



23rd November 2007

Dear Parents

The dates for the Christmas concerts are:

Key Stage 1 (Infants)

Tuesday 11 th December	9.30 am	and Year 2 Choir and Music Club
Thursday 13 th December	2.15 pm	and Year 2 Choir and Music Club
Friday 14 th December	2.15 pm	and Year 2 Choir and Music Club

Key Stage 2 (Juniors)

Tuesday 11 th December	2.15 pm	Year 5/6 and Handchime Group
	7.00 pm	Year 3/4 and orchestra
Wednesday 12 th December	2.15 pm	Year 3/4 and Handchime Group
	7.00 pm	Year 5/6 and Handchime Group

Please order your tickets using the form overleaf. Tickets will be limited to two per family for Key Stage 1, two for Year 3/4, two for Year 5/6, with special arrangements for orchestra and handchime group members. Please return only one order form per family. Tickets will be sent home with your oldest child. Extra tickets, one per family, will be issued **if available** on Friday 7th December from the school office.

Demand for the Key Stage 2 evening performances is sure to be high, so please try to attend the daytime performances if you can.

Christmas Cards

The Christmas Postbox will be set up in the main foyer (infants) from **Monday 3rd December**. Please **check that any cards your child will be posting show the name (including surname) and class of the recipient.**

New Build Update

The builders are still working on the following issues:

- Repair to light at top of Green Lane entrance.
- New lights along fence opposite the caretaker's house.
- Repair to edges of the Gregory Avenue driveway.

They have also indicated that the fence opposite the caretaker's house may need to be moved outwards. We will do our best to ensure that good access is maintained for parents and children.

There is a formal meeting of the planning group on Tuesday 4th December and I will be raising any outstanding issues at this time.

School Profile

This document has replaced the Governors' Annual Report to Parents and is available online at <http://schoolsfinder.direct.gov.uk/3312136/school-profile>. Parents without internet access should contact the school office for a copy.

School Photos

A reminder that orders for Reception, 'catch-ups' and School Council photos must be returned to the school office by 9.00 am on Monday 26th November.

Year 1 Design Technology Project

Next week, Year 1 will be making colour viewers as part of their topic on Light and Dark. Please could children in Year 1 bring in any junk on Monday (boxes, tubes, etc.).

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Recorder Lessons

We are hoping to start a new recorder group of 3 / 4 children after Christmas. Please contact the school office if you would like further details.

World Cup 2007 Shirt signed by Martin Johnson

We are very grateful to Barclays and Mrs Griffiths in the school office for donating this framed shirt to be auctioned along with other items at the Christmas Fayre. If you would like to place a bid before the Fayre, please send your contact details and the amount you would like to bid in an envelope to the school office marked 'Auction'.

Knitting Club Christmas Appeal 2007

The Knitting Club will be holding a raffle during December to buy food for Christmas dinner for the dogs at Honiley. Last year we raised more than £80 – let's see if we can beat that record! Year 6 pupils will be visiting classrooms next week to sell tickets. Thank you all. Mrs Elliott.

Touch-Typing and Computer Keyboard Skills

Children in Years 4, 5 and 6 will bring home today details of a touch-typing course which may be of interest.

Yours sincerely

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Head Teacher

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STIVICHALL PRIMARY SCHOOL

**Christmas Concerts
Tuesday 11th – Friday 14th December 2007**

Name of oldest child Class

Please reserve the following tickets:

Key Stage 1 Date required Number of tickets
(maximum 2)

Year 3/4 Date required Number of tickets
(maximum 2)

Year 5/6 Date required Number of tickets
(maximum 2)

My child in class is in the **Choir / Handchime Group** and I would like tickets
(maximum 2) for the

Year 3/4 **Year 5/6** performance on
(please delete as appropriate)

Signed