



# NEWSLETTER NO.13 AUTUMN TERM – 14 DEC 2018

## WEEK AHEAD

### WEEK 1 – NO CLUBS

Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> Jan	Welcome Back - Spring Term 2019 starts School Shop Open Whole School Assembly	08.45 08.45-09.45 08.55
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup>	First Mass for New Term and Epiphany – <i>All Welcome</i> - TBC	09.00 in Church
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup>	U11/U10 Boys Tag Rugby v Beechwood (AWAY) School Shop Open	Leave 13.45 Start 14.15 Collect from Venue 15.45 15.30-16.30
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup>		
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Awards Assembly and Chess Presentation PTA Movie Night	08.55 TBC

### MISSION IN ACTION AWARDS: 'LOVE IS ALL YOU NEED'

RECEPTION	Whole Class	For giving the gift of 'love' to Miss Cooper
YEAR 1	Whole Class	For absolutely amazing Nativity performances and for trying to remember the important message.
YEAR 2	Whole Class	For being completely FABULOUS narrators in our Nativity and getting the important message across!
YEAR 3	Ewan	For being so humble, modest and unassuming
	Aaron	For being such a cheerful, happy and positive member of the class
YEAR 4	Milo	For a really thoughtful letter to Santa
	Liberty	For being helpful and kind to her friends, especially with sewing
YEAR 5	Bea	For being so helpful, cheerful and hardworking at all times
YEAR 6	Whole Class	For preparing and leading a beautiful Carol Service
SUPPORT STAFF FRIENDSHIP AWARD	William (Y2)	For being a super friend to someone in need.

### CONGRATULATIONS:

#### • Year 6 News

Congratulations to Jack and Georgia who have both been offered places at Bethany School and to Georgia who has been awarded a Creative Arts Scholarship. Well done!

### NATIVITY PUBLICATIONS IN COURIER:

Nativity scenes from surrounding schools are being published in the Courier on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December. Foundation Stage Nativity is in the Courier today! and hopefully KS1 will be in on the 21<sup>st</sup> December.



### SATIRE AID

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas.... for some of us

At the time of year when many of us are busily drawing up wish lists and planning festive menus, it is a sobering thought that, throughout this country, there will be many children who have no hope of looking forward to opening even the smallest gift on Christmas Day or sitting down to a special Christmas meal. Satire Aid is determined to change that.

By visiting their website, online shoppers can simply go onto Amazon, choose a gift from a list, choose which part of the country to send it to, and social workers will then be able to distribute things to whomever they think best.

Last year, within two weeks well over 500,000 gifts were sent to various schemes across the country through word of mouth advertising only.

The scheme was brought to my attention by one of the parents here at Sacred Heart. Can I encourage you to take a look at the website [www.satireaid.com](http://www.satireaid.com) and see whether you can contribute to this cause. If you know of any gift drives in the local area, please send details to the school office so that I can put them forward. If you feel it is a worthy cause and are able to promote it via social media or other networks please do so.

Nobody at all benefits from this in any way, other than those receiving the gift. Thank you for reading this appeal.

## ***Another busy and exciting week at Sacred Heart School where learning is fun!***



In true Sacred Heart tradition our Recorder Group played Carols for the children during break time, retreating indoors this year due to the wet weather.



On Monday Mrs Chapman's pupils performed to the Nursery children and staff to say a big thank you as their lessons are now held in the Focussed Learning Room. Songs from musicals, Christmas Carols and exam pieces were beautifully played and sung to the delight of a very attentive audience! Mrs Chapman was extremely proud of all her pupils! We hope that you have a very happy Christmas



Our Senior Choir took their Carol Singing out again this week to visit Wadhurst Manor Residential Home.





# KS1 Nativity 'A Present for the Baby'





# Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper Day



The Talent Show and Christmas Jumper Day donations raised £200 altogether: £100 each for the Children in Need and Save the Children charities. Thank you for your support. Thanks to all our stars who entertained us on Thursday afternoon.



## Talent Show

If there were any doubt about the broad range of talents our pupils enjoy it was swept away yesterday as we were entertained by comedians, musicians, actors and a magician. Rupert, the Magician won the day, with Comediennes Chloe, Matilda, Florence and Bea and Jolly Jokers Alfred, George and Milo in second and third places. A special mention goes to Year 6 for their retelling of the story of Orpheus and Eurydice, transformed into something of a tragi-comedy. That is one Greek myth they will never forget! Thank you to Maestros of Ceremony, Mrs Jarman and Mrs Payne and our three judges, taking a swift break from their 'Strictly' duties.



Key policies are available via the school website or on request from the school.



## Carol Service led by Year 6

On behalf of all the staff and governors, thank you for your support during this long, busy and exciting term, especially during these last 2 weeks when we have welcomed in the season of Advent and anticipated the feast of Christmas. We all wish you a very happy and joyful time with your families and the gift of LOVE in abundance!

