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Dear Parents / Carers



Congratulations to:

Gold Star Children this week who are:

KS1: Congratulations to all the children on a fantastic Nativity.

R: Sylviana for fantastic reading and sentence writing.

<u>Y1</u>: Emily for reading someone else's lines (for the Production) at the last minute.

<u>Y2:</u> Izia for stepping in at the last minute and doing a fabulous performance.

<u>Y3</u>: Evey for always being involved in class discussions and excelling in R.E.

Y4: Oscar for great geographical knowledge.

<u>Y5</u>: Joe for being so helpful and attentive during our class liturgy during the Parents' afternoon.

Y6: Liliana for fantastic work in maths, working with fractions.

Golden ticket winners: Eve (Y3) and Ivie (YR)

St Chad's Golden Ticket

Thank you to the children who led their Class Liturgies this week:

Reception: No Liturgy

Y1: Everyone – Advent Liturgy

Y2: No Liturgy

<u>Y3:</u> No Liturgy <u>Y4:</u> Olivia and Layla

Y5: Maizee, Sophia and Freya

Y6: Jacob, Harry and Abigail



Mrs Greaney: will be leaving St. Chad's School as we break up for Christmas. She has been a valued member of staff for twenty-one years and we send her all our best wishes.

Confirmation: it was lovey to see so many families supporting the children who were confirmed last Friday. Bishop McGough commented on the reverence that was shown through the Mass and confirmation. Please continue to support the children in their faith journey.

Christmas Play: was (as usual) spectacular! The children remembered all their words, sang and danced beautifully. A particular thanks to the children who had to take on the part of a child who was unable to attend the evening performance.

All Saints Christmas Tree Festival: children from Y3 represented the school at All Saints Christmas Tree Festival today. They sang beautifully and were a credit to the school. Well done.



Christmas raffle: tickets are now on sale at 20p each. This year we will be raising money for the NSPCC, we felt this was appropriate as we have had ChildLine in school. ChildLine is a charity which is there to support children all day, every day – even Christmas



Parish Christmas Fayre:

Jam Jar Tombola: on Saturday 7th December the parish will be having a Christmas Fayre. As usual the school will be running a stall, "manned" by the staff. Thank you for the 227 jars received.



Cakes: any donations for the cake stall would be appreciated. Cakes will be accepted on Saturday morning in the parish hall.



Singers: we would love as many children from KS2 as possible to sing traditional carols and songs at the Christmas Fayre, in the parish hall at 12.45pm. This is a great opportunity for the children to show their talents!

Finally: do come and support the parish and have a good time.

Thank you for your generosity.

- **Poppy Appeal:** we have now received a receipt for £252.90 raised from the sale of poppies.
- **Samaritan's Purse:** 47 Shoe Boxes are now on their way to children in other countries so that they receive a present at Christmas.

Next week:



Monday: Children's Cinema Event: Films will start after school, so any child stopping for the cinema night will not need collecting at 3.15pm. All children stopping for the cinema night must be collected **from the main playground at 5.30pm**. Please tell your child's teacher if someone other than your self will be collecting your child.

Tuesday: Christmas lunch for the children. This should have been ordered already. Children can still bring their own packed lunch, but the kitchen will not be providing packed lunches on that day.

Thursday: School closed for children due to the General Election.

Friday: Children to wear Christmas jumpers.

- Christmas Coffee morning: You are invited to come to join us in the school hall, starting at 9.30 am and finishing at about 10.45am. While you relax and enjoy a coffee and mince-pie (being sold for £1) the classes will take it in turns to entertain you. Every class has prepared a Christmas song and a poem and we would like you to join in a congregational carol.
- Children's Christmas parties each child will need an unbreakable cup and a plate (named please if you want it returned) and some food to share with their class mates. NO NUTS as we have children with nut allergies in school. Please make your child's teacher aware of any food allergies that we are unaware of.

Enjoy your week.

S. M. Mason