# Weekly Dates Letter

## Week commencing 3.12.18 Week 13

## First Week of Advent

Last week we began our Christmas celebrations by taking part in the Sacriston Extravaganza. Our choir sang Love shone down, See him Lying on a Bed of Straw and Away in a Manger. They were fantastic!



On Wednesday we had a French afternoon in school. The children really enjoyed the French supermarket! Thank you to Sabine Zeze, one of our governors, who led this.



On Friday we celebrated Youth Friday by having a 'Be Goody Wear a Hoody' Day and also held our Advent Liturgy. We raised £128.20 for the Youth Village. Many thanks for your generosity.



Many thanks to those who came along to join us for our Advent Liturgy on Friday, and thank you to KS2 for leading the assembly.

Also on Friday our mini police were taken to visit Police HQ where they were shown around and learnt what happens there.. They had a very informative visit.

During our Star Assembly on Friday, Emma from the School sport Partnership came to present us with our Gold Sports Award. Many thanks to Mrs Spratt for all of her hard work in helping us achieve this.



#### Help Needed

We are one infant white angel costume short for our nativity. If you have a costume you would be willing to loan to us, please contact the office asap.

Thank you.

#### Just a reminder

Reception parents, please remember that the children will be going on their trip to Gibside see Mrs Claus tomorrow, they will need warm coats, hats and gloves, packed lunch if you have not opted for school supplying one and their own car seat.

Our Christmas Fayre is on Friday this week, could you please send and raffle tickets and money into school by Thursday? You will be able to pick your child up in the yard on Friday at 1:50pm to take them to the fayre. If you cannot accompany your child, please return the slip from last week's letter to the office and a member of staff will take them to the fayre.

If anyone has any further gifts or donations for the Fayre or cakes for the cake stall, please bring them into school before Thursday. We will be accepting cakes on Friday only.

Our Advent Journey will take place on Wednesday straight after school, everyone is welcome, please come along to the hall when you have collected your child from school.



# Key dates for the next week

#### **Tuesday 4th December**

10:00am—3:00pm Reception trip to Gibside

11:00-12:00 Class 3 Swimming

#### Wednesday 5th December

Ukulele Lessons in school please remember your instrument.

3:20pm Advent Journey in hall—all welcome

#### Thursday 6th December

Guitar Lessons in school, please remember your instrument.

PM: Year 2 to visit Sacriston Methodist Chapel for their Christmas Journey

#### Friday 7th December

2:00 Christmas Fayre in hall—all welcome

#### Monday 10th December

1:15 Reception Trip to Sacriston Library

### Headteacher's Award

Oliver

#### Star of the week

Scarlett, Ava-Jane, Lily, Jack, Henry, James Ra. Callum

#### **Best Behaviour Award**

Daisy Mae, Harvey, Lily, Leona

#### Best Writer Award

Hannah, Zak M, Lyla, Lia

#### Maths Award

Evie P, Emi

#### **Best Presentation Award**

Charlie, Hilary, Tom B, Callum

#### Weekly attendance winners

Class 2—98.10% attendance this week—Well done!

Whole school attendance this week was 97.31%. Well done!