



Newsletter 11

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Christmas Lunch

Children who have packed lunch are invited to Christmas Lunch on Thursday 15th December. This will be a traditional turkey roast dinner, with a vegetarian option. If your child would like to have this, please pay £2.10 to the office by **Thursday 1st December**. **Please note, there is no need to order the lunch if your child normally has school meals**

Christmas Fair The Christmas Fair is only one week away now (Saturday 3rd December) and the PTA are still working tirelessly to organise another great family occasion. So keep those generous donations coming in.

Raffle Prizes (chocolate, alcoholic beverages, or can you or your company donate anything?)

Adult Tombola prizes

Children's Tombola prizes (good quality toys, books, sweets, stationery etc)

Wrapping Paper

Bric-a-brac

Books (for adults and children)

Volunteers are needed for a huge amount of jobs starting after school on the Friday before, and finishing with the clearing up of the school after the fair. Please sign up on the noticeboard.

Christmas Cards: Your child will have come home with an order form for their personalised christmas cards, which needs to be **returned by Monday 28th November** at the latest. Your child's designs are now available to view on the Christmas Cards for Schools website:

<http://www.christmascardsforschools.co.uk/gallery.php>

Bingo Update: We raised £173 on Friday. Thank you everyone who came along, helped set up, sold tickets etc. Big thanks to Neil for his brilliant calling. Most importantly everyone seemed to enjoy themselves

Christmas Post Box The Christmas post box will be put up near the library on Thursday 1st December. The children can use the post box to send cards to their friends in the school. Please help us to deliver the cards to the right person by ensuring that each card has the child's full name and class clearly marked on the envelope.

Spirit of Send calendar: an ideal Christmas present for just £5 is the delightful collection of photographs from around the village and through the seasons. They are available from the school office, where you can see a copy of it before you buy if you wish. Thanks to Send Business centre who helped support the project and the governors of St Bede's School for organising it.

Children in Need: we managed to raise £100 for Children in Need, so well done.

GMB Proposed Strike Action - Wednesday 30th November – just a reminder to say that the school is open as normal that day.

And finally: There was a row among the oarsmen about how to row.

Best wishes



Interim Headteacher



Dates for the diary: more detailed information will be given closer to the events.

1 December	Governors' F&P committee meeting 4.30 pm
3 December	Christmas Fair 11 – 1 pm
12 December	pm Christmas Performance for Grandparents
13 December	Theatre group performance for the children
14 December	am Christmas Performance for parents pm Nursery play – 2 pm
15 December	am Christmas Performance for parents am Nursery play – 11am
16 December	Closing date for return of Consultation Response Forms
19 December	Christmas parties
20 December	End of term Nursery 11.00 a.m and 2.00 p.m. School 2.00 p.m.
5 January 2012	School & Nursery reopen

