

School Notice Board

December

Monday 17th—Y4,5,6 Carols by Candle-light 6.00pm in church

Tuesday 18th—Christmas dinner and party day - children to wear own clothes

Wednesday 19th—Mass in school 9.30am

Wednesday 19th— school closes 1.15pm

January

Thursday 3rd—School Opens 8.50am

Wednesday 9th - Whole school Mass in church 9.30am



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WEEKLY UPDATE

14th December 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the final Autumn term update.

Our Christmas performances are always very special events and I'm sure you'll agree that this year was no exception. On Wednesday afternoon we were treated to a wonderful production of 'Humph the Camel' by FS2. The children performed beautifully and confidently on the stage.

This was followed by Y 1,2 & 3's performance of 'Magical Christmas Journey' on Wednesday evening. We were astounded by the polished performance which was thoroughly enjoyed by all. We certainly have some budding performers in these years.

On Thursday, FS1 held a special Christmas concert and sang songs which they have been learning with Sam over recent weeks.

All our children across school were so excited about performing for you and their enthusiasm and enjoyment was matched only by the quality of performances they gave. Well done to our talented children for giving of their best and letting their light shine. As you can imagine this is not possible without the hard work and support of the staff so a big thank you to all our staff who worked so hard to enable the children to perform so successfully

The shows are not over yet—Years 4,5&6 have been busy rehearsing for 'Carols by Candlelight' which will take place on Monday 17th at 6pm in Church. Please come along to enjoy this special event with the children.

Have a lovely weekend
Mrs J McLaughlin

Advent Reflection

This Sunday will be the third Sunday of Advent when the rose coloured candle will be lit and we will pass the midpoint of Advent. The change in colour provides us with encouragement to continue our spiritual preparation. The third candle stands for Joy. During Advent we think about the joy of Jesus being born and how happy that makes us. It is also a time to bring joy to others. Ask your children to think of ways in which they can do this.



Mrs Williams' Sports News

Well done to the Year 4/5 boys who represented St Elizabeth's at the Manchester City tournament. Thank you to all the parents who have supported their children and picked up from the various sports and the different venues throughout the term.

Breakfast with Santa

This morning there were lots of children who came to school bright and early to have breakfast with Santa. I'm sure you'll agree that it was a huge success. This was a joyous occasion and it was lovely to see our school beginning to celebrate the Christmas season together. A huge thank you to the PTA for all their hard work and dedication on the lead up to this event.



Community News

Peel Hall moat watch are organising Carols in the Park, why not come along and join in the singing. Refreshments will be served by the PTA.
When: Saturday 22nd December
Time: 4pm
Where: Peel Hall Park

Christmas dinner/party day

Tuesday 18th is Christmas dinner/party day. For children on packed lunches, please provide an extra special festive treat in lunch boxes. Children will be making Christmas hats in the morning and can come into school wearing party clothes/Christmas jumpers.



Attendance W/B 3rd December

FS1 84.7% **FS2** 80%

Y1 100% **Y2** 95.9%

Y3 95.2% **Y4** 88.3%

Y5 99.3% **Y6** 91.3%

Whole school attendance 92.2%. Congratulations to Year 1 for the 4th week with 100%. Year 5 are a close second on 99.3%

Attendance W/B 10th December

FS1 92.7% **FS2** 92.9%

Y1 96.9% **Y2** 96.1%

Y3 95.5% **Y4** 94.7%

Y5 96.6% **Y6** 95.4%

Whole school attendance 95.2% Congratulations to Year 1 for the 5th week with 96.9%.

There are 194 pupils with 100% attendance this week, well done children!

