NEWSLETTER 14 – 15th December 2017

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

Christmas Activities

- Year 1 & 2 pupils gave wonderful performances telling the story of the First Christmas in "The Sleepy Shepherd". Thank you to all the staff and adults who supported the performance and well done to all the children.
- Children from the Reception classes told the story of the Nativity through a selection of seasonal songs (and a number of 'ad libs'!). Thank you to the BSA for providing refreshments.
- Children in Year 4 enjoyed The Barn's Christmas Pantomime on Thursday. They enjoyed the lively retelling of the Christmas Story complete with an Angel called Eric!

Reminders

- The last collection from the School Christmas Card postbox will be on Weds 20th Dec.
- Football Kit Please send any washed kit into school before the end of term.
- Please could all dinner money and any other outstanding payments be sent into school by Tues 19th Dec.
- Admissions for Sept 2018 To secure a school place for children born between 1st September 2013 and 31st August 2014 you need to apply online at <u>www.warwickshire.gov.uk/admissions</u> by 15th January 2018.

Disabled Parking – Please do not park in the disabled bay unless you have a disabled badge.

Menu Change - On Tues 19th Dec the kitchen will be serving BBQ chicken bites in a wrap and not chicken in a bun.

<u>Christmas Trees for Sale</u> – We will have several trees for sale for a donation of £5. Please call into the office.

Clubs Update

- The last Coding Club will now be on Mon 18th Dec.
- Hockey and Tag Rugby have now finished.
- Young Voices, Artbase, Girls Football, Boys Football and App Building all continue until the end of term.

Holiday Activities – Leaflets are available in the foyer.

Dates for your Diary -

- Children in Year 1 and 2 are having their <u>Sports Enrichment Day</u> on Tuesday 19th December. Please send your child into school in their PE kit including joggers and hoodie as the children will be outside.
- <u>School Christmas Lunch</u> will be on Weds 20th Dec.
- <u>Collective Worship</u> There is <u>NO</u> Celebration Collective Worship Fri 22nd Dec.

Book of the Week – Children in Reception have been learning about the real meaning of Christmas by reading the Christmas Story as told by Sally Lloyd-Jones in 'A Child's First Bible'.

The latest from Bidford School Association...

To everyone that helped at the fair in any way... donated towards Lucky Bags or tombola, bought or sold raffle tickets, designed or ran a stall, came along and enjoyed themselves and helped with the mammoth task of setting up and clearing up...

Thank you!!!

We will be announcing the final total next week once we have completed our calculations. A huge thank you to the rest of the BSA team for your endless hard work and dedication. Emily x

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