

# Tune in on Tuesday

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## Diary Dates

Diary dates for the Autumn Term are shown below and will be included and updated on every newsletter. Please look closely at dates this time of year as the diary gets a little full.

13.12.17	Christmas Lunch £2.15
15.12.17	p.m. R/1/2 to Warwick Arts Centre 'Going on a Bear Hunt'
19.12.17	a.m. Nursery to Warwick Arts Centre, 'Snow Mouse' a.m. Yrs 3/4/5/6 to Birmingham theatres, 'Alice in Wonderland' and '101 Dalmatians'
20.12.17	Christmas Performance 'It's a Party' by Nursery/Rec/1/2 children 9.30 Dress rehearsal for Grandparents 1.30 Christmas Performance- It's a Party
21.12.17	9.15 Carol Concert for KS2 parents performed by Yrs 3/4/5/6 1.30 Christmas Performance - It's a Party
22.12.17	9.30 Christmas Service @ St Giles - Rev Andrew to lead.
22.12.17	School finishes at 2.15
08.01.18	Children return to school
24.01.18	O.P.P. review day with SENDCo
29.01.18	Yr 4 to New Walk Museum Leicester - Egyptian topic
31.01.18	Y3 to Ryton Pools - more details to follow

INSET Friday 5<sup>th</sup> January

4<sup>th</sup> June 2018

## School Clubs

Monday	Library Club	Yr 6	3.15 - 4.15
	Reading Booster	Y6	3.15 - 4.30
Tuesday	Football	Y3 & Y4	12.30 - 1.00
	Multi-skills	Yr 1 and 2	3.15 - 4.15
	Cookery Club	Y4	3.15 - 4.45
	Maths Booster	Y6	3.15 - 4.30
Wednesday	Football	Y5/6	12.30 - 1.00
	Dodgeball	Y3 & Y4	3.15 - 4.15

## Attendance

YR 97%	Y3 97%	Winning class <b>Y4 99.4%</b> ★ <b>Well Done!</b>
Y1 95%	Y5 96%	
Y2 97%	Y6 98%	

Attendance for week commencing 4<sup>th</sup> December overall was 97%. Very Good attendance achieved.

## Christmas Fair



Thank you to all who helped set up and run the Christmas Fair. Again a lot of hard work from a small group of parents, Mrs Fulleylove, Amy Greenway, Mr & Mrs Weathstone, Mr & Mrs Woods (setting up the grotto), Ms Freeman and Alex Painter. Also a big thank you to staff and their families who set up and cleared away at the Fair. Thank you to all the parents and families that joined in the festivities, we raised around £1000.

All of our families will benefit from the fundraising as this has been put towards the cost of next week's theatre trips. We always

hope to promote quality trips and subsidise the cost where possible.

Thank you all once again and please join us at the next Parents Association meeting in the New Year.



# Crossing Patrol

***This is an update sent to us by Warwickshire County Council School Crossing Patrol:***

The patrol for Wheelwright Lane is currently unable to attend work, we do not expect her to return until February, (I shall update you if this changes). We currently do not have a relief available to cover the site.

I have made the Road Safety Education Team aware of the situation and they have offered their support by providing you with the "cars and kids" campaign. I am also aware that they have arranged a Road Safety session with you in January.

The Safer Routes Team are also aware and are looking at the site to see if there are any measures that could be implemented to help with crossing.

If any parents, (or staff), wish to apply to be a relief for the area they can find the application forms online

at <https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/schoolcrossingpatrols> alternatively they can request one from us directly on 01926 412661 or by emailing [scp@warwickshire.gov.uk](mailto:scp@warwickshire.gov.uk).

More information regarding school crossing patrols can also be found online.

<https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/schoolcrossingpatrols>

# Christmas Performances

Our performances next week are as follows:

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December**

9.30am KS1 - It's a Party! dress rehearsal for Grandparents

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1.30pm KS1 - It's a Party!

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**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup>**

9.15am - KS2 - Carol Concert

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1.30pm - KS1 - It's a Party!

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We need to know how many seats are required so please return your seat number request slips asap.

We allocate 2 seats per family. We also invite Grandparents to the dress rehearsal - these are in addition to the max 2 per family. We will try to accommodate as many seats as possible but are restricted due to fire regulations.

To help boost our PA funds we will be selling raffle tickets for a hamper and other prizes that will be drawn at each performance. Tickets will cost £1 per strip.



# Reminders

## Christingle Service at St. Giles Church.

3pm - Younger Children

4.30pm - School Aged Children

6pm - for Everyone Else!

## Christmas Post

We have a Post Box in the entrance hall for children to post their Christmas cards to children and adults in school

## Primary school places

If your child was born between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2013 and 31<sup>st</sup> August 2014 they are due to start Primary school in September 2018. You will need to apply online by **15<sup>th</sup> January 2018 at the latest**. If you pay your council tax to Nuneaton & Bedworth council then you should apply online via [www.warwickshire.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/admissions) or if you pay your council tax to Coventry - apply online at [www.coventry.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.coventry.gov.uk/admissions) For children due to start school in September next year 2018, the deadline is 15<sup>th</sup> January 2018

## Cleaning Vacancy

We have a vacancy for a Cleaner. If you are interested or know of anyone who is, please contact Mrs Hull in the office

## Winter Closures

As you know, we endeavour to stay open whenever possible in the case of bad weather. If for any reason we do need to close we will:

- contact you by text (we can operate this system from home)
- update the website with a news flash (check [www.wheelwrightlane.warwickshire.sch.uk](http://www.wheelwrightlane.warwickshire.sch.uk))
- update Warwickshire Central Website (check [www.warwickshire.gov.uk/schoolclosures](http://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/schoolclosures))
- alert local radio stations

Please ensure we have your up to date contact details!

## Foodbank Christmas Arrangements

Our local foodbank has asked that we remind families that they will be open as usual in the weeks leading up to Christmas and over the Christmas period. Just to remind families that our school is able to issue foodbank vouchers to our needy families to help in tough times. Please come and see Mrs Hull or myself if you need support - all is discussed in confidence.