



Newsletter

December 2025



Christmas Fair

Once again, the Christmas Fair was a great success and well supported by our families and friends of school. Thank you to everyone for their support in donating items. All money raised from the Fair helps support the subsidising of trips and visits and the buying of resources to enrich curriculum experiences for all children.

We raised an amazing £1,641.57 Thank you.



Work Completed by Year 6 this term with our Artist in Residence Fiona Smith



This Half Term at Willow Tree

Another busy half term at Willow Tree has passed. A group of KS2 pupils have taken part in Saturday cross country running sessions at Buile Hill Park. Well done to all those children for turning up in the windy and wet weather and giving your best. The choir have also been busy under the direction of Mrs Stirzaker. They sang beautifully at the Christmas Carol Service at St. Lukes and at Quayside Media City. Thank you to all parents for coming and supporting the children at these events. The KS1 Nativity, 'Balmy Bethlehem' was enjoyed by many of our families. As were our Nursery and Reception sing along. Thank you to all for all your support.



Data Sheets

Please ensure any data sheets are returned as soon as possible.

It is vital we have up to date contact details for all our families. Please keep the office informed if you change your telephone, email or postal address.



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Christmas Activities

The Christmas Pantomime Snow White was enjoyed by all. Children have also enjoyed Christmas Dinner provided by our wonderful team from Citywide under the guidance of Paula Valentine. The children will also enjoy party food on Tuesday of this week. Thank you to City Wide staff for all their hard work.



Christmas Partnership with Regatta

A huge thank you for our Christmas partnership with Regatta who have very kindly provided us with some Christmas goody bags for our families.

We have randomly chosen a number of families to receive these bags. You will have received an email from the office if one is available for you. They can be collected from the Office until 3:30 today, or Wednesday.



Attendance & Punctuality

We continue to be concerned about the numbers of children who are persistently late. Being on time means a good start for our children and puts them in a positive frame of mind. Having a good morning routine keeps everyone's stress levels low. Children arriving late are often upset and embarrassed entering the classroom when learning has already begun. Please ensure your child is in the playground well before 8:50am as the gate closes promptly.



Dates for your calendar

We finish on **Wednesday 17th December at 3:20pm** for the Christmas holiday.

We return to school on:

Monday 5th January 2025 at 8:50am

We wish all our families a wonderful Christmas and a Happy New Year!



Thank You

Thank you for your continued support.

R.L. Munro.

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