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'Be the best you can be.'

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Newsletter

As we draw to the end of this term and look forward to the festive season, I would like to thank all our families for the support which they have given to the school. We value your support for the children, but also for your generous donations to the variety of charities which we have been contributing to in different ways. This at a time when Christmas can also make demands on our time and finances for the celebrations.

I should also like to thank the children for their hard work through the term and all the effort which they have put into the recent performances. So many activities are underway at this time and keeping energy levels and enthusiasm going can be demanding, so thank you to all our staff too, for the extra things which they do for the children at this time of year to make it special. It goes above and beyond their job descriptions! We also say a sad goodbye to Lauren Page in the school office, who is leaving at the end of the term to take up another appointment. She has been a valuable member of our team, and we will miss her cheery and calm efficiency in school.

We wish everyone a very Happy Christmas and hope that we enjoy a peaceful New Year. Have a wonderful time with your families and I am sorry that due to a problem with my back and hip I will not be available this week to share Christmas greetings with you all nor be back in school until the new year.

Paul Hudson Head teacher



All the children in school made Christmas decorations for the tees which was assigned to us in Chester Cathedral. They did a great job, as did those children who were able to come and actually decorate the tree. I think you will agree that it looks wonderful.

CALENDAR DATES

Tuesday 16th December: Class Two and Class Three performance at 2.00pm

Visit to Hayrack Farm – Nursery,
Reception & Class One

Wednesday 17th December: Class Two and Class Three performance at 6.30pm

Thursday 18th December: Christmas
Service in St. Peter's Church 9.15am
followed by Coffee Morning

Christmas Fun afternoon and visit from
Father Christmas from 1.30pm

(children should come to school in their
Christmas jumpers with the
bottom half uniform)

Friday 19th December: SCHOOL CLOSES Monday 5th January: INSET DAY Tuesday 6th January: SCHOOL OPENS

£2 donation requested for prizes

Carols in St. Peter's Church:

Thank you to everyone who attended the service last Friday and joined us in school afterwards for turkey rolls, mince pies and mulled wine. Yet again the PTA worked hard and made it a great success – they are a good team!



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