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CHRISTMAS NEWSLETTER – 2018



Dear Parents/Carers - Once again Christmas is nearly upon us. Although it is a very busy time for all the children and staff, it is a magical time too and a happy event in the school year

Christmas Concerts



Entry to all concerts will be **by ticket only**. Please ensure you have returned your ticket order form. Tickets will be restricted to two per family. By issuing tickets, we hope to ensure that every parent has a seat and that the occasion is comfortable for both adults and children. Your children and their teachers spend many hours preparing for these concerts and **the morning performances are for adults only**. A quiet audience will be less distracting for the children and will also give them more confidence to perform well. If you are unable to make alternative arrangements and wish to bring younger siblings, please request tickets for afternoon performances only.

This year the timetable for concerts will be:

Year 2	-	Wednesday 5 th December	Concert	9:30am
		Wednesday 5 th December	Concert	2:00pm
Year Reception		Tuesday 11 th December	Concert	9:30am
		Tuesday 11 th December	Concert	2:15pm
Year 1	-	Thursday 13 th December	Concert	9:30am
		Thursday 13 th December	Concert	2:00pm

Due to space restraints we ask that all prams and buggies are not brought into the school building.





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A collection will be held at the end of each concert. This year the monies raised will be donated to two local charities, King George & Queens Hospital Charity and Mitchell's Miracles Neuroblastoma Charity.

PTFA Bazaar

This will take place on Friday 7th December. On the day of the Bazaar, children will need to bring a carrier bag with their name on and a named purse holding money they may spend at the Bazaar (Please send via your child's book bag and not into the school office). Please support the Bazaar, as it will be raising funds for the school. Adults are able to come into the school hall and join in from 3:15pm, and any pre-school aged siblings will also be able to visit Father Christmas from 3:15.



On this day children who have a packed lunch will be eating in class and children having school dinner will lunch in the junior school hall.

Christmas Dinner - This will be held on Friday 14th December. Menu to follow.

Christmas Jumper Day



Save the Children
**CHRISTMAS
JUMPER DAY**

On Friday 14th December we're inviting all pupils to take part in Christmas Jumper Day in aid of Save the Children.

Everyone will be invited to wear their silliest, sparkliest or cosiest Christmas woollies and make a donation of £1, or whatever amount you can give, to help save children's lives around the world. If your child doesn't have a festive sweater, don't worry – it's easy to decorate a plain jumper with tinsel, baubles or homemade snowflakes. School uniform is not necessary – jeans, trousers, skirts etc are fine. As always sensible footwear & coats, no jewellery please.

You can visit the event website at: www.christmasjumperday.org and learn more about Save the Children at: www.savethechildren.org.uk.



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Christmas Party

On Tuesday 18th December there will be a party in the afternoon. The children may come to school in their party clothes, with sensible footwear. Please remember that they will be active during the school day, so they will not need to wear their best clothes (track suits are acceptable).

We would be grateful if you could send in a donation of £1 (in a named sealed envelope via your child's book bag, by Monday 3rd December). This is towards the cost of your child's party food, which will be provided this year by the school. Please note that no meat-based foods or items which contain any traces of nuts will be made available. If your child has specific dietary requirements, please provide them with some refreshments that they can bring in on the day of the party. May I also remind you that on this day your child will still need either a packed lunch or school dinner. School will finish at the usual time.

Christmas Pantomime

On Wednesday 19th December there will be a performance of the pantomime Peter Pan for all Infant School pupils. A big thank you to the PTFA for funding this.



School Clubs

Pre-school clubs will run until week ending Friday 14th December. All clubs will recommence the week beginning 7th January 2019.

School will close for the Christmas holiday on Wednesday 19th December at 3.15pm and re-open at 8.45am on **Monday 7th January 2019.**

May I, on behalf of everyone at Rise Park Infant School, take this opportunity to wish you and your families a very happy Christmas and a healthy and prosperous New Year.

Yours sincerely

Mrs C Fox - Executive Headteacher

