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Dear Parents / Carers,

This Week

It has been a packed fun filled week.

Christmas Crafts have run all week, I hope you have enjoyed spending time with your children, getting into the festive season! Thank you for coming and thank you to our wonderful staff for preparing the activities.

Monday - Thank you to all of the children who took part in our annual Christmas service at St Margaret's Church. As always, the children were brilliant. The true meaning of Christmas was shared in a beautiful way. Thank you, **Mrs Forde** and **Miss Waller** who worked so hard with the children to prepare the service. Thank you too to those of you who attended, it is really appreciated.

Wednesday was all about our **Tasty Treats** event. Thank you to all of the family members who attended, especially all of the grandparents. It was lovely to have you with us to eat some Christmas treats and also listen to our wonderful choir sing some classic carols and songs! A big thank you to **Mrs Forde** and her team for their hard work in organising the extravaganza!

It was also lovely to see so many of the children return for our Christmas Movie Night. The children had a lovely time spending time in school in a more relaxed manner. Thank you to all of the staff who remained at school to look after the children, you are all brilliant!

Thursday was our Christmas Dinner and Jumper Day! The children all looked amazing as did the staff! Thank you to our fantastic kitchen team led by Sarah who cooked a wonderful dinner, we all had a great time! Thursday was also the day of our **Reception Nativity Production**. Wow! What a wonderful performance by all of the children. They sang and acted beautifully. Thank you to **Mrs Deacon**, **Mrs Morris Miss Chance** and the team for their hard work in getting the children ready to perform in

Mrs Morris, Miss Chance and the team for their hard work in getting the children ready to perform in front of so many friends and family members!

Today, **Friday**, the final day of our Advent term heralded our second Carols on the Playground! What a fantastic way to round off the term. The children and parents sang with real gusto and drowned out the motorway traffic! Thank you to those of you who were able to join us, it made the event even more special.













Class Dojo

We use Class Dojo to keep you in touch with news at school and important dates. It has been brought to my attention that some parents think they need to pay for the app. Please note this is not the case, you can download the app for free and there is no need to pay for any extras. Please do download the app to keep in touch.

Thank you

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your support this term. It has been a very busy and successful term. We are very lucky to have such a fantastic school filled with brilliant children and adults.

On behalf of everyone at St Margaret's I would like to wish you all a happy and holy Christmas and I look forward to welcoming the children back to school on **Monday 6th January 2025**.

'But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring good news that will cause great joy for all the people. Today in the town of David a Saviour has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord. This will be a sign to you: You will find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying in a manger." 'Luke 2 v10-12.

Weekly newsletters and past correspondence can be found on our school website at this link.

God bless, Mr Chiswell











