



St John's Chapel Primary School



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Newsletter 6th December

What's happening next week?

		Equipment needed
Monday	Lego club 3:15 -4:00	Dinner money Book bag & homework
Tuesday	Christmas Performance 14:00-14:30	CANCELLED DUE TO ILLNESS
Wednesday	Drama Club 3:15-4:15	
Thursday	Peripatetic Music Lessons	Instruments
	Lunchtime football club	Football kit
Friday	PE lesson	PE kit
	Dance Festival	PE kit - white t- shirt and black bottoms.

This week's awards

This week's winning team is **RED** team with **89** house points. Well done **RED** team!
RED team are still in the lead as the overall winners with **1130** points!

Pupils of the Week:

Amy and **Patrick**- for showing super resilience and adaptability on Wednesday. Absolute stars!

Sonny- for showing a keen interest in number work and counting accurately.

Christmas Performance Postponed

Unfortunately, we are going to need to postpone our Christmas production, as we have had 8 of our 14 pupils off for some time this week. Most of these have been our older children, who have the main speaking parts and we have not been able to rehearse sufficiently. We have rescheduled it for **Wednesday 18th December at 2:30pm**. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

Reverse Advent Calendar

On Monday the children will be bringing home The Twelve Days of Christmas Kindness Activity sheet. We started this in school this week. Each day we try to do something kind for someone. The children wanted to bring one home to do over the festive period. With this thought the children decided to do a reverse Advent Calendar, instead of getting a treat from the calendar each day, they wanted to give something. We would like to ask for any tins/dry food that you might have spare for our reverse Advent calendar. We will then donate these to our local food bank. Just one tin or packet could help those less

fortunate in our community. There will be a box for donations in the foyer. Thank you for your support.

Winter Weather Arrangements

As the weather gets colder, please ensure that your child brings a warm coat, hat and gloves to school each day. Your child will also need wellies or boots on snowy days and a pair of indoor shoes to change into.

Clothing Recycling



Just in case any of you are sorting out clothing prior to Christmas, we will be receiving a collection from the Firefighter’s Charity on **Monday 20th January**. Bags will be sent home shortly and can be brought into school from **Monday 13th January**.

For each kilo of good quality clothing we donate, we receive a donation to our school funds. They cannot accept bric-a-brac, toys, duvets, bedding, blankets, household linen, pillows and cushions, carpets, rugs and mats, curtains, towels, soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing, school uniform with or without logo, corporate clothing or work wear, textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast club is running every morning from 07:45. The cost is £2.50 per session. Please contact Miss Foot if you would like your child to attend. If after booking there are any changes, please contact the school office.



Dates for your diary

New dates added this week = red

Tue 10 th Dec	Christmas performance 2pm- CANCELLED
Fri 13 th Dec	Dance Festival
Tues 17 th Dec	Christmas lunch
Wed 18th Dec	Children singing for Barrington Bites lunch club
Wed 18th Dec 2:30pm	Rescheduled Christmas performance
Thur 19 th Dec	Christmas party
Fri 20 th Dec	Christingle @ SJC church
Fri 20 th Dec	School closes for Christmas holidays
Mon 6 th January 2020	Staff training day- school closed to pupils
Tues 7 th Jan	School reopens for teaching purposes
Mon 20 th Jan	Firefighters’ charity clothing collection