

December Bulletin – Friday 4th 2020

ALL THINGS SJM CHRISTMAS!

Christmas this year at SJM will be very different to our traditional festive activities, BUT in true SJM style the children will be having a fun, festive packed time.

KS1 children are busy rehearsing their individual class Nativity story. Their performances will be filmed and will be able to be viewed via secure private YouTube videos.



A social distancing school Carol Concert is planned for the whole school outside when the weather permits.

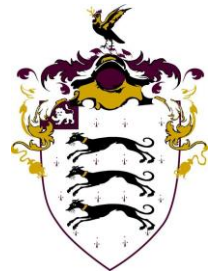
Classes will be Christmas crafting, enjoying a Christmas film/pantomime production, Christmas Treasure Hunt around the village and a class Christmas party on our last day.

Oh.... and don't forget it is the Famous SJM Christmas Fayre, which is virtual this year, starting today until Sunday 6th. Please see advert below.

As part of the Christmas market, our Year 6 class have produced several Christmas items which they are selling as part of their 'Grow a £5 Challenge'. Please support our young entrepreneurs.

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SERVICE- SJM GENEROUS ACTS OF CHARITY

This term, our SJM family have shown amazing generosity, supporting our charity work for national and local charity organisations. We cannot thank you enough for all of your efforts. Here are the charities we have supported, just this term.

MacMillan – Our coffee morning raised £411.50

The British Legion – Poppy Appeal raised £304.37

Children in Need - SJM 'breaking the rules' day raised £502.40

Young Minds – Wearing yellow, raised £133.00

You are still amazing us with your generous donations for our local food banks. Our table is full each week with items you have donated. Families can find it very hard over the Christmas period, so we are still accepting donations until the morning of 18th December. We will resume collecting donations in the New Year

It is lovely to see all the children wearing their Christmas jumpers and we would like to say a HUGE thank you for your generous donations of toys for The Marlene Reid Centre.



YOUNG MINDS



Dates for the Diary

Fri 18th Dec – School Closes 3.20pm
Mon 21st- Mon 4th Jan – Christmas Break
Tue 5th Jan – School Opens
Fri 12th Feb – School Closes 3.20pm
Mon 15th Feb-Fri 19th Feb – Half Tern Spring Break
Mon 22nd Feb – School Opens

THRIVE BOX

Please remind your child that each class has a Thrive box available to them (and also available on Seesaw) to use if they have any concerns or worries.

We encourage all children to speak to an adult in school but if they do not feel confident to do so then please encourage them to use the Thrive box.