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Don't Fear, Be Ready All the Time

The Gospel on Sunday reminded us how we should be preparing for when Jesus comes to save us, it also signified the first Sunday of Advent, when we prepare to celebrate the day when Jesus first came to us. As you will see below there are lots of exciting events planned for the children in the run up to Christmas!



Christmas Decorations

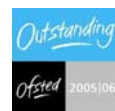


We are due to receive a Christmas tree from Munday + Cramer, our maintenance company, this week. To help the school look especially Christmassy, we would be very grateful if any of the parents and carers would be able to donate any *unwanted* Christmas decorations to the school. The plan is for any decorations you donate to go straight to your child's class so please give them

to your children to carry in as the main office is a bit too small to store lots of decorations!

Dernica's Cake Sale

Please remember to donate cakes etc. for Dernica's Cake Sale, to be held tomorrow!!



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St Winefride's Newsletter

Applications for Reception Places

Applications for places in our Reception Classes next year are now open! We now have 60 places available for children to start at St Winefride's in September 2017.

The children must be born between:

01/09/2012 and 31/08/2103

The closing date for applications is 15th January 2017. You may apply at any time before this date, please don't leave it too late!

Please call in at the Main Office for more details.

Christmas Dinner and Jumper Day



The children will be having their annual Christmas dinner on Thursday 15th December, we will also be holding our Christmas Jumper Day on this date. Everyone, including the staff, are being asked to wear a Christmas Jumper or festive clothing, and to donate £1.00 which will go to Save the Children. We look forward to seeing everyone looking Christmassy!

Festive Run

As you know we love a run at St Winefride's and what better way to herald the coming of Christmas than to have a run around the Olympic Park. Please see the leaflet on the back of the newsletter for details. Two children under 12 may run for free with ONE fee paying adult! It is only £5 per adult and you get a MEDAL and a goody bag too!

Football Shirts for Christmas

If you would like to buy your children a football shirt for Christmas please see Mrs Baladas in the Main Office, as she is able to obtain them for the great price of £25 per Shirt or £30 for Shirts and Shorts!



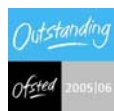
NEC Wheelchair Tennis

We quickly filled up the 25 spaces, and managed to obtain a further 12 places, but still some children were disappointed. We plan to make a note of all the children who wanted to go but missed out, so that should any further opportunities arise they will be given first chance to apply for the tickets.



Coffee Morning

Miss Khanom's Coffee Morning will be going ahead as normal until the end of term.



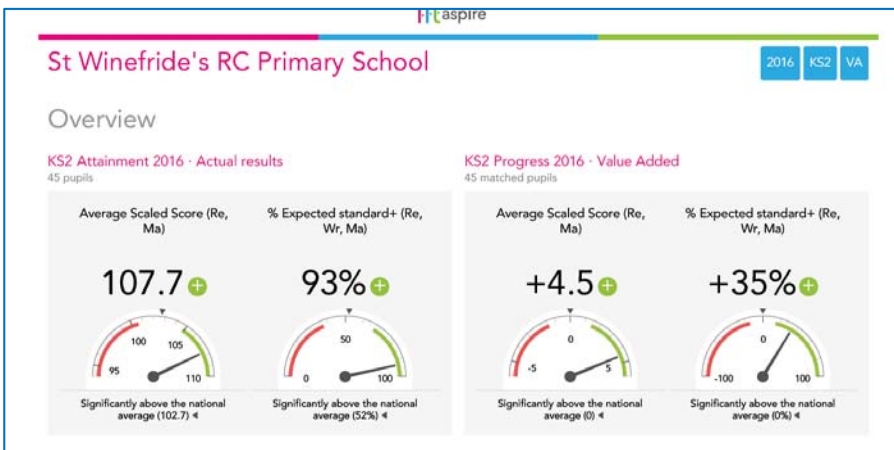
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Dates for your Diary

Here is the latest assembly list, as you can see the assembly that Class 3 had to cancel has been moved to Friday 13th January 2017. Also thank you to the Reception parents who spotted that the Reception assembly was due to take place on the same day as the Pantomime trip! Reception's assembly is now due to take place on Friday 20th January 2017.

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| Fri 18/11/16 Class 3 Assembly | Fri 25/11/16 Class 7 Assembly | Tue 29/11/16 KS1 Prayer Service |
| Fri 2/12/16 Class 6 Assembly | Fri 9/12/16 Reception Assembly CANCELLED due to panto trip | Fri 16/12/16 Christmas Concert 1:30pm |
| Mon 19/12/16 Carol Service | Tue 20/12/16 Governors Assembly | Tue 20/12/16 last day of school before Christmas Break. School Closes at 1:30pm |
| Fri 13/1/17 Class 3 Assembly | Fri 20/1/17 Reception Assembly | |

Please Remember School Closes at 1:30pm on
Tuesday 20th December 2016!
Data from the Fischer Family Trust



For the next few weeks we will be publishing data from the Fischer Family Trust, an organisation that analyses data and results from every school in the country. The chart on the left is called a 'dashboard' and the further to the right the arrows point the better the

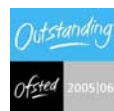
results and valued added (this means have the school helped the children achieve as much as they should have in relation to earlier tests and evaluations.) In our case we are 'significantly above the national average' in every measure! More to follow next week!

Zig Zag Lines

Please be aware that parking wardens are patrolling the area and they will give you a ticket if you park on the Yellow Zig Zag lines outside the school!

Before School Sports Clubs

Don't forget, if the weather is very severe, i.e. very cold, icy raining or snowing, the Before School Sports Clubs will not take place!



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This Week's Prayer

This week please join with your children in saying this prayer;

Heavenly Father,

We thank you for keeping your promise to send a Saviour. We also thank you for the promise that he will return again to take us to our home in heaven. Amen.

God Bless You, Mr Underwood ¹³⁵



Festive ACTIVE PEOPLE ACTIVE PARK
Fun Run
(2k & 5k)

Dress Code: Festive!

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Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park
Saturday 10 December 2016

Family event open to all ages and abilities

Registration 9.30am at The Podium Bar & Kitchen E20 2AD (near the ArcelorMittal Orbit)
Start 10am • £5 Adult • £3 Children under 12 • 2 Children run free with each adult

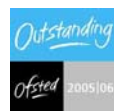
Goody bag and medal given to all finishers!

Register by calling: 0300 124 0123 or go to www.londonathletics.org
Further information from Coral Nourrice 07718 394756 cnourrice@englandathletics.org

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