

ALL SAINTS C.E. (V.C.) FIRST SCHOOL & BUSY BEES PRE-SCHOOL

Headteacher: Mr D. Elliott-Hancock

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Thursday 20th November 2025

Dear Parents,

With Christmas on the horizon, and the busiest next few weeks within the school year, please see arrangements for various Christmas events below.

Christmas Arrangements

Friday 5th December – PTFA Christmas Fair – 3:30pm to 5:00pm.

Please join us in school for our Christmas Fair. We are looking forward to lots of fun and games. See previous emails regarding this event and how to purchase tokens.



Saturday 6th December – Church Christmas Tree Festival/Light Switch On

The church will be open all day for you to go in and view the trees. This year is extra special, with there being a big tree within the Churchyard and a light switch on too once our school singers have sung at 4:30pm.

Tuesday 9th December at 3.30pm – Christmas Film Night

All of the children are welcome to join us to enjoy a festive film. For an entrance fee of £5 the children will get to enjoy a festive film, a snack and a drink. Please collect your child at 5.20pm.

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Thursday 11th December – Christmas Lunch & Christmas Jumpers



Christmas Jumpers at the ready as we sit down all together to enjoy a special Christmas Lunch. If your child normally has sandwiches and would like a Christmas lunch, please email the office.

Christmas lunch is free for children in Reception and Oak Class. The cost will be £3.70 for children in Rowan class and £2.90 for Busy Bees. Please note this will be the only meal choice on the day.

Friday 12th December – Christmas Performances

Our Christmas Performance this year is 'Lights, Camel, Action 2 – The Sequin'.

Performances will take place at 2.00pm and 6.00pm. There are 4 tickets available to each family for each performance. Following the performance at 2.00pm children may go home a little early to rest and eat before heading back to school at 5.30pm ready for the evening performance. The children will take their costumes home with them following the afternoon performance and should return to school wearing their full costume and be ready to go for the evening performance. Tickets for both performances will be handed out nearer to the event. If your child will not be returning for the evening performance, please inform their class teacher as soon as possible.

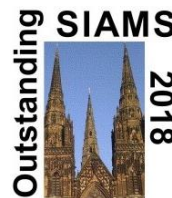


This year, the PTFA will be selling refreshments at each performance, so please arrive with plenty of time prior to the start of each performance. Additionally, we will be having a raffle too where there will be a hamper of goodies available to win at each of the performances, tickets can be purchased on the day. We are asking for the following donations from each class to help create the hampers:

Busy Bees/Cherry: Chocolates/Sweet Treats, **Oak:** Smellies/Pamper Items, **Rowan:** Bottles



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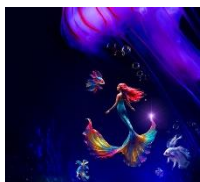


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Wednesday 17th December – Christmas Trip

Please the letter sent out earlier today regarding our trip to see The Little Mermaid at The New Vic Theatre.

Monday 15th December – Carols and Christingle

Carols and Christingle this year will take place in the church from 3.30pm. Please come along and join us for this wonderful event. If you are unable to join us for the Carol Service, you will need to collect your children from school at 3.30pm as usual. We would very much appreciate it if you could let us know as soon as possible if you will be collecting at the usual time so that we can choose some readers and characters to take part in the service. Kingfisher Club will be open until 5.30pm for childcare and any children attending will be able to attend Carols & Christingle with school staff.

After the service, you are welcome to join us back in school, where the PTFA will be selling festive refreshments.



Friday 19th December – Party Day



The children are welcome to come to school in their party wear or Christmas Jumpers today. We will all enjoy a Christmas Buffet Lunch and lots of party games. School will close for the Christmas Holidays at 3:30pm and there will be **NO** Kingfisher Club available after school. School will re-open for all of the children on **Tuesday 6th January 2025**.

If you have any questions about anything please let us know and we look forward to seeing you at as many events as possible.

With warm regards,

David Elliott-Hancock
Headteacher