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Baines' Weekly News

1st December 2023

Stars of the Week: Very well done to all of the children who have gone 'ABOVE and BEYOND' in their classes this week!

	Star of the Week	Star Reader		Star of the Week	Star Reader
Toddlers	Elijah	Joel	2CH	Isaac H	Alexis Shaw
Pre-School	Serenity-Jane	Roscoe	3JB	Luceah P	Leon D
RMS	Alfie W	Isla C	3VB	All 3VB	Callen
RSF	Sara A	Harry T	4TS	Joel C	Lola-Rose T
RCH	Josie	Jakub	4JP	Noah H-W	Finley C
1 BE	Cianna	Sophia	5BW	Alfie D	Poppy B
1CW	Ta'Leah	Dennis	5RF	Rhoda S	Rory W
1/2JB	Jack H	Esmee B	6EJ	Fraser M Matthew W	Mason M
2SB	Albany P	Harrison W	6KP	Brooke D	Niah D

'The Lord is full of compassion and mercy' - James 5:11

School Events This Week

- Well done to our football team who played a match against Revoe this week and won 5-0. They are now through to the finals next Friday.
- Thank you to our pupils in Year 2 and Year 4 who showed their Artwork in an exhibition at school this week. Many thanks to all the parents and carers that came to view it.
- Our Scholastic Book Fair began yesterday with our Sneaky Peak for parents/carers. It continues tonight at 3:15 - 4:15 p.m. and again on Monday and Tuesday next week at the same time. Please pop in and take a look at the books - there are some half price bargains to fill stockings with!
- Well done to all of our Year 2 pupils for completing their phonics assessments - keep reading!
- Yesterday, school celebrated St Andrew's Day with a whole school worship and related activities about the patron saint of Scotland - one of our Houses here at Baines'.
- Year 6 had a visit from our PCSO for a 'Rule of Law' session. It was very informative and the children learned facts about the justice system that they did not know. We hope that this new information will support them in making good choices for themselves and our community.

Coming up:

- The next PTFA Christmas Fair non-uniform day will be on the day of the Christmas Fair: Thursday 7th December. Donations of any types of cakes or biscuits will be very gratefully received. The Christmas Fair takes place from 5:00 p.m. on Thursday 7th.
- The Reception children will be going to the pantomime next Tuesday. *Oh yes they will!* And Year 4 are off to Liverpool Museum next Friday. Please ensure that trip contributions have been paid through ParentPay.



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- The KS1 Carol Service is on Wednesday 13th December at 9.30am and Thursday 14th December at 2.15pm. Please remember to select which day you would like to attend on the Google form that has been sent out to parents/carers in Years 1 and 2.
- Nursery are performing their version of the Nativity on Tuesday 12th December at 10am. Parents/carers of our Nursery children are welcome to attend.
- Reception will be performing their version of the Nativity on Wednesday 13th December at 2.15pm and Thursday 14th December at 9.30am. Reception parents/carers are welcome to attend. Please let school know which days you would like to attend on, as we are allowed a limited number of people in the Main Hall, in line with Fire regulations and Health and Safety requirements for schools.
- Our KS2 pupils will be leading our Christmas Carol Service on Monday 18th December at St. Paul's Church, starting at 6:00 p.m.
- Our Christmas Parties take place on Tuesday 19th for EYFS and KS1 and Wednesday 20th for KS2. Children can come into school in their party clothes on their party day. The date for the Nursery Christmas Party will be confirmed next week.

Reminder:

- **CAN YOU HELP?** If any parents/carers are able to spare any time at all to support school staff in organising and preparing for the PTFA Christmas Fair, please contact Miss Sawyer via the school office.
 - *We are still without an active PTFA, so your help will be very much appreciated. Going forward, without any parent volunteers to support the PTFA, a decision may need to be taken to not have a PTFA at our school. This would mean a reduction in the number of events that could be organised. If you are interested in supporting school to raise funds for our Playground Project, please contact the school office and leave a message for Miss. Sawyer.*
- If you, or anyone you know, would be willing to donate a prize for the PTFA Christmas Fair Raffle, please contact Miss Sawyer via the school office, telephone or email: beadmin@cidari.co.uk
- Extra-curricular clubs finish today - many thanks to all the staff who have offered their time to run clubs this term.
- The temperature has dropped and Winter is definitely here! Our children love to play outside each day. Please send your child to school and nursery with a warm coat, gloves, hat and scarf to keep them wrapped up warm so they can enjoy their playtimes outside.

Important Health and Safety Notice for All Parents/Carers

In order to be compliant with Health and Safety regulations for schools and school sites:

- **Parking on the yellow zig zag lines outside school has reached an unacceptable level. Parking on yellow zig zag lines is illegal, but for our pupils, more importantly it is dangerous and could cause a fatality.**
DO NOT PARK OPPOSITE OR OUTSIDE OUR SCHOOL BUILDING.
- **NO DOGS are allowed onto our site. Any dogs tied to railings must not restrict access to the nursery or school grounds for any pupils or parents/carers.**
DO NOT BRING DOGS ONTO THE SCHOOL SITE.
- **Hot drinks are not allowed to be brought onto our premises, since they pose a risk for children.**
DO NOT BRING HOT DRINKS ONTO THE SCHOOL SITE.

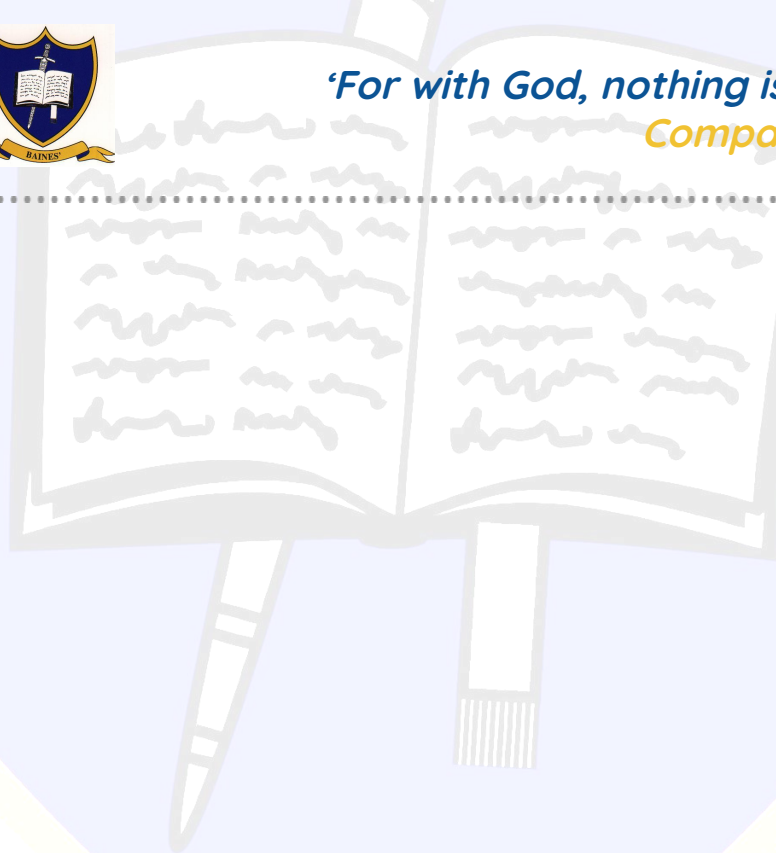
Thank you for your cooperation and understanding with our Health and Safety issues.

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