

St Nicolas CofE Primary School

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Head of School – Mr Jake Imrie

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Dear Parents,

Subject: Merry Christmas!

We made it! 14 weeks and no bubble closures, no staff off isolating and lots of learning adventures. There has also been no learning time lost due to bubbles being sent home to isolate. This is fantastic news and is certainly not the local and national picture. PHEW!

It has been an incredibly busy term and I know that your children are ready for a break from school and deserve an exciting magical Christmas. We already have lots of plans for next term and will share these with you at the start of next term.

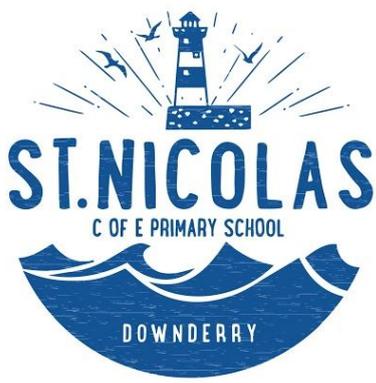
I would like to remind you of the letter I sent last week regarding any positive cases of Covis-19 becoming apparent during the next few days.

“If your child develops symptoms, which results in a positive test being confirmed, please notify me immediately using the email address below.”

“Should a child or member of staff within your child’s class/ bubble test positive for Covid-19, you will receive an email and phone call from me. This includes all days up until and including Christmas Eve, at which point the period of transmission from the last day of school passes.”

I am delighted to inform you that our Santa Fun Runs for Cornwall Hospice Care raised over £1000! That is incredible for the size of our school! Due to so many children raising over £10, we have had to order additional medals. We have not given out the medals yet as some children would have been without which I didn’t think was very fair. They will follow straight after Christmas.

Finally, your child has come home with a set of ‘jingle bells’ today. Please see the note attached and hopefully the Village and surrounding areas will be jingling loudly at 6.00pm on Christmas Eve.



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I would like to take this opportunity to thank all Parents for their continued support.

I would also like to thank all of the staff team for their incredible commitment.

Finally, I would like to thank your children for being the wonderful children they are.

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Jake Imrie (jimrie@stbarnabasmats.com)

Head of School

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**We clapped for our keyworkers, so brave and so bold,
But it's also been a strange year for our children; truth be told,
They've done their best to stick to their bubble,
So let's celebrate Christmas safely and without trouble...**

**On Christmas Eve at 6pm,
We'll gather our children and do this for them,
Grab a bell, step outside and ring them with pride,
So the magic of Christmas is right by your side...**

**Let's do this with family,
With neighbours young or old,
We are building this magic for the story to be told...**

MERRY CHRISTMAS

'Let the Heavens rejoice and the Earth be glad.'
Psalm 96:11