



ST MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS C. E. (FOUNDATION) PRIMARY AND PRE-SCHOOL

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13 November 2024

Dear Families

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS

The dates for our Christmas Week Celebrations have been finalised and added to the website parent calendar. As we look toward the festive period, I would like to give you some details of the various events that we are planning.

Tickets can be requested by completing the online form that will be emailed to the first priority contact on your data collection sheet and submitting this by 1st December.

Once we have established the numbers of tickets claimed for each performance, it might be that there are spares available. If this is the case, we will send a text on Monday 2nd December and invite you to request a further ticket via an online form which will be opened at 7pm.

This year we will be charging 50p per ticket. Once we have established your ticket requirements a payments request will be set up on your SchoolMoney account. Money raised will be used to buy new costumes for the Nativities. You do not need to print out anything regarding your ticket allocation; we will have a list on the door.

Please note that 'babes in arms' (i.e. those under the age of 2 years) do not need a ticket allocating if they are sitting on a parent's knee for the performance. Children aged 2 and over will need a ticket to attend.

Monday 16th December - Years 2 and 3 Carol Service at Church

Children will be performing a carol service in church at **9:30am**. Due to the capacity in church there will be **two** tickets available per family. Children should be brought to school for normal registration.

Tuesday 17th December – Reception and Year 1 Nativity

Children will take part in two performances in the school hall at **9:30am** and **2:15pm**. Due to the capacity in the hall there will initially be **two** tickets available per family for each performance.

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Wednesday 18th December - Pre-School Nativity

Children will take part in a performance in the school hall at **9:30am**. Due to the capacity in the hall, there will initially be **three** tickets available per family. Pre-School children who do not normally attend on a Wednesday can be brought in to take part and should arrive at Pre-School for 9:15am. Please let Pre-School know if you will be bringing your child for the performance.

Wednesday 18th December - Years 4, 5 and 6 Christmas Sing-along

Bring your best singing voices and come along to a festive sing-along with the children in the school hall at **2:30pm**. There will initially be **1** ticket per family available.

The PTFA hope to attend these performances and serve refreshments so please do bring along some cash and support their fundraising if you can.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Berry

Headteacher

**** Other events taking place during the final week of term ****

- **Angel Drop** – children will be delivering our Christmas Angels in the local area.
- **Thursday 19th December - Christmas Lunch**
- **Friday 20th December**
 - **Christmas Jumper Day** - with a suggested minimum donation of £1 and children are invited to wear a Christmas jumper to raise money for their class chosen charity.
 - The PTFA have kindly paid for the children to watch a pantomime in school.
 - Party food will be served at lunchtime for those who have chosen this option for your child.