



St Nicholas CE VA Primary School Newsletter
December 2019

Vision Statement

At St Nicholas we nurture everyone to 'be the best we can be' in a caring and inclusive Christian Environment

Diary Dates

- 4 December — SEND Parent Consultations
- 5 December — Ash, Acers and Oaks Parent Consultations
- 6 December—No Celebration Worship
- 7 December—PTFA Original Christmas Event
- 10 December—Nativity Performance Reception, Years 1 & 2—2.00 pm
- 11 December—Nativity Performance Reception, Years 1 & 2—6.00 pm
- 13 December—Christmas Jumper Day
- 13 December—Christmas Arts Day
- 16 December—KS2 Carol Concert at the church
- 18 December—Local Food Links Christmas Dinner
- 18 December—School choir to sing at the Village Lunch Club—Village Hall
- 19 December—School Christmas Party
- 20 December—9.00 am End of Term Service at the Church
- 20 December—School Finishes at 1.30 pm.
- 6 January—Spring Term Begins—children back to school
- 8 January—Start of Term service in the church—9.00 am.

Headteacher's Message

Well what a busy Autumn term its been— Phew!!! And it's only about to get busier.

The children have been working very hard this term in their learning and it is fantastic to have so many of them visit me to share their fabulous work.

We had Christmas decoration afternoon on Monday and our tree is also now up in the Hall so the school is now starting to look quite festive. Acorns, Chestnuts and Willows have been practising their nativity play the 'Inn-Spectors' and I must say the signing is sounding particularly good. Thank you for all your help at home with the rehearsals.

We have lots more to look forward to before the end of term—KS2 Carol Service, Christmas Jumper Day, Christmas Arts Day and the PTFA School Christmas Party. Hopefully you and your family are able to join us for some or all of these festive events.

I would also like to take this opportunity to wish you and your family a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Jill Watson
Headteacher



Child Protection



Our Designated Safeguarding Lead in school is Ms Jill Watson (Headteacher). Mrs Sarah Salisbury, SENDCO and Oaks teacher is our Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead. If you have any concerns related to child protection issues please contact them through the school office.

Reminder

End of term and Christmas Service in Church—Friday 20th December

Children should be dropped off at the church from 8.45 am where a member of staff will meet and greet them. **Everyone is welcome to attend this service.** The children will be walked back to School after this service with staff.



KS2 Carol Service

Come and join us and the school choir for the KS2 Carol Service on Monday 16th December, starting at 6:30pm at St Nicholas Church



Staff News

Sadly we say 'goodbye' to Mrs Corner at the end of term. We would like to thank her for all her hard work and commitment to St Nicholas and wish her very best for the future.



PTFA Christmas School Party

On Thursday 19th December
further details to follow from the PTFA
regarding contributions



Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 13th December is Christmas Jumper Day. We ask the children to bring a £1 donation and wear their Christmas Jumper on that day instead of their school jumper. All money raised will go to Save the Children.



Class Cups Hall of Fame



Congratulations to...

Hester, Inigo, Rosie, Felicity, Crystal & Poppy

Oak, Indie, Alex, Charlie, Bella & Byron

Harry, Arthur, Amira, Woody, Hadley & Harry B

Amelia B, Noah, Grace, Henry, Monica & Edith

Lois, Peter, Robert, Amelia M, William T & James

Jamie, Amelia L, Ella, Jack, Sam & Freddie B

Erin, David, Ella C, Macey, Indie P & Finlay

