

# Worlebury St. Paul's Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School

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Worlebury St. Paul's - a school community where everyone participates, excels and has a love of learning; where we respect ourselves, one another and live life to the full, helping others to do the same.

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# Thank You and Merry Christmas!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the whole school community for welcoming me to Worlebury. It is surprising how quickly the time has gone, and yet here we are in the final week of term 2. Worlebury is such an incredibly special school, with truly precious learners, an amazingly dedicated staff and governing body, a blossoming partnership with St Paul's and St Peter's Churches and such wonderfully supportive parent/carers. It is a real privilege to be leading the school and I am very much excited about what the future holds for us all. I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very, Merry Christmas and hope you all have a wonderful time with your families. Look forward to seeing everyone in the New Year.

# **INSET**

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January is an Inset day for staff. We look forward to seeing children back on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> January.

#### **Christmas Fayre**

The final total raised from the Christmas Fayre was a wonderful £1247.40! This was fantastic! Thank you again to all of our Friends volunteers for all their hard work and to the children and staff who contributed amazingly. All the money that each class raised will be spent by the children on resources they would like.



A parent questionnaire using the OFSTED Parent View format will be available at the Nativity performances this week as we would really welcome your feedback. For those who would prefer, you can access the parent view questionnaire through the relevant website (click here) and it can then be completed online. There are also paper copies in the office and an electronic version attached.

#### **Post Box**

The Christmas Post Box will be in the ICT suite from today.

# School Admissions 2017/2018 Consultation

See the school website for our proposed arrangements.

# Carols by Candlelight

Carols by Candlelight will be held this year at St Peter's Church in Milton on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> December at 6.30pm. This is for our Key Stage Two children and families. We are able to offer three seats per child to those children who have indicated they are attending.

#### **Christmas Lunch**

Children can wear Christmas jumpers or party clothes on Wednesday 16th December for Christmas Lunch. Children should wear sensible shoes and bring a coat. Children will be having party games in their classes in the afternoon.

# **Christmas Gifts!**

Are your children asking for electronic gadgets that they can access the Internet with e.g. tablets, phones, gaming devices? Or asking for games that you have not heard of or are not aware of the content?

Check that they will be safe online when using their new gift:

Check some of the most popular games and apps here.

Visit the UK Safer Internet Centre "Parents' Guide to Technology"

### Children's Christmas Cards

After a very short turnaround the orders are back and should be coming home with your child tonight.

Christingle



It was lovely to see so many families at the Christingle on Sunday at St Paul's Church. Well done to all of our children for singing so beautifully. This is such special part of our celebrations.

#### **After School Clubs**

Just a reminder there are no after school clubs this week. Clubs will start back week commencing 11<sup>th</sup> January. It's the final Guitar lesson today and there are no other Music lessons this week.

# **Polite Reminders: Photographs**

Many wonderful memories will be created by the festive performances this week! However, remember to only take photographs of your own children and please do not post any photographs of other children on any social networking sites without the consent of their parents.

### **Attendance**

All children should be in school by 8.50am please.

#### **Sickness**

From advice from Public Health England, please remember your child needs 48 hours clear of vomiting or diarrhoea before returning to school.

# **Dates for your Diary**

18.12.15 - End of Term Two 28.01.16 Reception Family Worship 25.02.16 (This is a change of date.) Year Two Family Worship 17.03.16 Year Three Family Worship 28.04.16 Year One Family Worship 05.05.16 Year Four Family Worship

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