

The Week Ahead

Tuesday 13th December

KS2 Christmas production 2pm

St. Pius Learning Community Carol Service 6.30pm

Wednesday 14th December

KS2 Christmas production 2pm

FS2 /KS1 Evening carol service in church 6pm

Thursday 15th December

Christmas lunch

F1 advent plays

11am morning children

2:45pm afternoon children

Friday 16th December

Christmas party lunch

School closes for the Christmas holidays at 2pm

After School Clubs

There are no after school clubs this week.

Advent Bags

We hope that the children who have already taken the Advent bags home have enjoyed sharing it with their families. Please note some children will not have had the advent bag yet, once it is given to your child it does need to be returned the next day so that it can be passed onto the next child. Thank you.

Christmas post box

The Christmas post box is now open. Full names and class should be clearly written on envelopes to avoid any confusion about where they should be delivered!

Mission Together

We have collected £203.47 for Mission Together. Thank you very much for your generosity

Christmas Lunch with Santa

Congratulations to the following children who have won the Letter to Santa competition and so will have lunch with him on Thursday;

Ethan Ellis	F2
Isla Mortlock	F2
Oliver Greathead	Y1
Scarlett Hickling	Y1
Charlie Hanley	Y2
Ella Beard	Y2



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Thursday 8th December 2016

This will be the last newsletter of 2016. The staff of Our Lady and St. Joseph's would like to wish everyone a very happy and holy Christmas and a peaceful New Year.

Key Stage 2 Christmas Production

On Tuesday 13th and Wednesday 14th December Key Stage 2 children will be performing "The Polar Express" at 2pm. Unfortunately, we can only allow **2 people per family to attend per day** because of the size of the hall and health and safety reasons. We hope you will be able to join us at this special time.

Foundation 2 and Key Stage 1 Carol Service

On Wednesday 14th December the Foundation 2 and Key stage 1 carol service will be in St Joseph's Church starting at 6pm. Children should meet in the church hall (behind the church) between 5:30 and 5:45pm. Children should wear all black clothing including black shoes; no logos or pictures please. Each family will be allowed a **maximum of 2 people** to attend church.

Foundation 1 Advent Plays

On Thursday 15th December Foundation 1 will perform their Advent Plays. The morning children will perform theirs at 11am and the afternoon children will perform theirs at 2.45pm in the Foundation unit.

Early Finish

School closes for the Christmas holidays at 2pm on Friday 16th December.

Holidays

School reopens on Wednesday 4th January. School dinners will be £6.15 for the rest of the week.

Kindness Awards

Calleigh Cottrell (Y3), Ayaan Goni (Y4), Drew O'Dowd (Y5) and Sophia Pashley (Y6) were nominated by their peers for a kindness award this week. Well done!

Attendance last week

F2	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
98%	93.5%	94.7%	98.6%	94.2%	97.7%	97%

Congratulations to Year 3. Well done.

Winter Wonderland

Thank you to everyone who worked to make Winter Wonderland such a great success.

You Tube Safety

The following site has some useful information how to ensure children use You Tube safely.

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/Documents/ThinkUKnow/Parents/H2%20guides/16/YouTube%20Parents'%20Guide.pdf?epslanguage=en-GB>

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 4 th January 2017	Return to school after the Christmas holidays
Thursday 12 th January 2017	Young Voices to perform at Sheffield Arena
Tuesday 17 th January	Everything Dinosaur to visit F1/F2/Y1/Y2-further details to follow in the New Year.

Young Voices

Young Voices after school club will run on Friday 6th January. There will be an opportunity for parents to find out about the arrangements for the actual performance at 4pm on that evening just before pick up time. There will be written information to go out to any parents who are unable to attend.

Jess cup

The Jess cup is presented once a week to a child who staff consider shows impeccable behaviour and makes an exceptional contribution to the life of the school. The winner last week was Miya Sitaz. Congratulations, Miya!

Special diners

Ronnie Grinsill-Clinton, Amy Smallwood, Scarlet Hickling, Oliver Hudson, Alex Cooper, Maisy Probert, Ciaran Martin and Sharon Mazhetu.

Next week's dinner menu-please note only choice Thursday-Christmas lunch and Friday Christmas Party lunch.

Week 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Red	Lasagne	Sausage & Yorkshire Pudding	Cottage Pie	Christmas lunch	Christmas Party lunch
Yellow	Quorn Sausage & Bean Plait	Tomato Pasta Bake	Vegetable Ravioli & Crusty Bread		Assorted Sandwiches Cheese Rolls Sausage Rolls
Green	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings				
Blue-Sandwich	Tuna Mayonnaise	Cheese	Ham		
	Seasoned Potato Wedges	Roast Potatoes Garlic Bread	Diced Potatoes		Chips
	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables		
	Jam Whirl & Custard Pinwheel Biscuit & Milk	Flapjack & Custard Chocolate Fudge Slice	Lemon Shortcake & Custard Cupcake		Assorted Christmas Buns Jelly Ice Cream