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## School Newsletter

*Bringing you all the festive updates from around school!*

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### Christmas Fayre – Monday

If you have not already done so, and you are attending, please sign up here. We will have your child ready and waiting in the Upper School at 2:30pm.

<https://forms.gle/5H5nMekgENX6CQVT6>

We look forward to seeing everyone there!

**Parents Evening.** A huge thank you to all who attended Parents' Evening—it was wonderful to see so many of you.

### Christmas Performances – Next Week

Next week marks the start of our Christmas shows, with three different performances taking place across the week.

Tickets can be booked here <https://forms.gle/Y4c2fVR4Tdqa5Xvp8>

#### Please note:

- Your confirmation email is your ticket.
- As long as the correct email address was entered, a confirmation email will have been sent automatically when you booked.
- If you cannot find it, please check your spam/junk folder – google sends the email not school

## End-of-Term Church Service

On the last day of term, we will gather for our annual traditional carol service at church.

We would love to see as many families as possible join us for a festive sing-along.

(And don't worry—I have never yet followed through with my threat of asking someone to perform a solo! 😊)

We are now able to let you tell us you're picking up your child from the church and we'll have them ready. All other children will return to school as normal on the day.

<https://forms.gle/XV7ZQmJ3A3H9cW5t8>

**Christmas Parties.** We also have our Christmas parties throughout the final week of term.

The school is exceptionally busy at the moment—as it should be during such a magical time of year!

**Year 2** enjoyed a very eventful trip to NUFC this week. We even managed to get a puncture on the way—changing a wheel in the rain was no easy task! However; the children were back in school quickly and safely. A huge thank you goes to Mrs Robinson's husband, who came quickly to the rescue and demonstrated impressive vehicle-maintenance skills. Thanks to him, we didn't have to wait for the RAC!

Please don't worry about ringing in to check times or details—we understand there is a lot happening, and that is very much intentional. This time of year is exciting and special for our children, and we are delighted to share these experiences with them. Chief Elf "Tinsel-Toes" Nacey and her sidekick Jolly-Jingle Downing are always ready to answer questions.

Thank you for your continued support, and we look forward to celebrating the festive season together.

Warmest wishes,

Mr S Brown

Head Teacher

5<sup>th</sup> December 2025



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The raffle prizes are looking absolutely fabulous, including (in no particular order):

1. 2 tickets to *Aladdin* at Theatre Royal, Newcastle
2. Family pass to Northern Lights, Leazes Park
3. Family pass (2 adults, 4 children) to the Alnwick Garden Light Trail & Lilidorei Christmas Lights
4. Bowling for four at Namco Metrocentre
5. Family pass to Washington Wetlands
6. 2 tickets to Hall Hill Farm
7. £50 Native Cave voucher – Donated by a parent of children in Year 1 and Year 4
8. £40 Cakeaholics by Claire voucher
9. Two £10 Riverview Bakery vouchers
10. £30 Aroma voucher
11. Breakfast for two at Coffee Johnny's
12. £20 Oaklands Garden Centre voucher
13. Two 10% off vouchers for children's entertainment (AACE Bouncy Castles)
14. 2 tickets to AACE's Christmas Special Event
15. £10 voucher for The Orangery, Whickham
16. £15 voucher for The Staithes
17. Facial voucher for Blossom Beauty Thank you once again to everyone who has donated — your generosity helps make the Fayre one of the highlights of the year.
18. Household cleaning hamper – donated by Lisa from Attitude
19. £20 beauty voucher – donated by Wendy Burnham Beauty at Attitude

Fast Track Booking for Santa's Grotto:

 <https://calendar.app.google/RMAP3qcL9pRxvb8q6>

Once in the calendar - head to Monday 8<sup>th</sup> and book a slot

- Fast Track Booking = skip the queue!
- Other families are welcome to turn up on the day.
- Still pay on the day

December Events

Monday 8th December

- 2:00pm – Christmas Fayre

Head Teacher - Simon Brown

Chair of Governors - Chris Robson

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Tuesday 9th December

- 9:15am – KS2 Christmas Show
- 11:00am – EYFS Christmas Nativity

Wednesday 10th December

- 9:15am – KS1 Christmas Show
- 2:00pm – KS2 Christmas Show

Thursday 11th December

- 9.15am - KS2 Christmas Show  
(Relaxed Performance)
- 11:00am – EYFS Christmas Nativity
- 2:00pm – KS1 Christmas Show  
(Relaxed Performance)

Friday 12th December

- Polar Express and PJ Day

Monday 15th December

- Year 6 Christmas Experience
- KS1 Christmas Party

Tuesday 16th December

- KS2 Christmas Party

Wednesday 17th December

- EYFS Christmas Party

Thursday 18th December

- Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 19th December

- 1:30pm – Church Service at St Cuthbert's – all welcome