



**Monday 16th Nov 2020**

## Parking Outside Our School

The council are continually surveying areas around the front of schools in order to keep our children safe when arriving and leaving school. We do have a traffic enforcement sign outside our school which makes it illegal to stop or park on the yellow markings at our school entrance. **We have therefore been asked to remind our parents that our zig-zag area is to be kept clear at all times.** Please see the below leaflet from Lancashire County Council. Thank you.



### A Guide to Parking Safely at Our Schools

Inconsiderate and dangerous parking around our schools has become a big problem, putting the safety of children and others at risk. We all want to keep our children safe around schools, so here's some top tips on how you can make a difference.

#### Did you know?

One in five cars in the morning rush hour is taking children to school

#### How Can You Help?

- ✓ Keep your speed down
- ✓ Turn your engine off - do not idle
- ✓ Leave the middle of the road free, with enough room for other road users to easily pass through
- ✓ Make sure your child leaves and enters your vehicle safely onto the pavement
- ✓ Check for pedestrians and cyclists before opening a car door
- ✓ Leave enough room on pavements for pedestrians, pushchairs & wheelchairs to get past
- ✓ Take care when reversing
- ✓ do not park on zig zag lines

Please keep restricted areas clear...

- ✓ Zig Zags and school entrances
- ✓ Dropped kerbs
- ✓ Resident's driveways
- ✓ Opposite or within 10 meters of a junction- so that children can see cars and cars can see children

Your questions answered...

What would happen if I did park in a restricted area.

If you park in a restricted area you are putting children's lives in danger and for this reason school parking is regularly monitored and enforced. If you park in a restricted area you could receive a £70 fine.

Am I okay to park on zigzag markings if I am only there a few minutes?

No, under no circumstances should you park on zig zag markings at any time, these are there to protect school entrances and leave a clear view of the street for pedestrians.

**Please park considerably around our schools and keep our children safe!**

Don't Forget...

Congestion around schools is one of the main reasons given for dangerous parking and there are other ways you could do the school run...



**Never park on zig zags or block school entrances**

## Friends Virtual Wreath Making Evening

**Wednesday 2nd December 2020, 8pm, £10 per ticket**

Join us via zoom for a wreath making evening. Ticket includes a **DIY wreath making kit, containing 12" oasis wreath base, fresh greenery and everything you need to make a beautiful homemade wreath.** Please contact Sam Readyhough on 07748802639 to buy a ticket. **Tickets are limited and are on a first come, first served basis.** Zoom details will be provided closer to the time.



## Friends of Inskip St. Peter's

Christmas is fast approaching, and unfortunately we will not be able to have our famous Christmas Fayre. However, the Friends have a number of lovely Christmas projects with all proceeds going towards enriching our children's fun and educational experience at school. Once again they are offering the very popular Christmas wreath making evening but this year on zoom. They also have gifts and decorations for sale so go ahead and get organised and help the school at the same time!

### Festive Treats



As if **Terry's Chocolate Oranges** aren't festive enough by themselves, these gorgeous hand knitted covers increase the Christmas feel tenfold! Each cover comes with **your choice of a milk or dark chocolate Terry's Chocolate Orange**. Three designs are available – **Christmas Pudding, Christmas Tree and Santa Hat**. Numbers are limited, so get yours ordered today! Cost: £5 each (local collection/delivery only).

These cute hand knitted **mini Christmas stockings** contain a **mini packet of Haribo and a chocolate Christmas treat**. They come complete with loops for hanging on your tree or anywhere else that needs some festive cheer! Four colours are available – **red, white, dark (holly) green or yellow**. Numbers are limited, so get yours ordered today! Cost: £2.50 each (local collection/delivery only).



To place an order please contact Jo Cubitt on 07779 037332 to order or for more information.

### Beautiful bauble and tinsel rings



Beautiful bauble and tinsel rings to brighten up your home at Christmas!

These rings are approximately **10 inches in diameter**. Bauble colours are **red, blue, orange, pink and purple**. Two colours per ring subject to availability.

**These will be made on a first come first served basis.**

Cost: £6 each (local collection/delivery only).

Contact Lisa Morris on 07815 424788 to order or for more information.



### Board Games

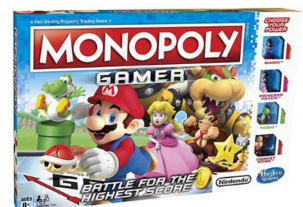
Everyone loves a new board game at Christmas! We have a limited number of **Jumanji** and **Mario Gamer Monopoly** board games for sale (kindly donated by Well Stuffed Toys). The games are all complete but are slight seconds, so may have damaged



boxes or have been opened and returned. However, this is reflected in the bargain price, so snap yours up quickly!

Cost: £7.50 each (local collection/delivery only).

Contact Jo Cubitt on 07779 037332 to order or for more information.



## Dates for the diary:-

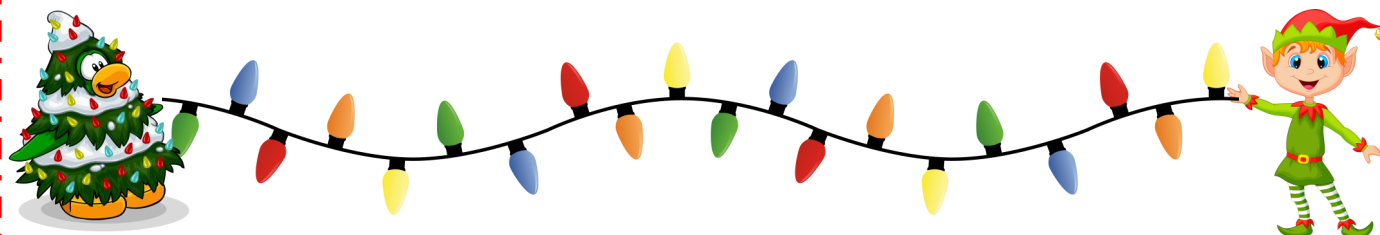
Thursday 19th Nov	Last day for Church Salvation Army collection
Friday 27th Nov	Friends Non-Uniform Day
Wednesday 2nd Dec	Friends Wreath Making Zoom
Friday 18th Dec	School Closes for Christmas
Monday 4th Jan	School Re-opens
Friday 15th Jan	Primary School Applications Close at 23:59

## Clubs:-


Unfortunately due to the current government restrictions all after school clubs are cancelled until further notice.

### Christmas Cards

We are all very excited for Christmas but we also want to help keep our school as safe for our children and school family as possible and so we will not be giving Christmas cards out inside school so please do not send them in with your children. We want to thank you everyone for your continued support in helping us to all stay well.



### School Flowers

 Its great that our pupils are getting to school early. If you are here before 8:50am though please make sure that your children **do not stand inside our big tyre** at the bottom of the drive. We've got bulbs planted in there trying their very hardest to grow!

### Salvation Army Christmas Donations

Revd. Paul would like to thank you for your kind toy donations so far. The **last day** for bringing your donations to school is this **Thursday 19th November**.



Tommy for 16th November