St. Wilfrid's Catholic (VA) Primary School and Nursery

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DECEMBER 2018 NEWSLETTER

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

3rd Dec – Open Evening – 3.30pm to 6.00pm
5th Dec - P.T.A – Christmas Disco
17th Dec - Christingle Service 6pm in Church bring cans for Ashton Food Bank
19th Dec – School Christmas Dinner
20th Dec – Christmas Parties for foundation Stage, KS1 and KS2
21st Dec – Christmas Jumper Day and Toy Day
21st Dec – School closes at 3.15pm for the holidays. (After School Club open as normal)

7th Jan – INSET DAY (School closed)
8th Jan – School re-opens
14th Jan – Holy Communion session 1 in the school hall at 6.30pm
16th Jan – Parents Evening 1.30pm – 6.30pm

SPRING TERM 2019
Inset Day Monday 7th January
School starts for children - Tuesday 8th January
Half Term Close Friday 15th February
School starts for children - Monday 25th February
Close Friday 5th April

Wishing all our families a Happy and Holy Christmas and New Year. Thank you to you all for your continued support to do the best for all the children at St Wilfrid's.

POLITE REMINDER

I know it is cold and we do not like walking far in this weather **BUT** can parents **PLEASE** not drop children off at the entrance to school. There was a near miss the other morning and I have watched parents this week. I do not want to name and shame so please consider the other parents who DO walk their children to school.

FUNDRAISING

Friday 19th October we collected £208.10 for **CAFOD**
Friday 17 November we collected £238.48 for **Children in Need**. Thank you!
On **Monday 17th December,** we will have a Christingle Service in Church. Please bring a can of food which will be donated to **the Ashton Food Bank.**
£10 Levy to the Archdiocese - This money helps schools pay for big projects like our new roof. Thank you to those parents who have already sent this in but sadly it is less than half the children in our school.

CHRISTMAS PRODUCTIONS

CHRISTMAS PRODUCTIONS - The dates for all the productions, 3 in total, 2 dates for each, are as follows:
Foundation Stage - Nursery & Reception:
11th December 2 p.m. & 13th December 9.30 a.m.
KS1 - Y1 and Y2:
10th December 2 p.m. & 12th December 9.30 a.m.
KS2 - Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6:
13th December 2 p.m. & 14th December 9.30 a.m.

Christmas Jumper Day

St Wilfrid's will be supporting **Winston's Wish Charity** on **Friday 21st December**. We are asking for a donation of £1 in exchange for wearing a Christmas Jumper (or Top) for our last day in school. I know you will agree that this is a wonderful charity that helps many children in their time of need.

'Living the Gospel in the spirit of Love and Respect'