

# CROSSACRES NEWSLETTER

17<sup>th</sup> November 2017

## ANTI BULLYING WEEK

It has been anti bullying week in school this week and there have been assemblies relating to anti bullying, as well as an odd sock day.

## YEAR 6

On **Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November**, at **6:00pm** there will be a SAT's information meeting for our Year 6 parents/carers. We hope to see you there.

## YEAR 2

On **Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November**, **9:00am to 9:30am** we are holding a SAT's meeting for Year 2 parents/carers.

## KEY STAGE 2 PANTOMIME

On **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December**, our Key Stage 2 children (Years 3-6) will be visiting Wythenshawe Forum to watch this years Pantomime. Please return your permission slip as soon as possible. Thank you.

## FOUNDATION STAGE NATIVITY

Our Foundation Stage children will be doing three performances of their Christmas Nativity "The Inn Keepers Breakfast" this year. On **Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December** there will be two performances, one at **9:30am** and the other at **2:30pm**. Our final performance will be on **Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December** at **9:30am**. Tickets will be available nearer the time, limited to 2 per family.

## YEAR 1

On **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December** at **2:30pm**, Year 1 will be performing their Christmas concert, featuring the letters of the alphabet.

## YEAR 2

On **Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December** at **2:15pm**, our Year 2 children will be performing their Nativity "It's a Baby".

## SCHOOL CHOIR

Our school choir parents/carers are invited to a performance on **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December** at **9am**. We hope to see you there.

## REMINDERS

### Trips

Year 1 - As part of their History topic, Year 1 will be visiting Bodelwyddan Castle in Wales on **Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November**. Please return your permission slip and voluntary contribution of £13.00 before the above date. Payment can also be made using the SIMS Agora online payment system. If you need any help doing this, please see the school office. Thank you.

### Manchester Christmas Shoebox Appeal

We have launched the Manchester Shoebox Appeal for the homeless in Manchester. Each class has been given a shoebox for the children to fill with items such as toothbrush & toothpaste, soap/shower gel, baby wipes/deodorant, hairbrush/comb, chocolate, sweets & biscuits, hat, scarf, gloves, warm socks and a torch. The deadline date is **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November**.

### Year 6 - Ghyll Head Parents Meeting

There are two parent meetings regarding Ghyll Head. You only need attend one of the meetings.

**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November, 3.30pm - 4pm**  
**or Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December, 9am - 9.30am**

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**Christmas Fair**

We will be holding our Christmas Fair on **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December (3:30pm to 5:00pm)**. To help make our Christmas Fair a great success, we would be very grateful if parents/carers contributed to the fair by sending in the items listed below:

- Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November - Toiletries**
- Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November - Bottles (unopened)**
- Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December - Cakes/Biscuits**

**MESSAGE TO PARENTS**

If you would like to change your child's meal arrangements, it is very important that you inform the office a week before the change as we order school meals in advance. Thank you.

**DINNER MONEY**

May we remind parents/carers who pay for school meals that meals should be paid for weekly in advance. If you are in arrears, we would be grateful if you could call into the school office to arrange settlement.