

The St. Lucia's Star



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Frost Fair at Attingham Park

A group of pupils will be taking part in this year's Frost Fair at Attingham Park this Friday. Parents are welcome to come and watch between 11.00-11.30am.

Diary Dates

Wednesday 26th Nov

2pm Open afternoon for any new prospective parents of children starting school in September 2015.

Monday 1st December 1.30-5.30pm Parents' open afternoon for all classes (no appointment necessary)

Monday 8th December 11.00am Dress Rehearsal for Class 1 Nativity in the school hall (no tickets needed-grandparents, parents with toddlers welcome)

Monday 8th December 2.00pm Dress Rehearsal for Key Stage 2 Scrooge production in the village hall (no tickets needed-key stage one to watch with grandparents and parents with toddlers welcome)

Tuesday 9th December 9.30am Class 1 Nativity in the school hall (tickets have now been issued)

Tuesday 9th December 2.00pm and 6.00pm Key Stage 2 production of Scrooge in the village hall (tickets have now been issued)

Monday 15th December 1.15-1.45pm Join us for tea, coffee and minced pies and look at photos to mark the school's 40th Anniversary. Then join us at **2pm** for the **Christmas Carol Service** in St Lucia's Church led by the children in Class 2.

Friday 19th December **Non-uniform Day** (theme to be decided).



Governor Update

The full governing body held their autumn term meeting last Thursday. On behalf on the school, we would like to thank Mrs Olivia Healey for the support and the time she has spent as a parent governor at St Lucias. We would also like to welcome Mr Paul Knowles as a new co-opted governor.

Health and Safety Yellow Parking Bay

Following two recent visits to the school by a Community Support Officer and a member of the Highways departments, **the yellow parking bays outside the school entrance are only to be used by the school buses which is the purpose they are designed for.** The only parents who may use this bay are those dropping children off before 8.30am to the breakfast club. The message is clear. The yellow bays are to be left completely clear at all times to allow emergency vehicle access. This will be monitored from next Monday 1st December.

Please park responsibly by using the spaces available at the village hall or The Haughmond pub to help ease parking congestion and to respect pedestrians and pram users by not parking on the pavements.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Music Share Concert

Congratulations to Class 3 who performed brilliantly at the Music Share concert in St Lucia's church last Tuesday! We would like to thank Dr Chantrey and Cathy Lamb for helping us to organise this wonderful opportunity and to sing with the Lichfield Cathedral Choristers. We were pleased that so many parents, grandparents and members of our local community were also able to attend.



Community Links Time for Tea

On Friday, St Lucia's Pre School raised £62 through a cake sale and afternoon tea event for the charity 'Meningitis Now.' Thank you to everyone who supported.



Reply Slips

Please be aware that the deadline has now passed for replies to be returned for the Key Stage 2 Christmas production and the Key Stage 1 Nativity ticket requests. Tickets have now been issued and sent home today with your child in a sealed envelope. Grandparents and toddlers are welcome to attend the dress rehearsals if more than the allocated tickets are needed. No tickets are required for the dress rehearsal, but toddlers need to be included in the ticket numbers for each performance.

IMPACT training

Thank you to the Reception parents who attended the IMPACT phonics workshop last week. Another date will be arranged shortly for Year 1 phonics workshop.