



Trinity St Stephen CE Aided First School

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*For unto us a Child is born,
Unto us a Son is given;*

06 December 2024

Dear Parents,

Thank you to Posan and her team of helpers who put on the Wreath Making this week. I have heard from many people that they thoroughly enjoyed the evening and they all have beautiful wreaths on their doors!

This week Year 3 and Year 4 had visitors from Caterlink leading cookie making. The children had great fun making their cookies and being chefs for the afternoon. There are some lovely photographs on the website.

Yesterday Year 3 and 4 also had a visit from the RBWM Road Safety Team. The workshop focussed on a number of different ways that we keep ourselves safe. Making sure we are appropriately belted into the car and have the correct seat for our height, always wearing a helmet when we are cycling and how and where to cross the road. Now the nights are darker too, keeping visible is also a key part of staying safe.

Reception had a special visitor too. PC David Bullock came to talk to the children in Reception as part of their 'People who help us' theme. He talked to the children and read his first PC Ben book. These books are a fantastic introduction for young children into the work of the police and how the police help us. There is a lovely Christmas book if you are looking for gifts: PC Ben and the Christmas Gift by David Bullock (available on Amazon)

We very much hope that you have enjoyed our Christingle Service. The children have enjoyed preparing to sing for you and we hope we have raised some much needed funds for The Children's Society. Any donation boxes which you have not brought back to school can be returned to the school office at the beginning of next week.

Next week we look forward to many of our Christmas events.

The school Christmas Lunch is on Wednesday. Children are able to wear their school uniform with Christmas accessories and Christmas jumpers if they would like to. Maybe a special visitor will visit everyone after our Christmas lunch!



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We would like to collect some sweet items for the homeless Christmas boxes this year. If you would like to contribute please see the list below for possible options:

- A pack of 4 or 6 mince pies or mini mince pies
- Stollen slices
- Chocolate fingers
- Kitkats
- A small selection box of chocolates
- Packet of biscuits

The school council will be manning a donation station on Wednesday morning.

On Wednesday evening we look forward to the Reception, Year 1 and 2 Nativity. All are welcome to join us in the church, ready to start at 6pm. Please make sure that any push chairs are kept in the church porch and younger siblings are taken out if they become restless and noisy.

On Thursday we head off the pantomime. If you have not already paid your voluntary contribution, please do. This can be done online using Scopay. The children will need a small ruck sack with a small plastic water bottle and an individual nut free snack to take with them. The estimated return to school is 4.20pm. Children will be taken into school and released through the normal doors. The playground will be open from 4pm.

Finally, at the end of the week the TSSSA and Year 4 Fair will be opening at 3.30pm on Friday 13 December. All children will be released onto the playground in the normal way and the Fair will open at 3.30pm. All are welcome to come back into school through the hall door to enjoy the fun.

Christmas Fair

Donations welcome: today it is mince pies and Christmas decorations, Friday 08 December: cakes and festive treats (no nuts) as well as another suitable food or drink donation.

On Monday 16 December the Golden Point House winners will be able to come to school in non-school uniform. The winners were announced today. Congratulations to the Green House.

Kind regards,

Louise Lovegrove



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Dates:

06 December 2024	Christmas Fair donations of Mince Pies and Christmas decorations please
09 December 2024	Sign Up for the Talent Shows opens
11 December 2024	Christmas Lunch
11 December 2024	Key Stage One and Reception - Nativity at St Stephen and St Agnes Church in Vansittart Road, starting at 6pm. All parents and carers are invited to join us.
12 December 2024	Whole School outing to The Theatre Royal Windsor Pantomime, <i>Dick Whittington</i>
13 December 2024	Donations for the Christmas Fair of cakes and festive treats (no nuts)
13 December 2024	TSSSA and Year 4 Christmas Fair (3.30-5.30pm)
16 December 2024	Golden House Points Winners - children in Green House are able to wear their own clothes
16 December 2024	9.15am Key Stage 2 Talent Show
17 December 2024	9.15am key Stage 1 Talent Show
18 December 2024	Key Stage Two Christmas Concert. 2pm at St Stephen and St Agnes Church
19 December 2024	Singing to residents of Viscount Court
20 December 2024	Pupil Term ends 3.15pm
06 January 2025	In Service Day- no school for pupils
07 January 2025	Pupil term starts



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