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Dear families, parents and carers,

Christmas Fair

Thank you to everyone who helped, supported, attended the Christmas Fair yesterday. It was a great success and we have raised over £1000. A big thank you to Claire Saddington our newly qualified teacher who has taken the lead with this ably supported by Jeff and Anita. Thank all those who came and for those that did not you will have chance to buy raffle tickets when you come to our Christmas events!

Parent's Chinwag and Facebook page

This is a very informal and friendly meeting for parents to discuss whatever is important to you. If you have not been I would recommend you contact Becky Earp and take this opportunity to chat to other parents. There is also the 'parents only' Facebook page which again is organised by Becky.

Flu bug and Norovirus

We have had a couple of children off with what is at least a very nasty flu and may be norovirus. I know other schools have had the same and we want to ensure some of our most vulnerable students don't get any terrible bugs over the winter. I am including an advice sheet from Public Health England. Just to remind you if your child has a 'tummy bug' please keep them off for 48 hours after the last bout of diarrhoea or sickness. If you are concerned about your child spreading flu like symptoms keep them at home till they are well. If you are at all concerned do seek medical advice via NHS 111 or your GP.

Transport meeting

You should be getting information from Rotherham transport about changes to some buses next year. They are trying to slightly reduce the number of vehicles and provide a better service. Nothing is going to change suddenly and David Stockdale wants to come and talk this through with as many parents as can attend. This will be in the school hall on Thursday 19th December. Do come along and find out about the changes if you can. Just to reassure you it is not a whole new tendering process like it was a couple of years ago.

Dates for your diary

Name of event	Date and time	Booking details
Pantomime - Mary Poppins	Tues 10 th Dec 10am	Book tickets through the office.
Pantomime - Mary Poppins	Wed 11 th Dec 1:15pm	Book tickets through the office.
Pantomime - Mary Poppins	Thurs 12 th Dec 10am	Book tickets through the office.
Lower School Nativity & performances	Mon 16 th Dec 1pm	Let office know, so we know how many people are coming.
Lower School Nativity & performances	Tues 17 th Dec 10am	Let office know, so we know how many people are coming.
Lower School Nativity & performances	Wed 18 th Dec 10am	Let office know, so we know how many people are coming.
Transport meeting	Thurs 19 th Dec 9:30am	Please come along.
School choir at Tesco Maltby	Thurs 19 th Dec 10.30am	Please come and support
Proud Assembly & last day of school	Fri 20 th Dec 2:30pm	Do come along
Return to school	Mon 6 th Jan	

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