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NEXT WEEK

Monday 28th November

3.30-4.30pm Basketball Club

Tuesday 29th November

Wednesday 30th November

2:15: F1 & F2 Nativity

3.30-4.30pm Chess Club Y3-6

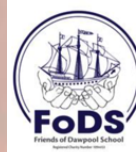
Thursday 1st December

2:15: F1 & F2 Nativity

3.30-4.30pm Football Club Y1 & Y2

Friday 2nd December

Christmas Bazaar



FoDS News

2023 CALENDARS

The calendars are now available to purchase using the link below where you can preview the images. Delivery of the calendars will be early December. PLEASE NOTE your pre-order does not secure your calendars - you need to officially order and pay now to avoid missing out as there is a limited quantity available. Those who have already paid do not need to do anything.
<https://friends-of-dawpool-school.sumupstore.com/product/fods-2023-dawpool-calendar>

RAINBOW RAFFLE

Raffle tickets for our Christmas rainbow hampers will be sold on the day of the Christmas Bazaar and at the children's nativity performances.

KRISPY KREME SALE

Thank you to everyone who ordered donuts ready for collection after school today. You have helped us to raise £122.50 for school. We hope you enjoy them this evening along with an England win!

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Christmas Bazaar

Friday 2nd December.

We are really looking forward to our Christmas fair and would appreciate any donations of teddies, lucky dip toys, games and cakes. Please see the letter that came home for more details. Many thanks to everyone who has volunteered to help on the day. We will be in touch shortly with further information on which stall you will be helping on.

THE POLAR EXPRESS

Friday 9th December.

All aboard!!!! We are so excited to be hosting a special film night for the children! Payments can be made in cash or online using the following link.

<https://friends-of-dawpool-school.sumupstore.com/>

Children are invited to change into their pyjamas for this event and will be provided with a cookie and hot chocolate. Entry will be via a golden ticket. Please see poster and today's letter for more details.

Bag2School

Our next collection will be on **Wednesday 7th December at 9am** and clear bags have been sent home today along with an explanatory leaflet as the company have no branded bags at the moment. Please note however that any bags can be always be used for any of the collections. Many thanks.



Class Assemblies

Each year group will perform a class assembly for their families in the Spring Term. We will share the dates with you in next week's Dawpool News.

This Half Term at a Glance

Wednesday 30 th November	2:15pm: Nativity for F1 & F2 parents
Thursday 1st December	2:15pm: Nativity for F1 & F2 parents
Friday 2nd December	FoDS Christmas Bazaar

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	From 4pm: Santa Comes to Irby School Christmas Post box opens
Monday 5th December	2:15pm: Carol Service at St Bartholomew's Church for Y3, 4 & 5 parents
Tuesday 6th December	9:30am: Nativity for Y1 parents 2:15pm: Nativity for Y1 parents
Wednesday 7th December	9:00am Bag2School Collection
Thursday 8th December	9:30am: Nativity for Y2 parents 2:15pm: Nativity for Y2 parents
Friday 9th December	After School: FoDS Polar Express Film Night
Tuesday 13th December	Christmas Dinner
Wednesday 14th December	'Little Miss Giggles' visit to F1 and F2 6:00pm: Christingle Service at St Bartholomew's Church for Y6 parents
Thursday 15th December	Class Christmas Parties (Non-Uniform Day) Santa to visit all classes with a gift
Friday 16th December	3:30pm: End of Term for pupils.

All of the Christmas dates have been added to the school [calendar](#) on the website.



F1 & F2

We look forward to welcoming families of pupils in Foundation 1 and Foundation 2 into school next week for their nativity.

Wednesday 30th November 2:15pm

Thursday 1st December 2:15pm

Please note that the audience capacity is 2 adults per child at each performance.

Y1 & Y2

The **Year 1 nativity** will take place on Tuesday 6th December with performances at **9:30am and 2:15pm**.

The **Year 2 nativity** will take place on Thursday 8th December with performances at **9:30am and 2:15pm**.

Please note that the audience capacity is 2 adults per child at each performance.

Christmas Services

Y 3, 4, 5

Pupils in Y3, 4 & 5 will lead a Carol Service at St Bartholomew's Church on **Monday 5th December at 2:15pm**.

