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# St. Joseph's Newsletter

FRIDAY, 7<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2018

## Mass Times

St Agnes: Saturday – 5.30 pm Wednesday – 7.30 pm  
Sunday - 11.00 am

St Aidan's: Sunday – 9.30 am

## BEST CLASS ATTENDANCE

Year 2 have had the best attendance this week.  
Well done Year 2!!!

## CHRISTMAS DINNER

Children will be having Christmas lunch in school on Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> December. If any of our junior children who normally stay packed lunch would like Christmas dinner, parents are asked to send £2.00 in to school in an envelope with their child's name & class clearly marked on the front by no later than Thursday, 13<sup>th</sup> December.

## ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DRAW

Win £100 cash or one of up to 20 prizes!!!

Thanks to the generosity of our parents and families, we received many items for our hampers today. Please return your completed draw cards to school along with money by no later than Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> December.

Additional cards can be obtained from the school office. Remember, you've got to be in it to win it!!!

## WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

Group	Percentages
Whole School	95.05%
Reception	98%
Year 1	96%
Year 2	98.67%
Year 3	97.93%
Year 4	90%
Year 5	90%
Year 6	94.81%

The table above shows the weekly attendance for all classes. Attendance for all children, for each class and for our school should be over 96%.

## END OF AUTUMN TERM 2018

School closes for the Christmas holiday on: -

Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018 at 1:30 p.m.

School will re-open after the holiday on:-

Tuesday, 8<sup>th</sup> January 2019 at 8:50 a.m.

(Children can come into class to work from 8:40 a.m.).

If you would like to use the Before School club during the first week back after the break, please book in by no later than Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> December. Thank you.

## SINGING AT HURST PARK COURT RESIDENTIAL HOME

Our choir will be visiting Hurst Park Court Residential Home on Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> December to sing for the residents and bring them some Christmas cheer.

## CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES

Christmas performances will be on the following dates and times:-

### Junior Classes (Year 3 – Year 6)

Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> December at 9.30 a.m. & 1.45 p.m.

Two tickets per child for either performance. Tickets will be issued on a first come first served basis.

### Year 1 and Year 2

Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> December at 9.30 a.m. & 1.45 p.m.

Two tickets per child for each performance

### Reception Class

Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> December at 1.45 p.m.

Four tickets per child

Tickets for all performances are priced at £1.00 and are on sale from the School Office from

Monday, 3<sup>rd</sup> December.

All money raised from ticket sales will go into School Fund.

## CHRISTMAS PARTIES

Christmas parties for all children will be on Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> December. This day is a non uniform day and children can come to school in party clothes. Parents and carers are reminded that the children will need to wear appropriate clothing and footwear for playing out in the cold. Jewellery should only consist of stud earrings and a watch, if anything. Food, drinks and prizes for the parties will be provided from School Fund.