



Autumn Term 2018—Newsletter 5



Dear Parents and Carers,

A huge 'Thank You' to all those who contributed to our Christmas Fayre and for all those who attended. It was fantastic to see so many of you there enjoying the Christmas spirit and helping to raise some much needed funds. Well done to our prize winners on the raffles, we will make sure they are distributed to you if you were unable to attend. We raised an amazing £ 1100 for PTA funds!

None of this would be possible without our PTA volunteers (Parent Teacher Association) who have worked extremely hard to make the fayre such a success. I can't thank them enough for all they do to help the school and the children. Thank you to all the staff who helped out as well, it was a real team effort that will benefit the children at Holy Trinity.

We are on the final countdown to Christmas and the next two weeks are very busy for the children with performances, Church Service, Christmas lunch, Pantomime and Christmas Jumper day, see below for dates.

Best Wishes
R. Dickson

Inappropriate Language: I have received complaints from concerned parents regarding a small number of adults who think it is acceptable to use bad language outside the school gates in the morning. It will not be tolerated so can those individuals in question please show some common sense and recognition for the fact that they are standing outside a school with children walking past. I have no wish to involve the police but should this behaviour continue then this is what will happen

CHRISTMAS COUNTDOWN.....

Christmas Concerts are next week and tickets are on sale at the office £1 per seat.

The performances are as follows:

Nursery, Cleo Class and Earlshill Class are performing 'Humph the Camel' on Monday 10th at 2.15pm and Thursday 13th at 9.00am.

Lawley Class and Caradoc Class are performing 'The Night Before Christmas' on Tuesday 11th at 2.15pm and Thursday 13th at 6.00pm.

No videoing or photographs are to be taken during the performances. There will be an opportunity for you to take a picture of your child at the end of the performance

ALSO NEXT WEEK:

Wednesday 12th December—Christmas Lunch

Friday 14th December—Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 14th December—Pantomime 'Cinderella'

WEEK COMMENCING 17TH DECEMBER

Tuesday 18th December—Golden Oldies afternoon

Wednesday 19th December—Class parties and a special visitor

Thursday 20th December—Nursery Stay & Play 1.30pm

Friday 21st December—Last day of school



A Message from Mr Harris our Chair of Governors— These last few weeks of the term are proving to be very busy. Concerts, a panto, the Christmas Fayre, Christmas Dinner, the Christmas church service, clubs, sport and many other activities are keeping everyone fully occupied. Meanwhile, the learning must continue. Reading and other homework must still be done and teachers and pupils must maintain the high standards expected by the teacher. The help given by parents and carers is very important. Thank you for all that you do to ensure that your children get the best from their days at school. Governors also want to thank the PTA for the valuable support that they give to Holy Trinity. They work hard and play a very important part in the life of our academy. Thank you, in turn, for supporting them.

Absences:

If your child is going to be absent from school for whatever reason can you please ring school on 01691 654832 stating your child's name and reason for the absence **before 8.30am**. You can also leave a message on the school Facebook page.

Outstanding School Dinner Debts:

It has come to my attention that there are a large number of outstanding dinner debts. These have been outstanding for some time. If these debts are not paid by the end of term the children concerned will not be able to have a school lunch from January 2019 and they will need to bring a packed lunch.

O's Nosh: Every Thursday at Holy Trinity Church

Come one, come all! Come on down to our weekly Community Kitchen Cook at [Holy Trinity Church Oswestry](http://HolyTrinityChurchOswestry), and let us commence battle against food waste and food poverty together! ALL FOR FREE!!!

Eat and chat; and if you want to, get involved in the kitchen; we're always on the lookout for volunteers!

Our menu will be announced on the door, as we'll still be picking up stuff on the day. All that means is you can get a little more excited by the mystery.

We'll always happily cater for kids. So there's something for everyone; and we're super-accommodating to all dietary requirements and allergies...and if you want to let us know about them, feel free to get in contact.

Accelerated Reader:

A massive Congratulations to Holly Wyton in Year 6 who has become the first pupil in school to reach 1 million words read on Accelerated Reader. Accelerated Reader is a fantastic resource that enables children to really improve their reading ability. The challenge is on to see who the next person will be to read a million words. Will it be you ?



Everyone welcome, families too!

Every Thursday

Holy Trinity Church, Oswestry @ 12pm



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Prayer for Advent

God of hope
be with us in our Advent journey
to the stable and beyond,
be with us in our meeting
and in our travelling together,
be with us in our worship
and our praying together,
be with us in our Advent journey
to the stable and beyond,
our God of hope.

