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NEXT WEEK

Monday 9th December

Tuesday 10th December

9:30am 'The Nativity' for F1 Parents
3:30pm-4:30pm: Last Brixmania Club

Wednesday 11th December

9:30am 'The Nativity' for F2 Parents
12:30pm: Pro-Skill Football Club
3:30pm-4:30pm Chess Club
3:30pm-4:30pm Art Club

Thursday 12th December

School Closed-
General Election

Friday 13th December

Christmas Jumper Day for
'Save The Children'



FoDS News



Paper Chain Strips

During the lunch hour we are continuing to sell paper chain strips at 50p each. The paper chain will be cut on **Friday 13th December** during assembly. The winner will receive a children's hamper of goodies.



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Christmas Bazaar **Friday 6th December 10-11.30am and** **2-4pm**

We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at our Bazaar tomorrow. Don't forget to send the children in with a few pounds and a bag to bring home any goodies.

Hope you enjoy the event and we will let you know how much was raised next week.



Adult Christmas Raffle

Tickets for our adult raffle will continue to be on sale at 50p each or £2.50 per strip. They will be on sale in the playground before and after school. There is a long list of fabulous prizes so please look out for a FoDS rep selling

them or ask Mandy Parr at the school office.

The draw will take place at assembly on the **20th December** and the lucky winners notified that day.

Birthday Calendars

We will be selling our Birthday Calendars at the Bazaar tomorrow. They cost £6 each or £5 if buying 2 or more. There will also be order forms to take away if you don't wish to purchase there and then. We only have a limited number of calendars and they will therefore be sold on a first come first served basis. Thank you for your support.

Steps of Hope

Steps of Hope are a Christian based street project supporting those who live on the streets of Liverpool.

This year, they are collecting selection boxes to give to the homeless during the Christmas period.

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If you would like to donate a selection box to this cause, please send it into the school office. Thank you.



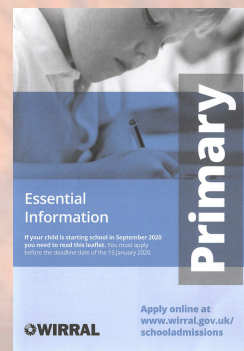
As previously mentioned in January 2020, we will be launching a new school menu. The menu has been devised in consultation with all pupils and the school's catering consultants. A copy of this menu can now be found on our website under 'Parent information' then 'School Meals'.

If your child would like to go onto school meals from January please send in a note to the School office by **13th December** to allow us time to process the request. The cost of the meals remains the same at £2.20 per day (£11 per week) which we think represents excellent value.



The school choir will be singing at the Peace Proms concert at Liverpool's M&S Bank Arena on **Saturday 18th January**. Tickets are now on sale for the concert from the M&S Bank Arena website.

Foundation 2 Admissions 2020



A reminder that applications for a place in Foundation 2 for September 2019 should be submitted by **15th January 2020**. Parents should apply online at:

<https://www.wirral.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school-admissions/apply-primary-or-secondary-school-place>

Dawpool's Admissions Policy and
Supplementary Form can be

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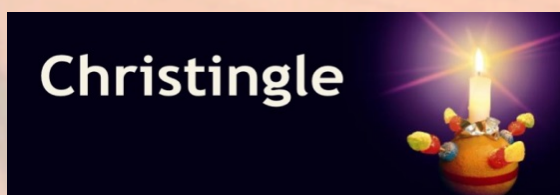
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downloaded from our website under the 'Our Prospectus & Admissions' tab.



The Christingle Service for Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6 pupils and Y6 parents and carers will take place at St Bartholomew's Church on **Wednesday 11th December at 6:00pm.**

All Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 pupils are required to attend the Service and should be seated in Church by 6:00pm. The Service will be finished by 7:00pm. Please car-share where possible to avoid congestion by the Church.



Tomorrow all children in KS2 will bring home a Christingle collection envelope.

Please help to support the 'Children's Society' by putting a monetary donation inside the envelope. Your child is asked to **bring the envelope to church** for the Christingle Service on **11th December.**

Thank you for your generosity

Early Years' Nativity

F1 and F2 pupils are looking forward to their performances of 'The Nativity'. There will be two performances as follows:

Tuesday 10th December at 9:30am
Performance for **Foundation 1** parents and carers

Wednesday 11th December at 9:30am
Performance for **Foundation 2** parents and carers



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Parents and carers of pupils in Years 3, 4 and 5 are invited to attend a Carol Service at St Chad's Church on **Monday 16th December at 10:00am**. The service will be led by pupils in Years 3, 4 and 5. We intend to walk the children to the church after morning registration, and back again at the end of the service. Please let the school office know if you can support with the walk to church and we will reserve you a seat at the service.

Christmas Jumper Day for 'Save the Children'

On **Friday 13th December**, we invite all children (parents and staff included!) to come to school, in a Christmas jumper (or other Christmas-themed top). If you do not have a Christmas top, please do not worry. Children are still welcome to come to school in non-uniform. If you would like to make a donation to 'Save the Children', please send your child in with £1. Many thanks.

Christmas Recipe

Year 1 and Year 2 pupils will perform 'Christmas Recipe' for their parents and carers as follows:

Tuesday 17th December at 2:00pm
Wednesday 18th December at 9:30am



Parish Church News

For Church information visit
www.thurstaston.org.uk

Sunday 8th December 9.30am Junior Church - Nativity Rehearsal

Wishing you a great weekend.

My very best wishes.

David Burrows
Head Teacher

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