If you have a child who is due to start school in September 2022 you need to apply for their school place now. Please visit

[www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools](http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools) and search 'school admissions'. Closing date is 15th January 2022

### COATS AND UNIFORM

Now that the winter weather is upon us please ensure your child has a suitable coat in school. All children should be dressed in the correct school uniform and should not wear either jewellery or nail varnish. It is essential that ALL UNIFORM is labelled! Most lost property with a clear name in gets back to its owner. Haircuts should be no shorter than a number 3.

### POTENTIAL COVID – 19 SYMPTOMS

There are different tests you can get to check if you have coronavirus (COVID-19).

The test you need depends on why you're getting tested. The two main tests are:

- PCR tests – mainly for people with symptoms.
- Rapid lateral flow tests – for people who do not have symptoms.

Get a PCR test as soon as possible if you have any of these symptoms, even if they're mild:



- A high temperature
- A new, continuous cough
- A loss or change to your sense of smell or taste

Stay at home until you get the test results – only leave your home to have a test. Children having to isolate will have work set for them again through our Google Classroom platform.



### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- 25<sup>th</sup> November – Flu immunisation
- 26<sup>th</sup> November – Non uniform – Chocolate Donation Day
- 2<sup>nd</sup> December – Class 3 start Swimming
- 6<sup>th</sup> December – Salvation Army Gifts
- 7<sup>th</sup> December – Film Night – KS 2
- 8<sup>th</sup> December – Film night – KS 1
- 9<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Dinner/ Jumper Day
- 10<sup>th</sup> December – Class 3 Trip to Gawthorpe Hall
- 10<sup>th</sup> December – Class 1 Nativity 2:30pm
- 15<sup>th</sup> December – Class 2 Nativity 2:30pm
- 16<sup>th</sup> December – Party Day
- 17<sup>th</sup> December – School Closes at 3:30pm
- Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> January – school reopen 8:55am