

Adel St John the Baptist Church of England Primary School Newsletter

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Deputy Headteacher's Message

Our Christmas fair is fast approaching and there is a buzz of excitement among the children as they are busy making lovely things to sell on their class' stall. This year the fair is being held on a Friday, in the hope that all children can attend with the person/people collecting them from school. The children are going to be running the stalls with the help of their class teacher. Each stall will have a game to play and something to buy. In order to make it as fair as possible the class teacher has a list of time slots from 3.30-5.30 so each child can sign up for a 15-minute time slot to help out. This way they can be involved in selling on their class stall as well as having time to go and enjoy the rest of the fair. Time slot lists will be available in KS1 from Monday and KS2 children will complete them in class. Can I suggest KS2 parents tell their child/ren a time that will suit your family. We really hope to see you there and help make this annual PTA event a success.



Year 3 have been making tea-light holders



and the treasure map game!

Year 4 have been to South Parade Baptist Church this week to take part in the 'Rewind to Christmas' celebration. They had a great time making their own tealight holders, and other activities which help the children to remember the true meaning of Christmas.



Year 5 have created Poems and space paintings with Mr McVeigh in Year 5. They have loved working with Mr McVeigh this past three weeks while I have been covering Mrs Hainsworth's absence. I'm sure we will be asking him to return in the future.

We can confirm that we've had a great response to the Mad Science after school programme and it will be going ahead as scheduled on THURSDAYS after school for 1 hour starting on Thursday 17th January. There are just 15 places remaining so if you want to book you child on please book online at <u>http://nwyorkshire.madscience.org/</u> or call the Mad Science Team on 01772 628844.

Have a super weekend! There will be no newsletter next Friday due to the Christmas Fair, however we will catch up on all the news the following Friday 14th December. Emma Jackson Deputy Headteacher

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Weekly prayer

Dear God, We thank you Lord for the world you gave us. The colourful rainbows, the tallest mountains, the flowing rivers and the widest seas. Our world has everlasting beauty that we can admire every day. Teach us to never take it for granted. Amen



Shop online. Raise donations. For free.

PTA News

There are 64 supporters who have signed up for Easy Fundraising (mentioned in last week's newsletter). Could we make it to 100?! If you haven't already joined this website it's so easy so give it a go. Online Christmas shopping could help raise our funds.

Non uniform day is next Friday – 6th December, please bring a bottle for the Christmas Fair.

The Christmas Fair will have a program to buy on the door as you come into the fair. Year 6 children have designed and made the program which includes a Christmas Quiz. Make sure you complete the quiz and submit your name with the answers. Correct answers will be placed in a hat and a winner will be drawn. We will announce the winner on Monday 10th December.

Adel Stairway Reward Booklets:

Congratulations to the following children who have completed their booklets this week.

Esther 1		Indy	1	
Sam 1		Viola	1	
Ava 1		Benjam	in	1
Sienna 1		Finlay 4	4	
Charlotte	1	Annabe	elle	5

Dinner money Please ensure dinner money is paid <u>on</u> <u>time</u>, either weekly or half termly, in advance, thank you.

Autumn Term 2	Spring Term 1
5 th Nov – 21 st Dec 2018	7 th Jan – 15 th Feb 2019
£75.25	£64.50

Community leaflets in school

PRIMARY

Please feel free to call in and pick one up:

 The Christmas Experience – Lotherton Hall

	Attenda	nce and N	linutes Lo	ate Repor	t		
Our target for whole school attendance is 97% - Whole school attendance last week was 97.07%							
	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Attendance							
(4th September 2018 – 23 rd Nov 2018)	97.23%	99.69%	96.8 1%	98.77%	97.79%	98.24%	95.68%
Minutes Late							
(19 th -23 rd Nov 2018)	0	1	1	2	0	0	12
Number of children arriving between 9.00 - 9.05am (19 th - 23 rd Nov)	2	2	3	2	5	1	5



Last week's Weekly 100% Attendance goes

to:

Year 1

Golden Book Tuesday 27th November 2018 – this week's Golden Stars!

Reception Staff Vote	Sehaj for fantastic writing of sentences.
Year 1 Staff Vote	Freddie for persevering in our long distance run.
Year 1 Pupil Vote	Seb for being a kind member of gymnastics club.
Year 2 Staff Vote	Alfie for his enthusiasm on the carpet. He always has his hand up and is an active member of Year 2.
Year 2 Pupil Vote	Ethan for being brilliant with his line learning.
Year 3 Staff Vote	Isobel for always giving examples from the text to back up her answers in Guided Reading.
Year 3 Pupil Vote	Immanuel for being a good friend.
Year 4 Staff Vote	Matthew for great partner work during computing by helping his partner program using 'Scratch'.
Year 4 Pupil Vote	Alice for a great first day, particularly writing a great setting description with neat hand writing.
Year 5 Staff Vote	Ben L for his super work and great enthusiasm on the 'Space' topic.
Year 5 Pupil Vote	Ayman for being a great partner with Josh when making space buggies in DT.
Year 6 Staff Vote	Navraj And Rohan for teaching fractions to the rest of the class.
Year 6 Pupil Vote	Halle for sharing her great ideas in DT lessons.



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Thursday 6 th December	Non-uniform day bring a bottle for the Christmas Fair		
Friday 7 th December 2018	PTA Christmas Fayre (after school – 3:30pm – 5:30pm)		
Tuesday 11 th December 2018	KS1 Nativity - Evening performance 6:30pm		
Wednesday 12 th December 2018	Influenza immunisations – Reception – Year 5		
Wednesday 12 th November 2018	PTA meeting in school – all welcome 7.30pm		
Thursday 13 th December 2018	KS1 Nativity – Afternoon performance 1:45pm		
Friday 14 th December 2018	Whole school Christmas lunch		
Tuesday 18 th December 2018	KS2 Christmas Party Yr 5/6		
Wednesday 19 th December 2018	KS2 Christmas Party Yr 3/4		
Thursday 20 th December 2018	KS1 Christmas Party Yr 1/2/Reception		
Friday 21 st December 2018	Christmas Collective Worship – all welcome		
Friday 21 st December 2018	Carols around the tree – 2.45pm - All welcome		
Friday 21 st December 2018	Last day of Autumn term		
Monday 7 th January 2019	First day back of Spring term		
Thursday 10 th January 2019	Reception 2019 Open afternoon 1.30pm		
Wednesday 23 January 2019	Year 4 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome		
Friday 1 st February 2019	School Disco		
Wednesday 6 th February 2019	Year 5 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome		
Wednesday 6 th March 2019	Year 3 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome		
Wednesday 1 st May 2019	Year 2 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome		
Wednesday 12 June 2019	Year 1 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome		
Thursday 2 nd May 2019	Whole school training day		
Wednesday 24 th July 2019	Whole School training day		