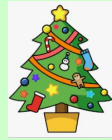
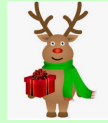


# Newsletter 2 Christmas 2023



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Dear Parents and Carers,

As I write this Christmas message, I can hear the infants singing in the hall, preparing for their nativity performance. It's impossible not to feel joyful when listening to that. I'm sure you're going to love seeing what the children have prepared, although, if it's anything like when my children were in their nativities, you've already heard the songs hundreds of times already!

I wanted to share a big thank you to all of you for your continued support and partnership throughout the year. It's been a joy getting to know our pupils and seeing their growth and achievements.

As we dive into the holiday season, I hope we have the chance to appreciate the simple joys of spending time with loved ones and creating lasting memories. Whether it's preparing AND EATING Christmas food, enjoying festive decorations, or sharing stories, I hope your family finds special moments together.

Our school has had a fantastic year, and it's all thanks to the hard work and enthusiasm of our pupils and dedicated staff. I'm proud of the positive atmosphere and sense of community we're building together.

Wishing you all a relaxed and joyful holiday season. May the coming year be filled with continued learning, laughter, and success for all our families.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

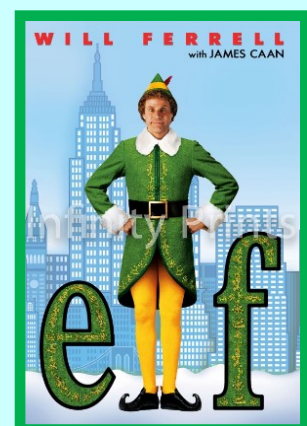


## WHOLE SCHOOL CINEMA TRIP

Friday 15th December

Reception, Y1,Y2,Y3 are  
seeing Arthur Christmas

Y4,Y5,Y6 are seeing Elf



## December Dates

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Princess Pavilions Light switch on  
5pm onwards

Thursday 7th  
KS2 Carol Concert 1pm  
St Mary's Church  
(for parishioners, preschoolers & extended family)

Friday 8<sup>th</sup>  
KS2 Carol Concert 6pm for 6.30pm start  
St Mary's Church  
(KS2 parents)

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup>  
Festive in Falmouth  
carols outside King Charles Church in town

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup>  
Infants present "The Sleepy Shepherd" 2pm  
(tickets only)

Tuesday 12th  
Singing Club visit Langholme Care Home

Wednesday 13th  
School Christmas Dinner & Christmas Dress Down Day

Thursday 14th  
Guitar Performance 1.45pm

Friday 15<sup>th</sup>  
Cinema Trip (Whole School)

Monday 18<sup>th</sup>  
Rock Steady Concert 9.30am

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December -3<sup>rd</sup> January  
**CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS!!!**

# Merry Christmas

**MAINS**  
Roast Turkey OR  
Roasted Vegetable & Cranberry Slice

**SIDES**  
Roast Potatoes  
Mini Sausages  
Yorkshire Pudding  
Stuffing & Gravy  
Carrots, Broccoli and Roast Parsnips

**DESSERT**  
Winter Berry Eton Mess Muffin OR  
Chocolate Orange & Marshmallow  
Tiffin

**Wednesday 13th December  
is Christmas Dinner Day!**

Please book on Parent Pay before 7th December, we wouldn't want anyone to miss out!



St Mary's Christmas Post  
Box is waiting for your  
cards!



Don't forget to wear  
your Christmas clothes  
on Wednesday 13th  
Christmas Dinner Day!

Class One and Two had an exciting morning,



when they arrived at school today they had a Christmas surprise in their cloakroom. Each child had been given a bauble to decorate their class ' Christmas tree. They were all so excited!

## Christmas afternoon

Cornwall Cricket Centre  
December 10th  
1pm to 4pm

Fancy Dress competition  
(children & adults)  
Festive cricket  
Elf Workshop  
Stalls  
&

# Meet Santa

Book today at  
<https://booking.ecb.co.uk/d/qpqkkd>  
or scan the QR Code

Children  
£10  
Adults £5



# Lantern Parade!!!



Dear God,

We know that the greatest gift we have ever received is Jesus. May we remember that any presents under the tree reminds us of our life's biggest blessing, Jesus, and that we will walk in His footsteps to love and serve one another. Amen

Year 1 have made an Advent calendar, thinking about how we can show our love to others throughout the month.

We have been decorating our Christmas tree today and starting to make our Christmas cards soon.

We have been busy practising for the Christmas play. PE has included lots of dancing to Christmas music



Year 3 are learning about rivers. The young researchers are finding out facts all about the River Fal

CORNWALL YOUTH CHOIRS  
**CHRISTMAS CONCERTS 2023**

A group of children in blue choir robes are singing into microphones on a stage.

**SAT 9TH DEC 2023** TRURO METHODIST CHURCH  
CORNWALL CHILDREN'S CHOIR + JUNIOR SINGERS  
4:30PM  
TICKETS AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE, TICKETSOURCE AND ON THE DOOR  
WWW.CORNWALLYOUTHCHOIRS.CO.UK  
CCC + CJS - £4.50

A QR code for ticket information.

SCAN HERE FOR TICKETS

The Hub logo, featuring a stylized 'H' and the word 'Hub'.

# Sports Update!



Well done to the incredible St Mary's Girls Football Team on their amazing performance in their first league fixture! 🏆 🙌



Well done St Mary's netball team, who completed their final league game and were outstanding at the netball festival.



🏀 🙌 Huge congrats to our basketball team for their outstanding achievement! 🏀 🙌  
Your skill, teamwork, and determination were truly impressive.



Well done to the St Mary's school tag rugby team who took part in the tag rugby festival at Falmouth school.

If you have requested extra tickets for 'The Sleepy Shepherd'



These will be in book bags on

Monday, please pop any tickets you do not require to the school office