



Christleton Primary School

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Be the best you can be

Friday 3rd December 2021

Dear Parents / Carers

Christmas Fair

The PTA Christmas fair is tonight!

A reminder that the Christmas Fair is straight after school tonight. To ensure the event is as COVID-19 safe as possible, the event is being held outside, predominantly on the Key Stage 2 playground.

For the limited number of **stalls within the school building a face covering will be required** unless you are exempt, eating or drinking.

Some key points are bullet pointed below;

- The gates to the playgrounds will be opened at 15:00.
- As we are not charging to enter the fair as previous years donation buckets will be present at both the school entrances / exits. We appreciate any donations you may be able to make.
- Collection of your child / children should take place in the normal way from the classroom door.
- The fair will open once the children are outside.
- Loose change would obviously be very much appreciated and would help with cash flow.

A map of the fair layout can be found at the end of the newsletter and was emailed out yesterday.

Donations



A huge thank you to our parental community for your kind donations for the fair.

We have been blown away by your generosity and kindness. It reminds us how very fortunate we are to serve such a supportive community.



30th – 3rd December
Assessment Week

14th December 2021
Key stage 1 Carol performance

15th December 2021
Christmas Dinner

15th December 2021
Key stage 2 Carol performance

17th December 2021
School closes for Christmas holiday

3rd January 2022
Bank holiday

4th January 2022
INSET day – school closed

5th January 2022
Children return to school.

18th February 2022
School closes for February half term

28th February 2022
Children return to school

1st March 2022
Notification of high school places

1st April 2022
INSET day – School closed

Christmas Carol Performances

Our Christmas Carol performances will be taking place on the following dates.

Key stage 1 EYFS, Yr. 1 and Yr. 2	Tuesday 14th December 2021 @16:30
Key stage 2 Yr. 3, Yr. 4, Yr. 5 & Yr. 6	Wednesday 15th December 2021 @16:30



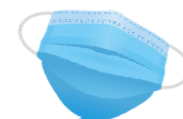
It would be appreciated if you can drop your child off at their classroom door around ten minutes before the performance (follow the same drop off arrangements as if it was the start of the day). Please then wait on the Key Stage 2 playground. The staff will register the children and organise them for the performance. We anticipate the performance will last around thirty minutes.

During both performances the PTA will be selling raffle tickets for a hamper, hot chocolate at a cost of £2 and possibly some sweet items.

To create a lovely festive atmosphere, feel free to bring a torch / tea lights.

COVID-19 update

As you may have seen there are some concerning reports regarding new variants and the increasing number of positive cases. As a school we continue to review our risk assessment to take into account the latest advice. Recently we re-introduced staff wearing face coverings when in communal spaces. We very much appreciate your continued support during this difficult period. We will of course inform you of any changes as and when we implement them.



Please see the [COVID-19 update](#) provided on the 2nd December for more information.

Use of the school car park



Please can we remind parents that the school car park should not be used as a drop off or collection point for Hettys. Before school staff are arriving at the premises and not expecting children be walking across the carpark or cars exiting it. We very much appreciate your support and understanding with this matter.

Hettys

For those parents who make use of Hettys, our before and after school provider, you will be aware that Hetty have made the decision to stop their service at Christleton Primary School. Clearly we are disappointed with this decision but we have been working hard over the past week to speak to different providers with the aim of continuing the provision. We will let you know as soon as we have any updates. We do appreciate how unsettling this may be for the families who make use of this provision.

Chester FC family season ticket



We still only have a few families on the Chester FC season ticket list. The ticket entitles 2 adults and 2 children (or 1 adult and 3 children) to attend a home match free of charge. Should you wish to be added to the list please contact the admin staff.

Matches due to be played soon are:

- 28th December vs AFC Fylde
- 3rd January vs AFC Telford
- 15th January vs Brackley Town

All matches kick off at 15:00.

Kind regards,

Mr Mitchell

Previously sent correspondence



Theme	Method	Recipients	Date
COVID-19 update	Email	All	02.12.21
PTA Christmas Fair	Email	All	02.12.21
Hetty Service	Email	Hetty customers	29.11.21



Christmas Fair Plan



Fair Map

1. Sports ambassador stall
2. Take away curry and pastes
3. Silver Chicks
4. Styled Boutique
5. Sweet Peony
6. Candy floss
7. Band
8. Year 6 stall
9. Find the present / 2nd hand toys
10. Lucky dip / Chocolate tombola
11. Santa's Grotto
12. Face paint / Kids crafts
13. Sweet Jars / Crafty Ladies
14. Cellophane gifts
15. 2nd hand uniform
16. Bottle tombola
17. Hamper Display
18. Secret Stall (children only)
19. Café

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