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18th December 2020

Dear Parent / Guardian,

Mr O'Brien

Some of you may be aware that Mr O'Brien has been absent from school. We wish him a speedy recovery and hope to see him in the New Year.

Christmas Raffle

Thank you for the amazing response to our Christmas raffle and to the Christmas jumper donations for Manchester Children's Hospital. We managed to raise £840 for school and £200 for the Heart Department at Manchester Children's Hospital. You have been extremely generous and we really appreciate it.

Track & Trace over the Christmas Period

We are attaching a letter from Trafford regarding Christmas Holiday arrangements.

During the holidays we have been asked to continue contacting families whose children have been in contact with a Positive Case and asking them to isolate. If your child receives a positive test any time from now up until 24th December 2020 please email me directly on mnoctor@stannsrcprimary.co.uk. If a positive case occurs during this time the notification to isolate will be sent through ParentPay. Please continue to check your emails during this period.

Christmas Masses

Monday 21 st December	St Hugh of Lincoln	9.30am	with school
Tuesday 22 nd December	St Ann's	9.15am	
Wednesday 23 rd December	St Hugh of Lincoln	9.15am	
Thursday 24 th December (Christmas Eve)	St Hugh of Lincoln	3pm	(Eventbrite)
	St Hugh of Lincoln	6pm	(Eventbrite)
	St Ann's	8pm	(Eventbrite)
Friday 25 th December	St Ann's	9.30am	
(Christmas Day)	St Hugh of Lincoln	11.30am	

12 Days of Christmas

The staff and children have really enjoyed the 12 Days of Christmas! We hope it has brought some happiness to a somewhat strange year!

School meals

Our new Spring menu is on School Grid which takes us to Thursday 1st April 2021. Please ensure you have pre-ordered your child's school meals for when you return in January .

Free School meals

If you feel you make be eligible for Free School Meals or are unsure whether you qualify, we can make the application for you. Please email to school – Parent full name, Date of Birth and National Insurance Number.

After School Club and Breakfast Club

Thank you to all the parents who have booked onto the Breakfast and After School Club for next half term. These are both full to capacity now, so we are unable to take any further bookings.

2021 / 2022 Holiday Dates

You will receive an email of the holiday dates today. These will also be sent home as a paper copy in the New Year.

Christmas early finish

Please be reminded of our early finish times today.

<u>Current finishing time</u>	<u>Friday 18th December finishing time</u>
3.15pm	1.15pm
3.25pm	1.25pm
3.35pm	1.35pm

May I take this opportunity to wish you all a very Happy Christmas and a Happy and Healthy New Year. We look forward to seeing you back in school on Monday 4th January 2021.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs M. Noctor
Acting Headteacher