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Dear Parents / Carers

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

Reception: Olivia for excellent listening and always having her hand up to answer questions.

Y1: Callum for working hard and becoming more mature.

Y2: Lily-Mae for working hard in maths to understand fractions of shapes and numbers.

Y3: Oliver for beautiful joined writing.

Y4: Arwen for using and creating super similes to create a powerful poem.

Y5: Benita for neatly presented work.

Y6: James for fantastic investigation work in Science.

**Advent Assembly**: thank you to the many parents and grandparents who were able to attend the Advent assembly. Y5 led the assembly this year (well done to them), which reminded us of the real preparations that we need to do during Advent. It was lovely to see so many people able to stay for coffee afterwards – thank you for your help!

**Safety**: please inform the school, either via the office or the member of staff on the door, if someone other than the usual person is collecting your child from school. If we have not been informed we will have to telephone you before allowing the child to go with someone else.

**Hair**: Please note the school rules regarding hair styles.

All pupils must have a conventional hairstyle which in its length, style and colour is acceptable to the School.

- All long hair (past the bottom of the shirt / blouse collar) must be tied back.
- Hair falling over the eyes must be clipped back during lessons.
- Short hair must be a minimum of a grade 3, with no shaved lines or patterns, or extreme partings.

**Parish Christmas Jam Jar Tombola**: on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> December the parish will be having a Christmas Fayre. As usual the school will be running a stall, "manned" by the staff. We still need a lot more filled jam jars - if every family sent us one prize the stall would be amazing. Thank you for your generosity.

**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!

**All Saints Christmas Tree Festival**: Y3 children have been invited to take part in this event to be held in All Saints church on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December. The Christmas trees are being blessed at 10am. The children will sing at about 11.10am. It would be lovely if some of their parents and grandparents were able to come and support them.

**Book Fair**: thank you for your support. We sold £316.70 worth of books, which enables us to take books in commission.

**Infants Christmas play**: will take place on Tuesday December 8<sup>th</sup> at 2.00pm and 6.00pm. Children will need to be in school at 5.30pm for the evening performance. 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.

Have a good week.

**S. M. Mason**