December 2024

St. Gabriel's C.E. Primary School

"Stand firm... be courageous" 1 Corinthians 16:13



Christmas Celebrations and Events

Please note: There will be no PE, Music Lessons or morning/lunchtime/after school clubs on the last week of term (w/c 16th December).



<u>Posada Nativity Figures—</u> Please take care of the figures, write in the special book and return the next school day.



<u>Fire and Rescue Family Carol Service—</u> On Wednesday 11th December at 7.30pm our choir will be taking part in the Lancashire Fire and Rescue carol service at Blackburn Cathedral in aid of The Firefighters Charity. Please can all choir members arrive at 7.00pm, wearing a shirt and school tie.



<u>Infant Nativity—</u> This year Reception, Y1 and Y2 will be working hard to deliver you an extra special production of 'A Bundle of Joy'. The Infant Nativity is scheduled to take place in the afternoons of **Thursday 12th** and **Friday 13th December**. Please bring your tickets.



<u>Life Education—</u> The Life education team will be visiting school to deliver sessions to all classes on **Monday 16th December** and **Tuesday 17th December**.



<u>Pocket Money Stall—</u> This year's pocket money stall will take place in the afternoon of **Wednesday 18th December** for all children. If you haven't already, please return your child's completed gift tags. If you are able to come and help wrap, please let the office know. Thank you.



<u>Christmas Lunch</u>— Our Christmas lunch will be on **Thursday 19th December**, we will be serving a traditional roast dinner with the added extras of crackers, party hats and Christmas desserts! **This is a non– uniform day– children may wear party clothes.** If you haven't already, please respond to the GoogleForm to inform us of your child's meal choice.



<u>Talent Show—</u> We will be holding our annual Talent Show over **Thursday 19th** and **Friday 20th December!**



St. Gabriel's C.E. Primary School

"Stand firm... be courageous" 1 Corinthians 16:13

Regular Activities during and after school for Spring 1 (up to Feb half-term)

Monday— Lunchtime Ukulele Club Thursday— Y6 Swimming

Y4 Class Ukulele Lesson Y5 PE

Tuesday— Y3 + Y4 PE Choir 3.30—4.30pm

Violin Music Lessons

Gymnastics Club 3.30—4.30pm Friday— Y1 + Y2 P.E

Wednesday— Reception PE Lunchtime Football

Violin Music Lessons (Y5/Y6 alternate weeks)

Woodwind Music Lessons Brass Music Lessons

Newspaper Club 3.30—4.15pm Multi—Sports 3.30—4.30pm

Orchestra 3.30—4.30pm

Dates for Diaries...

Wed 11th Dec Fire & Rescue Carol Service @ Blackburn Cathedral 7:30pm

Thurs 12th Dec Infant Nativity @ 2.15pm

Fri 13th Dec Infant Nativity @ 2.15pm

Mon 16th Dec Life Education Team in School

Tue 17th Dec Life Education Team in School

Wed 18th Dec Pocket Money Stall

Thu 19th Dec Christmas Lunch & Party Day (non-uniform)

Thu 19th/Fri 20th Dec Talent Show

Fri 20th Dec School Closure @ 3.30 pm for Christmas Holiday.



From all the staff at St. Gabriel's, we hope you have a wonderful Christmas and a Happy New Year.

School will re-open again on Monday 6th January. Mere Year,



selF-belief courAge resIlience ambiTion Harmony