



ALL SAINTS C.E. (VC) PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



FRIDAY 1st DECEMBER 2017

Our Week by Mr. Dipple

It has been a slightly quieter week this week in school, however the Christmas cheer is definitely present with our decorations going up, the Christmas Fayre coming up and the Christmas plays being rehearsed.

Our “family tree” at the Christmas Tree Festival looks fantastic – if you get chance to go this weekend it really is a lovely event to be part of.

Our Christmas Fayre in school tomorrow should be a fantastic event and we hope to see you all there. Don't forget the Ranton village hall Christmas Fayre is also on next weekend (Saturday 9th December) followed by the Christingle Service at 4.30pm in the Church on Sunday 10th December.

Mr Mellor's Music Column

A lovely afternoon of the choir ‘Singing for pleasure’, class 1 wriggling along to their nativity and class 2 and 3 getting their camel funk on! I think staff and children alike are getting very excited for the Christmas performances. We are looking forward to bringing members of our community choir to the Christmas Fayre on Saturday, and welcoming members of the school choir to sing with us. Do come and say hello!

Christmas Tree Bauble

Thank you so much to everyone who brought in a decorated bauble for our Christmas Tree festival at St. Mary's Church in Stafford. Please go and visit the festival, which is on until Sunday this week – not only to see our tree but also the whole church filled with beautiful decorations!

We will be bringing our tree back to school on Monday to keep on display as we get closer to Christmas.

Lights, Camel, Action!

Show dates and Costume Requests

Information on ticket allocation and booking has been distributed with this week's newsletter. You will find a letter for your family and your allocated tickets attached.

We do require some help with costumes for certain pupils. If we need you to add to what we have already got – you will have a letter with your newsletter today.

Any questions please see the school office.

Wiggly Nativity – Class 1

Class 1's production of the Wiggly Nativity is sounding fantastic from the school office! Their production will be on **Tuesday 12th December at 1.30pm.**

Information on ticket allocation and booking is enclosed with this newsletter.

Christingle Service – Sunday 10th December

On **Sunday 10th December** a Christingle Service will be held at All Saints Church in Ranton by our Reverend Doug Hemming. We would love for as many of our Friends and Families to join us at this service to celebrate. The service will commence at 4.30pm. Children will be helping to make Christingles for the Church next week.

Christmas Dinner Day at All Saints

Our Christmas Dinner Day will be held on **Friday 8th December**. All children are invited to have Turkey with all the trimmings and ice cream for dessert with us. If your child is not eligible for universal free school meals please bring in £2.25 on the day. If your child has a hot dinner and no money is received you will receive an invoice after the event.

As it is PE Day – we are welcoming any Christmas Jumpers or Christmas hats over the top of their normal PE Kit which can be worn all day.

There will also be an official Christmas Jumper day towards the end of the term. (Date to be confirmed)



Labelling Uniform and Accessories

Can all Parents and Carers please name ALL coats, uniform and accessories, including hats, gloves and scarves. We are having so many being mislaid each day due to the children not knowing whether it is their coat, hat etc. Thank You.

Archery Competition – Wednesday 27th Nov 2017

Thank you to all of our Archery superstars who attended the archery event at Haughton School. All Saints started really well by drawing 6 points with Haughton B team. They then played again for a place in the final and won! The final was between All Saints and Haughton A Team and Haughton were victorious this time around, however a brilliant effort from AS.

Christmas Fair –Saturday 2nd December

It is the PTFA's Christmas Fair TOMORROW – they hope you can join them from 2-4pm.

House of Bread Donation

House of Bread are looking for donations of any warm winter clothes, hats, scarves, gloves and any toiletries for adults and/or children over the winter period. Please bring any donations into school. Many Thanks.

House Points

This Week & Running Totals

Red: 92 -1139

Blue: 120 - 1239

Yellow: 155 - 1204

Green: 109 - 1127

