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Upcoming events

Monday 9th December Whole school Science Day CAFOD Club in lunchtime Girls' football in lunchtime Year 5 swimming pm Lego club 3.15-4.15pm **Tuesday 10th December** Y5/6 (selected pupils) Gymnastics festival at Temple Park am Little Movers 3.15-4.15pm Wednesday 11th December Rosary Club 8.30am KS1 Nativity 9.30am Guitar, MFL and Laudato Si club in lunchtime KS1 Nativity 5.00pm Thursday 12th December Y5/6 Christmas party

Football Team Training at Community Centre 3.15-4.15pm CANCELLED Mindfulness Club 3.15-4.15pm Friday 13th December Whole school visit to the panto!

Monday 16th December Whole school Science Day Y3/4 Christmas party pm Year 5 swimming pm Tuesday 17th December Y3 visit to the Hancock Museum all day Y1/2 Christmas party pm Little Movers 3.15-4.15pm Wednesday 18th December Rosary Club 8.30am Reception Christmas party pm Carols by Candlelight 5.00pm Thursday 19th December Christmas jumper day

Christmas lunch Nursery Christmas party pm Movie Night 3.15-5.15pm Friday 20th December

KS2 Gold Book Assembly 9.00am Schhol finishes for term 1.00pm

Dear Parents and Carers

Our first week of Advent is nearly over, and what a jam-packed week it has been. We have had our Advent Mass, 'Sing of a Child' concert, Santa's Swap Shop, EYFS Nativity and Christmas Fayre.

Christmas Fayre

Thank you to everyone who attended our Christmas fayre this afternoon. It was VERY busy, but I hope you all had a great time. Thank you so much to the amazing Friends of St Joseph's who spent hours and hours organising and setting up the fayre.

We have counted up and it looks like an amazing £1800 has been raised towards our school minibus!

Raffle Winners:

£150 Voucher	Alison Gibson	Prosecco	Val Fagan
Red wine	Gemma Brabbs	Red wine	Jesse Gibson's
			Grandma
Vodka	Parent of Sebastian	Bee Happy bag	Heidi McKeown
	Robson		
Mug & socks	Dawn Brabbs	Scentsy	Charlene Lamond
Raspberry liqueur	Lynsey K	Chocolate fudge	Leah How
Skin care and wine	Laura Williamson	Port	Parent of Emily
			Scott
Gin Liqueur	Parent of Ethan	Wash kit	lvy Jeffrey
	Brown		
Marshmallow	Lorraine Boyer	Gin set	Parent of Ava F Y3
vodka			
Gel nail voucher	Laura Brown	Lakeside voucher	Laura Fletcher
Exercise class	Parent of Caleb	Cafe voucher	Spencer Scott
	Nursery		
Bottle of red wine	Alison Gibson	Bottle of Echo Falls	Parent of Gracie Y4
Bottle of red wine	Rose F Nanny	Bottle of bucks fizz	Parent of Ava Y3
Bottle of prosecco	Parent of Alfie Day	Bottle of sparkling	Norma Lamond
		wine	
Spiced apple cider	Mrs Arthur	Bottle of red wine	Lorraine Boyer
Bottle of Echo Falls	Parent of Zeke	Bottle of white	Parent of Elsie
	Crane	wine	Thompson
Bottle of red wine	Sheila McAlister	Bottle of vodka	Laura Brown
Bottle of bucks fizz	Parent of Ava Y3	Bottle of red wine	Parent of Ivy J
Bottle of red wine	Parent of Darcie	Bottle of Echo Falls	Irene Scott
	Brown		

Count the sweets winner – Amelia Smith Y3 (143)

Please collect your prizes from the school office on Monday

Travelling Crib

Please send any of your Travelling Crib photos to <u>media@stjosephsjarrow.co.uk</u>

Pantomime

Next week, the whole school will be attending the pantomime at the Exchange in North Shields. All pupils will now be travelling by coach. Pupils will be collected from school, and will return to school for approximately 3.45pm. We will take the children back into school and dismiss as normal from the usual doors.

ALL pupils, from Nursery to Year 6, will be attending the pantomime. The cost per pupil is £11 each, which includes the ticket and travel. This has been heavily subsidised out of school funds to allow a more affordable price for parents. The tickets can be paid for via ParentPay. Thank you.

KS1 Nativity

A reminder that the KS1 Nativities are TICKET ONLY to ensure that it isn't too packed in the school hall. Tickets are available from the school office.

After school and lunchtime clubs

There will be no clubs in the final week of term

Poppy Appeal

Together, our school raised £341.40 to support the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal. This was a part of an amazing £20, 670 that was raised altogether. Thank you.

Parish bulletin

This week's parish bulletin is available here

Take care, Mr P Craig Headteacher

This week's scripture: Luke 3:1-6 The theme of the scripture: How can you make steps to put things right with others?



Our Designated Safeguarding Leads are: Mr Craig, Mrs Bertram and Mrs Gibson (governor)

Our SENDCO is: Mrs. Bertram and Miss Shaughnessy (governor)



Whole school attendance this week is 94.5%

Best class attendance is Year 1 - 98.1%