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Happy Christmas to you all!



Diary Dates

12th December

Mince Pie Munch

14th December

School Christmas Dinner

17th December

Pantomime at King George's
Hall

20th December

Carol Service 9.15am

21st December

School closes for Christmas

7th January

School reopens after Christmas
holiday

15th February

School closes for half term

25th February

School reopens after half term

29th March

School closes for Easter

15th April

School reopens after Easter
Holiday

18th April

School closes for the Easter
Weekend

**Please note the unusual holiday
pattern at Easter 2018!**

Christmas Fair

Thank you to everyone who made our PTFA Christmas Fair such a success— whether you helped to organise or simply attended. The turnout was great again. We raised **£3900**. This is a fantastic achievement. Many thanks to everyone!

There are still some raffle prizes that haven't been collected. Please collect your prize from the school office.

Christmas Events

Over the next few days we will be in full Christmas mode! You will have received letters about particular events.

Friday, 14th December will be the school Christmas dinner. If your child is having a packed lunch it would be great to spruce it up a bit and make it a festive treat.

Pantomime 17th December — The only option for us to go as a whole school is to go in the afternoon. To avoid the traffic congestion of two years ago we would ask parents not to double park on Nuttall Lane as this led to the coaches being stuck outside school and unable to go anywhere. In addition, we will be asking the coach company to drive us further down Nuttall Lane and the children will walk back up to school. You can collect your child from school from 4.20pm. Please let SOCKs know if you are taking a child who is booked in on this afternoon.

Thursday 20th December—please join us in church for our annual Carol Service at 9.15am.

Friday, 21st December—School closes at the usual time.

Holiday Pattern

You can find the school holiday pattern for the academic year 2019-2020 on the back of this letter.

Please note the unusual holiday pattern for Easter 2018. We close for two weeks for the “Easter” holidays which aren't actually at Easter. We are then closed for the Easter weekend the following week. Please also note that the holiday pattern is set by the Local Authority.

Scholastic Book Fair

Thank you to everyone who bought books at the Book fair which we held when it was Parent's Evening in November. We raised **£825.00** in free books for our school. We will be able to buy new books for the school library and for use in classes throughout the school.

Happy Christmas On behalf of the staff at St Andrew's I would like to wish all our families a very happy and peaceful Christmas. Best wishes to everyone for 2019!

