

<u>Christmas Fair</u>

Friday 8th December from 3pm-5.30pm Many thanks to everyone who donated lots of goodies for the raffle and hampers for next week's Christmas fair. With only one week to go, we are still in need of further donations to fill the following stalls:

- *Filled Jars*—we still need lots of jars filled with lovely assortments such as crafts, sweets, chocolates, tea lights, hair accessories
- Cakes—please bring in cakes on Friday morning for our cake stall

Toy Stall—please donate good quality toys and games Please come along and support the school from 3pm next Friday.

Christmas Lunch—Thursday 14th December 2017

Christmas Lunch will be served on 14th December. Roast Turkey with all the trimmings will replace the original choice of Roast Gammon and Super Quorn Roast will be served as the vegetarian option. Please note jacket potatoes will NOT be available on that day. Please ensure you book your child/ren's Christmas Lunch by Wednesday 6th December via ParentPay. If you have any problems, please contact the office before 3.30pm on Wednesday.

Twitter

We now have a twitter account so we can keep parents and the community up to date on our daily activities. We are ho tweet regularly so please follow us @StDavidsCofE. We are hoping to

Christmas Nativity Play—Call the Midwife

Our nativity this year is taking place at 2pm on Tuesday 12th December at St David's Church. KSI have been working really hard learning their lines and all the other children will join in with songs and celebrations. We hope to see lots of parents there!

Coats

Could parents please ensure their children are sent to school with a coat each day. The weather is getting much colder and all children should now be wearing their coats during morning and lunch breaks.

St David's Church Christingle

4pm Christmas Eve Everyone Welcome

REMEMBER

3.30PM ON

WEDNESDAYS!

Saints Southwest Christmas Holiday Courses

Saints are running Christmas Holiday courses in the South West for all children aged 4-12.

There is a course in Exeter on Wednesday 20th December at Exeter Arena, although there are other course running on others days in surrounding areas such as Ottery St Mary, Newton Abbot etc.

Sessions run from 10am-3pm at a cost of £7.50 (ages 7-12) and £5 (ages 4-6) for the day!

So if you fancy a day to yourself to do some last minute Christmas shopping visitwww.saintssouthwest.co.uk to book your space!

Full details will be on the notice board in the playground.

Please remember Key Stage 1 (Ruby & Emerald class) need to Book School Meals by order lunches from the 'KS1' section as to avoid being charged incorrectly.

PLEASE **CLEAR YOUR DEBTS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE**

Diary **Term Dates**

Last day of term Friday 15th December

Christmas Holiday Monday 18th December Monday 1st January

Non-Pupil Day **Tuesday 2nd January**

Return to School Wednesday 3rd January 2018

Diary Dates

Christmas Fair Friday 8th December 3pm-5.30pm

Christmas Nativity Play Tuesday 12th December at 2pm

Carols around the Christmas Tree Thursday 14th December at 2.30p

Wear a Christmas Jumper week l1th-15th December



| Ruby | Reception: Marie — because of the positive attitude she has developed towards her learning. |
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| | She is a particularly creative member of the Ruby team and puts a tremendous amount of |
| | thought and effort into her work. Great work Marie! |
| Emerald | Year 1: Evie — for her brilliant word choices and her amazing writing in English. Well done |
| | Evie! |
| | Year 2: Gabriela — for her amazing performance during rehearsals and for learning all her |
| | lines. Well Done Gabriela! |
| Sapphire | Year 3: Holly— enters school every morning with confidence, maturity and eagerness to |
| | learn. It is a joy to see Holly's enthusiasm and learning about WW2. She has fully immersed |
| | herself in the topic and she has even brought books into school so we can all learn more about |
| | Anne Frank. Thank you Holly. |
| | Year 4: Clara— is a role model to everyone around the school. Clara has produced a powerful |
| | letter, in role as a Jewish person, to an editor of an international newspaper, setting out her |
| | concerns and to make people aware of what is happening to the Jewish community during |
| | WW2. Fantastic writing! Well done Clara! |
| Diamond | Year 5: Sky J— because of the amazing effort she has made with her work recently. Sky is now writing with more description and using punctuation more accurately, and she is becoming a confident and enthusiastic mathematician. Well done and thank you Sky! |
| | Year 6: Rachel — because of the amazing contribution she consistently makes in both the |
| | classroom and the school. Rachel's work is frequently of an excellent standard, and examples |
| | of it will be presented at our history afternoon later today. Rachel also deserves praise for |
| | organising a Christmas singing club which successfully started this week! Well done and thank you Rachel! |

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