



# Christmas 2017

Unbelievably, this is the last newsletter of 2017, time goes so quickly. Please find an update on events coming up during the next couple of weeks. May I take this opportunity to wish you a peaceful, blessed and happy Christmas.

Many of you may have noticed a new face on our yard each morning. Mr John Davison has joined our school community as Site Supervisor and I am sure you will all give him a warm welcome.

#### **Christmas Sing-a-Long**

Please join us on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December for our Christmas Sing-a-Long, coffee morning and Yr6 Virgin Money Raffle. Our festive end to the term! Performance times are as follows:



9.30	-	9.40	Year 5 & 6
9.45	-	9.55	Year 4 & 3
10.00	-	10.10	Year 1 & 2
10.15	-	10.30	Reception & Nursery

# **Diary Dates**

Date & Time	Event	Class
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> December 10.30 am	Choir singing at Durham	
	House	
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> December 2 pm	Nativity	Reception, Year 1 & Choir
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> December 9.30 am	Nativity	Reception, Year 1 & Choir
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> December 1.30 pm	Dick Whittington, school hall	Reception to Year 6
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> December - am	Oliver at St Robert's	Years 4 & 5
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Lunch	
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> December 9.30 am	Nativity	Nursery
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> December 2 pm	Carol Service	Year 2 to Year 6
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Yr 6 Virgin Money Day	Whole School invited
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December - pm	Christmas Party	Years 1 & 2
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> December – am	Christmas Party	Nursery
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> December – pm	Christmas Party	Reception Class & Year 6
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> December - pm	Christmas Party	Years 3, 4 & 5
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> December	Toy Day - no electronics	
	Christmas Sing-a-Long with	See Sheet with running order
	Virgin Raffle Draw	
	Christmas Jumper Day	

## Dick Whittington

On Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December the pantomime, Dick Whittington will be coming into school. This is a special Christmas treat for our children. Please do not send any money in.

#### After School Clubs

After school clubs **ended** this week to allow preparations to begin for the Christmas productions except Fit for Fun which will continue on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December.

## **Christmas Jumper Day**

Children are invited to wear their Christmas Jumper on the last day of term (Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December). This will be a non-uniform day £1 donation towards Save the Children fund.

# Virgin Money Day

Yr6 will be selling Christmas items, decorated biscuits, nail art & tattoos as part of their 'Virgin Money' Make your money grow project on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December, and items will be priced 50p to £1. See attached letter for further details. Classes will be invited on a rota basis throughout the day to visit Year 6.

#### **Christmas Parties**

Children should come into school in their party clothes on their party day but please remember that they will be going out to play so will need a coat and sensible shoes. Again, this year each child is asked to provide their OWN plate of party food, this should be brought in by the **child** on the morning of their party. School will provide a cracker and drinks.

Just a reminder that school closes on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2017 and re-opens to pupils on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2018.







