



***"Starting children off through God's love and Jesus' teachings"***

**Christian Value:** Trust

**British Value:** Tolerance (Anti-Bullying)

**Living out the School Vision this Week: (Y1)**

**Curiosity:** "I wanted to know all about split diagraphs," said Zach.

**Compassion:** "I looked after someone who was hurt," reported Katie.

**Resilience:** "I have been concentrating on getting my numbers the right way round," shared Shania.

**Worship quote:** "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding."  
*Proverbs 3:5*

**Remember in our prayers:** hospice staff and families as they care for children and relatives in need.

**PTA Stalls and Bake Sale**

This event is going on in the hall and is very well attended.

Thank you to all PTA members who have baked cakes and been on the stalls.

Also, thank you for the generous donations for the class Christmas hamper raffle. The hampers are stuffed full! Final raffle tickets will be on sale during the bake sale/stalls this afternoon. The draw will take place during the cake sale and stalls, tonight.

**Santa Fun Run**

This event took place this afternoon, in order to fundraise for the Rainbows Children's Hospice. Thank you for your generous donations. These will go towards caring for children with terminal illness or those near to the end of life. A worthy cause indeed.

**'Flu Immunisations**

These 'nose squirts' were given, to all children with parental consent, on Monday. If you still wish for your child to be vaccinated, the nursing team should have sent through links to re-book at other venues.

**Christmas Concert Tickets**

These are available on Arbor via the 'School Shop' tab, until 12 noon on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup>. Parents can book up to 4 tickets per family, for the Reception Nativity and up to 3, for the Y1/2 concert. Further tickets may be available after this, please email the school office.

**Christmas Cards at School**

Children may bring in cards, next week, to post in the school post box, near the office. They will then be given out by the House Captains. Please ensure the class or year group are clearly labelled, as well as the child's name.

**Golden Worship**

Thank you for your attendance over the year. Golden Worship will recommence in the new year.

**Christmas Lunch**

This will take place on Thursday. Christmas jumpers are encouraged with normal uniform skirts/trousers.

**Church News**

It will be Messy Church this Sunday. Please see further information on the accompanying flyer.

Our school choir will be singing in the St Paul's Church Carol Service on Sunday 22<sup>ND</sup> December. Further details will follow

**Additional Clubs**

Cooking, Lego and drama clubs have now finished for this term. There will be another series, after February half term.

**Sports News**

The Y5/6 basketball squad are in action next week, for the final fixture of 2024.

**School Diary**

- Wed 11<sup>th</sup> Dec 2.15pm: Y1&2 Christmas Concert
- Thurs 12<sup>th</sup> Dec: Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas lunch
- Thurs 12<sup>th</sup> Dec 2.15pm: Reception Nativity
- Mon 16<sup>th</sup> Dec: Christmas crafts open classrooms, R,Y1,Y2-905am, Y3-6 2.15pm
- Tues 17<sup>th</sup> Dec: R,Y1, Y2 Christmas party
- Wed 18<sup>th</sup> Dec: Y3-6 Christmas party
- Thurs 19<sup>th</sup> Dec 2.15pm: Christingle in St Paul's Church (Y6 parents welcome)
- Fri 20<sup>th</sup> Dec: break up for Christmas
- Mon 6<sup>th</sup> Jan: return to school after Christmas.

Have a good  
weekend,  
Mrs Gilchrist

