## St Teresa's R.C. Primary School Newsletter Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December

Thank you to all of you who donated, helped or spent their money at our Christmas Fair, happening right now if you have just received your newsletter! A big thank you to Miss Longmoor and to Nursery staff and parents in particular who took the lead on this. We can give you a grand total raised next week.

Huge congratulations go to our y6 football team, who became regional champions on Saturday! The next stage of the English Schools Football Association 7 a side competition will be played in Liverpool in March, which will be the North of England finals. Brilliant work boys. A big thank you to Jonny Cooke and Simon Hoey who managed the boys at the event.

Our Mini Vinnies are running a 'Reverse' Advent Calendar project for the duration of Advent. They will place a bag in each classroom, and we would like items for local needy families and the food bank; the aim being one item for each day of advent. If each child, or family, could bring ONE item during this time, we would be very grateful; we don't mean everyone brings something every day. Food items, toiletries, Christmas treats are particularly welcome.

Collective Worship and Christmas performance dates

Friday  $8^{th}$  December 10.00 a.m. Miss Bond's class Advent Celebration in the lower school hall

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> Dec at 2.00 p.m. and Friday 15<sup>th</sup> Dec at 10.00 a.m. KS1 Nativity (tickets will be required - please watch out for information)

Mon 18th Dec 2.00 p.m. Christingle y3/4

Wed  $20^{th}$  Dec 6.00 p.m. Thurs  $21^{st}$  Dec 1.30 p.m. y5/6 production of Joseph (tickets will be required - please watch out for information)

Christmas dinner Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December - this will include Christmas jumpers, with a suggested donation of £1.00 for Save the Children.

Nursery performances Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December at 2.00 p.m. and Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December 10.30 a.m.

I plea yet again for consideration when parking. You might be in a rush, but is it worth risking a serious accident to save a few seconds or minutes? It seems things improve slightly for a few days after an appeal and then slide very quickly again. Churning up grass outside resident's houses and blocking drives is very thoughtless and can cause great inconvenience.





