

# ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC FIRST SCHOOL (ACADEMY)

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## Dear Parent's

An incredibly busy week this week!

I will write an end of term Christmas Newsletter next week. Please read all the notices overleaf.

A big thank you from the Basement Project via Mrs Keay. In a few days, with your help, we managed to collect seven overflowing bags full of toiletries, chocolate and other items. They were absolutely delighted and are now busy packing their Christmas hampers.

If you are coming along to a Christmas production next week please remember your tickets – 3 per family for each performance.

Coming home today is a Christmas Card from Father Graham with the times for the Christmas services at St. Peter's. Also coming home is a Christmas bookmark from the Droitwich Catenians.

Have a lovely weekend.

C. Clubleby

## Advent Prayer

Almighty God, as we begin to prepare for the wonder and mystery of Christmas, we remember the special role of Mary, the mother of Jesus. You showed her the way through the Angel Gabriel and she responded obediently and joyfully. Help us to be obedient and joyful in our preparation for Christmas. Let darkness turn to light as we share the expectation of the season ahead. We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Rupert Bristow



## Upcoming Events

### Monday 12<sup>th</sup> December

Year 1 Christmas Production  
2.15p.m. and 6.30p.m.

### Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December

Reception Christmas Workshop  
9.15a.m. – 11.15a.m.

### Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December

Year 2 Christmas Production  
2.15p.m. and 6.30p.m.

### Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December

End of Term Mass - 9.15a.m.

Christmas Party Day – wear your Christmas jumper and bring in a £1 donation for Save the Children.

### Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> January

Back to School

## Attendance:

Congratulations to 2D who have achieved 99.7% this week. Very well done!

ATTENDANCE FIGURES TO DATE	
Week ending – 09/12/2016	
RWC – 95.7%	RRO – 96%
1P – 96.7%	1C – 91.3%
2D – 99.7%	2P – 98.9%
3SR – 96.5%	3T – 95.8%
4R – 96.1%	4E – 94.5%
WHOLE SCHOOL – 96.2%	
Were you in?	



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## More Important News

### Reception Intake and Year 4 Transfer

As the deadline for applying online is fast approaching please can I remind parents and carers that if your child is eligible to start school or transfer to middle school in September 2017, please ensure you apply online before the closing date on **Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2017**. Thank you.

### St Augustine's and Our Lady of Mount Carmel First School - Carol Service

The Carol Service will take place next **Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December** at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church commencing at **7.00 p.m.**

Parents/Carers, Academy Representatives, Directors as well as families from all schools are very welcome to come along and share this festive and spiritual service.

### Christmas Party Day!

The fun and festivities at St Peter's will reach a finale on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December when we have the pleasure of inviting our children in to school in their Christmas party clothes when hopefully we will see some fun Christmas jumpers too! As a reminder of how lucky we all are, if you are able to make a kind donation of £1.00 to help Save the Children, then please send in all kind donations and they will be gratefully received. Thank you very much.

### Join the Christmas Mini – Challenge 2016!

If your child is able to read **3** books over the Christmas holidays between **12<sup>th</sup> December 2016** and **6<sup>th</sup> January 2017**, then sign up at: [summerreadingchallenge.org.uk](http://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk) where they will be able to unlock virtual rewards! Please encourage and support your child in this educational venture which is also great fun. Good luck and happy reading!

### Christmas Lantern Walk

If you would like to remember a loved one, a short walk with lanterns is taking place from Morton Stanley Park on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> December commencing at 5.30 p.m. This is not a fund raising event, but lanterns are £5.00 each to cover costs.

Congratulations to everyone who received an award this week:

### Captain Resilience Awards:

Class RRO: Vincent C  
Class RWC: Isaac C  
Class 1C: Ellie H  
Class 1P: Billie-Rose J  
Class 2D: Harry T  
Class 2P: Callum L  
Class 3SR: Alex B  
Class 3T: Ollie E  
Class 4E: Ekua B  
Class 4R: Finley L

### Celebration Awards:

Class RRO: Whole Class  
Class RWC: Whole Class  
Class 1C: Lena V E  
Class 1P: Romy G  
Class 2D: Tom L  
Class 2P: Izzie T  
Class 3SR: Dylan V-E  
Class 3T: Ayvah L  
Class 4E: Ben J  
Class 4R: Daisy Mae T

### Handwriting Awards:

Class RRO: N/A  
Class RWC: N/A  
Class 1C: Bethany C  
Class 1P: Aalyah C  
Class 2D: Maddison W  
Class 2P: Max D  
Class 3SR: Tom W  
Class 3T: Beverley P  
Class 4E: Tyanna S  
Class 4R: Maisie F



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