

Bitterley C E Primary School Academy 2 - 11

Friday 8th December 2017



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We are a Christian Values based school. We create an environment in which children love to learn, where they drive the choices made about their learning and where they develop social and relationship skills which will last throughout their lives. Our value for December is Joy!



Message from the PTA

THANK YOU

For supporting our School Christmas Fayre!

Last Saturday saw us hold yet another great and successful Christmas Fayre. We raised a fabulous £2,700!

Without the help and support from all the children, staff, parents, grandparents and carers the Christmas Fayre would not have been the success it was.

In addition to the gratefully received help and support, we were kindly supported by many of our local businesses who generously donated items which were used as prizes at the Christmas Fayre.

Our special thanks goes to D. Shakespeare Printing who kindly continues to support our school's annual Christmas Fayre by printing the Grand Draw raffle tickets as its donation to the event.

All the money raised goes to the PTA charity which supports the children in their ongoing education and development by paying for extra materials, trips (including the annual pantomime trip for all children) and school events, particularly sponsoring sports and the arts.

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The funds raised from the Christmas Fayre will be added to funds already raised throughout the year and a large proportion will help fund the school Amphitheatre, which hopefully will be constructed early next year for all the children to enjoy.

Thank you once again.

The PTA

Christmas Craft Day

Just a reminder that our annual Christmas Craft day is taking place next Wednesday. Children from Classes 2 – 5 will be involved in making several Christmas items that they will bring home with them at the end of the day. Please send your child in with a £2.00 contribution on the day towards the cost of materials. Your child can come to school in their own old clothes as they may get messy.

Christmas Jumper Day

On Friday 15th December we are raising money for Save the Children. Your child can come to school wearing any sort of Christmas jumper in return for a donation for Save the Children.

Book Fair

Last week we held our annual Scholastic Book Fair. We sold a fantastic £638.35 worth of books and have been able to take books to that value which has meant new books for all classes in the school. Thank you for supporting this event.

Nativity Church Service

On Thursday 14th December our KS1 Nativity Service is taking place at Bitterley Church, starting at 10.00am. Children from classes 2 and 3 will be taken to and from the church by coach. Children from Classes 4 and 5 will be walking to and from church. Any parents and carers who would like to help on the walk to the church with the KS2 children are very welcome to do so.

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Please let either Mandy or Karen know in the school office. We will be leaving school at 9.30am.

Bitterley Church Carol Service

There will be a Carol Service taking place at Bitterley Church on Sunday 10th December starting at 11.15am. Everyone is very welcome.

School Christmas dinner

On Thursday 14th December we will be having our school Christmas dinner and all children will be served a traditional Christmas roast dinner and pudding for the usual price of £2.10. Please let Mrs Rennel or Mrs Parry in the school office know if your child DOES NOT want a school dinner on that day and will be bringing sandwiches instead. Please let the school know by Monday 11th December to help with catering. Thank you.

Living Nativity

Come and join the Living Nativity: Street Theatre, characters in costume, real donkey, Ludlow Town Band, hot chocolate & mince pies for all.

Taking place on Tuesday 19th December at 6.00pm. Starts: Peace Memorial, Castle Square, Ludlow and ends circa. 7.00pm at the Castle.

Your child is very welcome to wear any sort of Christmas hat to the lunch!

For any enquiries please email: ludlowmethodist@outlook.com

News from the kitchen

There will be no roast dinner served on Wednesday 13th December due the Christmas dinner being a roast on the 14th. Instead there will be:

Fish, beef grill or breaded chicken served with chips or pasta.

Please note: There will also be no roast dinner on Wednesday 3rd January.

School Dates

Wednesday 13 th December	Christmas Craft Day
Thursday 14 th December	Christmas lunch for children.
Thursday 14 th December	Nativity at church – 10am
Friday 15 th December	Christmas Jumper Day for Save the Children
Friday 15 th December	Class 1 coffee afternoon
Friday 15 th December	Last day of term
Monday 18 th December 2017 to Monday 2 nd January 2018	Christmas Holiday

Lost

A blue school fleece aged 9-10yrs has been lost. It has the name Sophie in it. If found please hand into reception.

Sound of the week for Class 1

For week commencing 11th December is:

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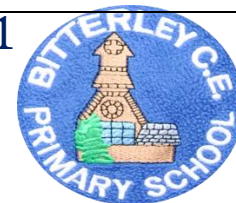
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Wednesday 3 rd January	Start of term
Monday 19 th February to Friday 23 rd February	Half term holiday
Thursday 29 th March	End of term
Friday 30 th March to Friday 13 th April	Easter holidays
Monday 7 th May	May Bank Holiday
Monday 28 th May to Friday 1 st June	Half term holiday
Friday 20 th July	End of term

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