# Aughton Christ Church C of E Primary School N E W S L E T T E R— 6th December 2024



Our school value this half term is: "Compassion"

"Clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience."

Colossians 3.12



## KS2 Church Service

Our KS2 children are leading a Nativity service in church on Monday 16th December at 6:00pm. All KS2 children should return to school at 5:30pm in winter uniform in order to prepare for the service.

Following the service, at approximately 6:40pm, children will then return to school and parents can collect their children from the front doors of school. This is to ensure a safe handover of the children.

### PHA Christmas Stockings

Each year the PHA ask the children to bring in a small gift for their class Christmas stocking to help raise funds for our school. They will be raffled off at the Christmas parties on Tuesday 17th December. Children may bring in a small item until Monday 16th December. Items usually include sweets or small/inexpensive novelty toys. These do not need to be wrapped. Children will be able to buy raffle tickets for £1 each with the winning ticket winning all the gifts in their class stocking.

### Y4 Christmas Ukulele Concert

On Thursday 12th December, parents of children in Year 4 are warmly invited to attend our Christmas Ukulele Concert in school at 9:15am. For the concert, we would like the Year 4 children to please wear a Christmas jumper and a Christmas hat.



# Christmas Jumper Day

Children may attend school on Thursday 12th December wearing Christmas jumpers/clothing in return for a donation to the charity 'Save the Children'.



# Dates for your diary

For full list of dates please click here

Monday 9th & Tuesday 10th December—KS1 Nativity 2:30pm Thursday 12th December—Christmas Jumper Day Thursday 12th December—Y4 Ukulele Concert 9:15am Friday 13th December—Reception Nativity 9:15am Monday 16th December—KS2 Service in Church 6pm Tuesday 17th December—Christmas Parties Wednesday 18th December—Christmas Dinner Wednesday 18th December—Reindeer Visit Thursday 19th December—Santa Dash Friday 20th December—2pm finish

## PHA Grand Christmas Raffle

Tickets have been sent home and should be returned by Monday 16th December at 12:00pm for anyone wishing to participate. Extra tickets are available from the school office and at our KS1 and Reception Nativities. A draw will be made on Tuesday 17th December. Prizes include:

Liver building experience, Tropic hamper, Christmas hamper, vouchers for local businesses and more!

## Primary Admissions for September 2025

The deadline for applications is Wednesday 15th January 2025. Even if your child has a sibling in school, you will still need to make your application online in order to secure a place in primary school. Applications must be made via Lancashire County Council Admissions.

### Asda Cashpot for Schools

Thank you to everyone who signed up to this initiative and shopped with Asda, you raised **£139.22** for school!

## Foodbank Fridays

Donations can be brought in on any day and church will collect them on a Friday. Thank you for all the items received so far.



School will close on Friday 20th December at the earlier time of 2pm.

We will reopen at 8:45am on Monday 6th January

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