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Please note that due to a limited capacity at St Bartholomew's Church, we can only accommodate **1 family member** per child at this Service.

Year 6

Y6 pupils will lead a Christingle Service at St Bartholomew's Church on **Wednesday 14th December at 6:00pm.**

Please note that the audience capacity is 2 adults per child at this Service.

<https://www.churchfarmevents.co.uk/christmastreeforest>



Our school kitchen will be serving Christmas dinner on **Tuesday 13th December** for all pupils. Children may bring a festive hat for wearing during lunchtime. Please can **ALL** children return the form sent home indicating whether they wish to have the Christmas dinner on the 13th December? There will be no other dinner options that day so children will need to bring their own packed lunch if they do not wish to opt for this. Thank you.



Christmas Tree

Thank you to Church Farm for the generous gift of the Christmas which will be delivered to school next week. Please visit the Church Farm website to find out more about their Christmas Tree Forest and how to book your 'Choose & Chop' slot. Trees are available 9am – 4pm daily.

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Toast and School Dinners

Could we ask that if anyone wants their child to come off or go onto either toast or school dinners from January 2023 that they let Mandy Parr at the school office know by **Friday 2nd December**. Many thanks.

Heswall Round Table Santa Visits

Thursday 8th December

Dawpool's route for the Santa visit is shown below as a guide. The helpers are not knocking on doors anymore so please

listen out for the sleigh and support the team of collectors who will be walking alongside with their collection buckets. There will be a live Santa tracker published on the night too.

- START 6:15pm approx. from Dawpool Primary School
- Thurstaston Road
- Greenheys Road
- Lyndhurst Road
- Thurstaston Road
- South Drive (then back down Greenheys Road)
- Thurstaston Road (turn right here)
- Irby Road (turn left onto Porto Hey Road)
- Porto Hey Road
- South Hey Road (then back to the main road and continue left)
- Irby Road (turn right onto Townshend Avenue)
- Townshend Avenue
- Penrhyn Road (double back and head along Backford Road)
- Backford Road (to end, then straight across to Woodlands Road)
- Woodlands Road (to end, then back and turn right into Drayton Close)
- Drayton Close (then back to the main road and turn right)
- Irby Road (becomes Thurstaston Road)
- Thurstaston Road Manor Road (then turn right on the one way system and loop round to the same point)
- Mill Hill Road (turn right at end)
- Thingwall Road (turn right at end)
- Thurstaston Road (turn right immediately to head along Manor Road again)
- Manor Road (then turn left at Mill Hill Road)
- Mill Hill Road
- Hillview Road
- Frost Drive (loop around the end of the road and back up to cover Leachway)

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- Leachway
- Hillview Road (then immediately right onto Norton Drive)
- Norton Drive (to end, then turn right)
- Thorstone Drive (to end, then back to cover Edgemoor Drive and Lester Drive)
- Edgemoor Drive
- Lester Drive (back to Thorstone Drive and turn left)
- Thorstone Drive (to end, then turn left on Sandy Lane)
- Sandy Lane
- Martin Close (to end and back to Sandy Lane)
- Sandy Lane FINISH

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Twitter:

<https://twitter.com/StBartsStChads>

Forthcoming Church Services

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Morning Prayer St Chad's Prayer Room 9.00am MOST Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays
(check with Revd Jane for cancellations due to other meetings or commitments)

EVERY Wednesday 10.30am HC at St Chads

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| Sun 27th Nov | 9.00am BCP Communion at St Bartholomew's
10.30am Communion at St Chad's (with Junior Church) |
| Sun 4th Dec | 9.00am BCP Communion at St Bartholomew's
10.30am Holy Communion at St Barts |
| Sun 11th Dec | 9.00am BCP Communion at St Bartholomew's
10.30am All Age at St Chad's—Nativity |

CHURCH

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For more information about St Bartholomew's Thurstaston and St Chad's Irby, please visit:

Website:

<https://www.thurstaston.org.uk/>

Email:

office@thurstaston.org.uk

Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/stchadsstbart>



St Chad's Church. Roslin road are offering a warm safe space on a Tuesday starting from **6th December**. Please see information attached for further details.

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Have a lovely weekend.

David Burrows
Head Teacher

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