

St Mary's R.C. Primary School Newsletter

Statement To Live By

Our Statement To Live By next week is "Simple things can make us happy"

Christmas is coming:

Please note the following dates:

Christmas Fair: 13th December

School Christmas lunch: 18th December

16th December: Y5/6 Christmas party—party clothes

17th December: EYFS and Y1/2 Christmas party—party clothes

19th December: Y3/4 Christmas party—party clothes

We also have the Panto 'Snow White' in school next Wednesday—oh yes we do!!!

FPTA—Christmas Fair Appeal

We have had a couple of people come forward with offers of help so far, so a big thank you to them. We are still hoping the fair can go ahead but are still appealing for more help. Can we ask for 2 helpers per class to sign up to either help on the day and/or in preparation beforehand. See the sheet at the door of each class. Please PLEASE sign up to help.

Can we also appeal for any good quality raffle prizes or if any local businesses would like to donate to promote your business please contact the office.

Wellbeing Ambassadors

We now have Wellbeing Ambassadors who attended special training this week to help us as a school to promote pupil wellbeing. They were a credit to our school, well done to them! Look out for more updates.

Littleborough Lights switch on

Our children have been asked to sing at the light switch on this Saturday. We look forward to joining them. Please come along and support us if you can. Thank you to those children who have offered to come along to represent our school.

Advent

We are entering the season of Advent. At St. Mary's, we love Christmas and the build up to it in school. However, as a Catholic school, we also focus on the true meaning of Christmas—the birth of Jesus. We therefore use the season of Advent as a special time to prepare by trying to do good for others. We encourage the children to make 'Advent promises'. Please talk to your child about this and encourage them.

Walk to School

On Tuesday we had a special assembly to launch 'Wow Walk to School Challenge'. The children are encouraged to take up the challenge of walking to school or part way to earn badges. Look out for more information.

Church News

Year 3 led mass this week on the theme of St. Andrew and were amazing. Well done Year 3. They were excellent. The next mass will be led by Year 4 on Wednesday 11th December at 10.00am. Anyone is welcome to join us for this.

Head Boy and Girl message

A big well done to Year 2 and Year 3 for winning class of the week. Thank you to everyone for the bottle donations. We are collecting chocolate next week.



29TH NOVEMBER 2024

DIARY DATES



Own clothes **6th December** in exchange of a chocolate for the Christmas Fair Tombola

Christmas Fair will be held on **Friday 13th December**

10th Dec 10.00am EYFS Nativity

11th Dec 10.00am EYFS Nativity

12th Dec 9.30am Y1/2 Nativity

13th Dec 9.30am Y1/2 Nativity



AWARDS

Class Champion Awards

Nursery - Emilia
Reception - Sienna
Year 1 - Charlotte
Year 2 - Isaac
Year 3 - Zackary
Year 4 - Ariya & Alana
Year 5 - Junior
Year 6 - Flynn

Winning House this week:

St George



Class of the week:
Year 2 and 3

