

The Week Ahead

Monday 11th December

FS2/Y1/Y2 performance 2pm

Tuesday 12th December

FS2/Y1/Y2 performance 2pm

Y6 to Wath Comp Panto

KS2 Young Voices performing at Wath Library 3:45pm

Wednesday 13th December

Toddler Group 9:10:30am

Winter Wonderland 3:15-5:15 Everyone welcome to attend

Thursday 14th December

Year 3 Music lessons

Y3/4 After school Football club 3:15-4:15 –Last one

KS2 Carol service St Joseph's Church 5:30pm

Friday 15th December

Christmas Jumper (or anything jolly!) day £1 to save the children appeal

Christmas lunch day-please note this is the only choice on this day

Jess Cup

The Jess Cup is awarded each week to a pupil who demonstrates impeccable behaviour and makes a good contribution to school life. Last week's winner of the Jess Cup was Charlie Wilson. Congratulations!

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!

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 Friday;

F1	Joseph Hudson
F1	Ted Beevers
F2	Darcie Mylcreest
F2	Harry Hudson
Y1	Ruby Jo Doyle
Y1	Jenson Doyle
Y2	Dillon Kitchen
Y2	Violet Parks Marriott



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Friday 8th December 2017

School Values

This term we are looking at hope as one of our school values. The symbol of the rainbow is our constant reminder of God's promise and gives us hope in times of sadness and struggle. The following children were nominated by their peers for a values award:

Y3 – Charlie Hanley

Y4 – Chris Kajekere

Y5 – Grace Wilson

Y6 – Jack Cooke

Foundation 2 & Key Stage 1 Christmas Production

Next Monday and Tuesday 11th and 12th December, FS2 and Key Stage 1 children will be performing "Christmas with the Aliens" at 2pm. For health and safety reasons, entrance is limited to two adults per family for each performance. We hope you will be able to join us at this special time. Entry will be via the junior playground side Hall door.

Key stage 2 Carol Service

On Thursday 14th December the Key stage 2 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.

Winter Wonderland – Wednesday 13th December 3:15-5:15pm

The PTA are organising this popular event once again. All children will be creating goods to sell and there will be food and drinks available. The PTA would appreciate any volunteers able to help on the day, Please let the school office know if you are able to help. Setting up will begin at 1:30 and the event runs from 3:15 to approx. 5:15pm

Foundation 1 Advent Play

On Monday 18th December Foundation 1 will perform their Advent Play in the foundation unit at 11am. The morning children will stay all day and have a party lunch.

Mission Together

We have collected £173.27 for Mission Together. Thank you very much for your generosity

Cold Weather

Please ensure your child has appropriate warm clothing and footwear, at this time of year. Children should have a hat and gloves for outdoor playtimes. Please make sure names are in all items of clothing.

First Holy Communion

Parents wishing their child to receive First Holy Communion this year should contact Fr Evangelist at church. Baptised Catholic children from Y3 upwards are eligible but if your child is not baptised you can also speak to Fr Evangelist about this

Dates for your diary

Monday 18 th December	F1 Production 11am. F1 children stay all day and have a Christmas party lunch
Tuesday 19 th December	St Pius Advent Service 6:30pm – KS2 choir performing
Wednesday 20 th December	F2/Y1/Y2/Y3/Y4-Flu nasal immunisation in school- please send reply slips back Christmas Party lunch School closes for the Christmas holidays at 2pm
Monday 8 th January 2018	Return to school

Attendance last week

F2	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
96%	98.7%	95.5%	99.3%	95.3%	91.9%	98%

Congratulations to Y3 Well done!

Next Week's Dinner menu-Please note Changes on Thursday and Friday-On Friday this is the only choice

Week 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday-Christmas Lunch
Red	Lasagne	Chicken Fajita	Cottage Pie	Battered Fish	Turkey & Stuffing with Pigs in Blankets
Yellow	Quorn Sausage Hotpot	Quorn Bolognaise	Cheese & Tomato Pizza	Cheese & Potato Layer	
Green	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings				
Blue-Sandwich	Tuna Mayo	Cheese	Ham	Egg Mayo	
	Sliced Potatoes	Potato Wedges Garlic Bread	Diced Potatoes		Roast / Creamed Potatoes
	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Peas/Carrots/Sprouts
	Australian Crunch Bun & Juice	Bakewell Tart & Custard Ice Cream & Fruit	Sticky Ginger Slice Cookie & Milk	Lemon Shortcake & Custard Chocolate Mousse	Chocolate Pudding & Custard

Special Diners

This week's special diners are: Zachary Milner, Oscar- Finley Eden, George Morton, Ave Poole, Eloise Kennedy, Gianni Capponi, Libby Jackson and Tobias Janvier

Rotherham Minster Concert

Congratulations to those children who sang at the concert on Wednesday. Not only did they perform beautifully, they also worked brilliantly as a team and their excellent behaviour made them great ambassadors for our school in the wider community. Well done!