



# Crosby Ravensworth CE Primary School

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## Friday Bulletin

Friday 8th December 2017

Dear Parents,

### Christmas Fair

Thanks to everyone who helped with our Christmas Fair. We had a great evening and hope you all enjoyed it too. It is believed over a hundred people attended the event and approximately £700 was raised – a fabulous effort by our new 'Friends' committee in their first venture. Enormous credit must be given to Mrs Bale for her vision and leadership. We hope she comes to visit us at the second Christmas Fair next year!



### Crosby Ravensworth Church Carol Service

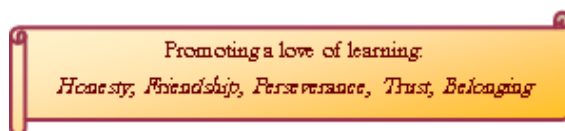
Rev Stewart Fyfe is looking forward to leading us all at the St Lawrence's Church Carol Service next Wednesday at 6pm. It will be Stewart's first school function since taking his sabbatical in the Spring; he's told me how excited he will be to see all the children again. Mulled wine, juice and refreshments will be served as ever after the service – we hope to see as many parents and children as possible.

### Transport for Carol Singing

The children sang and played their instruments absolutely beautifully in the Butchers Arms yesterday for the Luncheon Club. If you'd like to hear them perform at their next 'gig', we'd very much appreciate your company: we still need volunteers to help with transport to Sainsbury's on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December (depart school 10.20am, return approx. 2pm). Drivers are also required for Westmorland services on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December, leaving school at 12pm. Last year these events proved very popular with parents and grandparents – they also raised significant cash for the school.

### Community Lunch

We are looking forward to a bumper crowd at our Christmas lunch next week. After the lunch, we will be hoping to welcome a special visitor, following which there will be party games for the children. Parents will be most welcome to stay for the party games, during which tea and coffee will be served in Class 1. School will finish at 3:30pm and film club will run as usual.



### **Whole School Skipping Workshop**

We will be holding a whole school skipping workshop on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January. Please see the attached letter. At 2:45pm there will be a parent assembly where the children will be able to exhibit their new skills.

### **Theatre by the Lake**

Parents might like to note that on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> January, the children will be taken to see a performance of 'The Secret Garden' at the Theatre by the Lake in Keswick. More information to follow next week.

### **Circus Skills**

Next Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> December, we will be joined by Toni Spence who will be teaching the children circus skills. This is a taster session for the circus skills after-school club which will be running each Friday of next half term.

### **Christmas Puddings**

Thank you to all of you who have purchased our Christmas Puddings. Some orders have already gone out and the rest will follow next week. There are still some puddings for sale in the school office. Puddings will continue to be available from The Butchers Arms.

### **Kings Meaburn Carol Service**

Kings Meaburn Methodist Church will be holding a carol service on the morning of Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> December. If any of our recorder pupils would like to play a Christmas piece on the day please let Mrs Pattinson know on Tuesday so she can arrange this.

### **Message from Sarah Rogers**

*Carols at Maulds Meaburn Village Institute -15<sup>th</sup> December – 6.30pm*

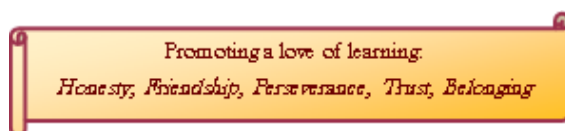
*For any children and parents not going to the Christmas party at CRVH, just a reminder that there is a Christmas 'Gather Inn' at MMVI. There will be carols sung around the lovely Christmas tree followed by mulled wine (juice for the children) mince pies and sausage rolls. This is a free event and a lovely evening to begin the countdown to Christmas.*

### **Message from Nicola**

*Crosby Ravensworth School 100 Club – there were 51 numbers in the December draw.*

1 <sup>st</sup> :	£12.75	Barbara Wood	Number 51
2 <sup>nd</sup> :	£7.65	Ian Hughes	Number 8
3 <sup>rd</sup> :	£5.10	Barry Hughes	Number 48

*If you would like to join in the 100 Club you can collect a form from the school office, it will be £8 for the remaining 8 draws. The next draw will be on the 18<sup>th</sup> January. Thank you for your continued support, The Friends Committee*



### **Message from Karen Winder**

**POSADA-** This weekend we see Mary and Joseph (also the wise men and shepherds) starting their travels around our school community. Advent is a short one this time so I have ensured that every household gets someone to stay **FOR ONE NIGHT ONLY!** Please be sure to write in the book what exciting things have been done on their overnight stay at you house, pictures are also welcome. Please ensure that the figures return to school each day ready for their next visit, so that we keep them moving and nobody gets left out.

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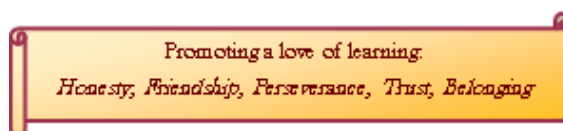


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### **Summary of dates for your diary:**

Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	Carol singing at Sainsbury's and Croft Avenue
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	12pm Community Lunch; 6pm Carol Service (church)
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	Carol singing at Tebay Services
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> December	2pm School breaks up – no afterschool club
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> January	Spring Term begins
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> January	Our weekly swimming lessons commence
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> January	Theatre by the Lake- Secret Garden
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> January	Skipping workshop- parent assembly at 2:45pm



Valid to November 2018

### After school club - Week beginning: 11<sup>th</sup> December 2017

£4 a session or 5 for £16 (this can be split across siblings)

Please tick which sessions you would like your child to attend:

Monday Action Ants	<input type="checkbox"/>	Thursday Craft Club	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tuesday Indoor Games	<input type="checkbox"/>	Friday Dance	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wednesday Film Club	<input type="checkbox"/>		

Child's Name .....

I enclose £..... to pay for .....sessions.

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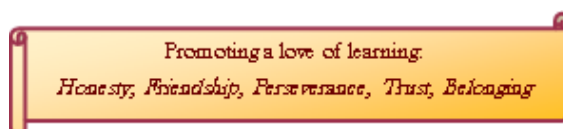
### Community Lunch- Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Contact number \_\_\_\_\_

Number of places required \_\_\_\_\_

I enclose \_\_\_\_\_ to pay for \_\_\_\_\_ places.

Number of vegetarian options required \_\_\_\_\_



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