



# Newsletter 29th November 2019

We are all 'wonderfully made' and loved by Him just as we are.

## What is coming up ...

- Monday 2nd Dec – Local Governing Body meeting at 4.30pm
- Wednesday 4th Dec – Year 6 IMPS visit in the morning
- Thursday 5th Dec – Year 6 IMPS visit in the morning
- Monday 9th Dec – Year 5 & 6 Disco 3pm to 4.30pm
- Tuesday 10th Dec – Nursery Stay & Play Christmas activities, 12:30pm – 1:30pm
- Tuesday 10th Dec – Foundation Stage 2 Nativity, 1:30pm – 2:30pm
- Tuesday 10th Dec – F2, Y1, Y2 Disco – 3pm to 4.30pm
- Wednesday 11th Dec – Nursery stay & play Christmas activities, 8:30am – 10:00am
- Thursday 12th Dec – Year 1 & 2 Nativity, 9:30am & 1:30pm
- Thursday 12th Dec – Year 3 & 4 Disco – 3pm to 4.30pm
- Friday 13th Dec – KS1 Pantomime visit (in the morning)
- Friday 13th Dec – Whole school Christmas Dinner
- Monday 16th Dec – Christingle Services at St. Aidan's Church – for class times see further down this newsletter
- Monday 16th Dec – Nursery Christmas Party (afternoon)
- Tuesday 17th Dec – Nursery Christmas Party (morning)
- Wednesday 18th Dec – Rock Steady Music Christmas Performance (see more below)
- Wednesday 18th Dec – Christmas Parties for rest of school (afternoon)
- Friday 20th Dec – Last day of term (finish at normal time of 3pm)

## Christingle Service at St Aidan's Church

We will be holding our Christingle Services at St Aidan's Church on the morning of Monday 16th December. It would be lovely if friends and families could join us for this wonderful celebration.

Due to the numbers of the children in the school (and the safety of using lit candles) we have to have three separate services. These are as follows:

9.10am	10.10am	11.10am
Miss Crawford's Class Mr Prosser's Class Miss Shand's Class Mr Shores' Class Ms Walker's Class	Mrs Rutter's Class Mr Peck's Class Miss Wilson's Class Miss Good's Class Miss Patrick's Class	Mrs Mitchinson's Class Mrs Blackmore's Class Mrs Hancock's Class Miss Schorah's Class

## Christmas Discos

These are the days and times for this years Christmas Discos

**Year 5 & 6** – Monday 9th December, 3:15pm – 4:30pm

**Year 3 & 4** – Thursday 12th December, 3:15pm – 4:30pm

**F2, Year 1 & Year 2** – Tuesday 10th December, 3:15pm – 4:30pm

Please ensure that your child brings a change of clothes with them so that they can get changed and enter the disco straight after school finishes. All children will need collecting at 4:30pm from the rear entrance of the gym by a responsible adult.

## Rock Steady Christmas Concert

On Wednesday 18th December at 9.30am, our four rock bands, taught by Rock Steady Music School, will be putting on a Christmas performance for us in the main hall. If your child is one of the musicians in these rock bands please come and join us if you can (no cost involved!). Final details in next week's newsletter.

## **School Exhibitions**

Children in Key Stage 2 would love to share their learning from this half term with you. They will be hosting two separate events and they would like to invite their families along so they can talk about their work and show you what they have been doing. It will be in the main hall for both days.

- Year 5 and Year 6 – Tuesday 17th Dec from 1pm
- Year 3 and Year 4 – Thursday 19th Dec from 1pm

We will share final details in next week's newsletter.

## **Christmas Decorations**

It is getting closer to that time of year and we will soon be decorating the school to celebrate Christmas. If you have any Christmas trees or other decorations that you do not want anymore, rather than throw them out we would love to receive them so we can brighten up the school for the festive season!

## **Contact Details**

Please don't forget to keep us up to date with any contact detail changes!

## **Advent**

On Sunday Advent begins – this is an exciting time for Christians as we wait and prepare for Jesus coming to Earth. As part of this we will be creating a Jesse Tree in school. A Jesse Tree is a decorative tree used during Advent to retell the stories of the Bible that lead to Jesus's birth. We will also share these stories everyday on our website, Twitter and ParentHub so families can share the wonder of this time with us in school.