

## St. Chad's Catholic Primary School, Sedgley. Tel: 01384 818720. www.st-chads.dudley.sch.uk

5<sup>th</sup> December 2014

Dear Parents / Carers

## Congratulations to our Gold Star Children this week who are:

<u>Reception</u>: Jonah for amazing attention and concentration in class 'learning time' and always putting his hand up to offer his ideas.

 $\underline{Y1}$ : Lily-Mae as she is eager to please, is enthusiastic in all subjects and has been working particularly hard in Maths.

Y2: Lola-Belle for having an amazing attitude to work especially on direction and co-ordinates.

Y3: Neve for excellent answers during a lesson on sorting Rainforest foods.

<u>Y4:</u> Megan for writing a fantastic fable with a message.

<u>Y5</u>: Tess for using the subjunctive form to write a fantastic poem.

<u>Y6:</u> Isabel for excellent work in English all week.

**Christmas Fayre:** the parish Christmas Fayre will take place tomorrow on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> December beginning at 12 noon. The school will be running the tombola. Thank you for all the lovely prizes which have been donated! **Singers:** we would love as many children as possible to sing traditional carols and songs at the Christmas Fayre, in the parish hall at 1.00pm. This is a great opportunity for the children to show their talents! Mrs Greaney would like as many children as possible to join in the singing. This is a great opportunity for the children to show their talents!

**Parent Representative:** following the recent ballot for a parent representative of the Academy Committee, Mrs N. Kinge has been elected.

**Infants Christmas play:** will take place on Wednesday December 10<sup>th</sup> at 2pm and 6.30pm. Admission is by ticket only. All children in Reception, Y1 and Y2 will be given tickets – two for each performance per family. If you are unable to use all your tickets please return to the teachers who can pass them on to others.

**Christmas Coffee morning:** you are invited to come to a Christmas Coffee morning on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December, starting at 9.30 am and finishing at about 11am. While you relax and enjoy a coffee and mince-pie the classes will take it in turns to entertain you!

**Class Charities:** this year we are not having a charity sale in school as every class is going to fund raise for their chosen charity throughout the year. Y6 will be the first class to have a fund raising event. Their chosen charity is Help the Heroes. Please support them as they sell their wares during the week beginning 15<sup>th</sup> December.

**School Christmas Raffle:** we have a large selections of prizes. Tickets (20p each) are now on sale. This will be drawn on the last day of term. All proceeds from this raffle and the collections after the Christmas play will go to CAFOD to help support the fight against Ebola.

Mary Stevens Hospice: we have Christmas furry toys priced at £1 on sale from Monday with all money going to Mary Stevens' hospice

**All Saints Christmas Tree Festival:** congratulations to the children of Y3 who sang so beautifully this morning.

**Book Fayre:** thank you to all those who purchased books. £483.32 worth of books was sold which means that school can order £193.33 worth of books (40% of sales).

**Misplaced School Jumpers**: Y6 parents please check that your child has their own jumper as some students have lost theirs.

**A BIG THANK YOU:** to A A Walters Funeral Directors for a donation of £200 which we will use towards play equipment.

After School Activity Clubs have now finished for the term apart from Netball.

MONDAY: Netball Y5-Y6

TUESDAY: Please note football monies will be refunded in due course for weeks cancelled by Sedgley Scorpions' coaches.

Enjoy your week.

S. M. Mason