ST GEORGE' S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers

Christmas 2017

Christmas is fast approaching and we have many events planned at the school and thought it would be useful to make you aware of them all as early as possible.

School Christmas Fayre

Our School Christmas Fayre is from 2:30pm on Friday 1st December. Please come along and support. We would greatly appreciate any help setting up and running stalls. Please speak to Mrs Gordge if you are able to support.

Christmas Nativity

KS1 will be performing their Nativity on the following dates:

Tuesday 5th December – Matinee Performance at 2pm for grandparents

Wednesday 6th December – 6pm

Thursday 7th December – 6pm.

Letters to Father Christmas

Children in every class will be writing letters to Father Christmas in class during the build-up to Christmas. We plan to leave them in the School Hall one night and hope that he may be able to find the time to visit and read them. Class teachers will be reminding children that Father Christmas will want to see their very best work.

School Christmas Dinner Day

The School Christmas Dinner will be on Tuesday 19th December. Please make sure order forms are completed in time as this is a very popular dinner. In addition, we would like the children to wear a Christmas Jumper on this day. We will be asking for donations of £1 and money raised will be donated to CAFOD.

Carol Service at St George's Church

The KS2 Carol Service will be at the church this year on Wednesday 20th December at 9:15am. Although it is a KS2 Carol Service, KS1 will be attending to enjoy the beautiful singing. All parents, carers and members of the parish are welcome to attend.

End of Term Mass

The end of term Mass will be at School on Thursday 21st December at 9:30am. All parents, carers and members of the parish are welcome to attend.

Dates

The term ends on Thursday 21st December and the Spring Term starts on Monday 8th January 2018.

Christmas Quiz

We are currently selling a Christmas Quiz both in school and at St George's Church. The challenge is to identify all the celebrities in the quiz. We have made it trickier by putting Santa hats on each picture. Quizzes will be on sale at the School Office and all Christmas Events. The cost is £1 and the winning quiz drawn out of the raffle will receive £20. Please try and sell the quiz to family and friends and make a competition of it. Money raised will be shared between the school and church.

Parking at Key Events

When parking on the school premises for the Christmas Fayre, Nativity, Mass etc can I please ask parents and carers to be kind in leaving a name and contact number on the dashboard of your car if you are blocking somebody in. This should make things a little easier when trying to identify whose car belongs to whom.

Safeguarding

We are happy for photos or videos to be taken at our school events. We do ask that photos or videos are not put on any social media websites or sent by email to others.

Mark Braund

Headteacher