



NEWSLETTER

21 December 2018



**Wishing you all a very happy and
peaceful Christmas!
From everyone at St Amand's**

We have had a most enjoyable December; behaviour has been excellent. Highlights were: Strictly St Amand's, the Nativity play and the Carol Service, our Christmas lunch and the parties. We are very grateful to Mrs Moss and Mrs Hicks for their hard work in the kitchen. Children were also fortunate enough to receive a class gift from Santa, courtesy of the PTA.

Our Christmas market was a very enjoyable and raised a tremendous amount £1500. Huge thanks to the hard work of the PTA committee and a number of parents on the day. The funds will be spent on your children in the coming year; we have already booked the Science Dome in term 6.

Our Mini-Vinnies used money they raised to purchase ten cold weather packs that will be delivered to the homeless at O'Hanlon House, Oxford. Thank you for your contributions and well done to last year's Mini-Vinnies.

We are glad that Fr Andrew is fit and well and thank him for his time this week, in helping children to prepare for Christmas.

Next term we welcome the new part-time class teacher in Owls- Mrs Sylvine Druce.

In January, we would appreciate it if all Hedgehogs and Rabbits children came into school independently.

Uniform – please would you check the uniform that you have at home. Several parents in the Rabbits class have reported that brand new, named sweaters have been taken home by mistake and have not been brought back. Thank you.

Staff would like to thank you for your many Christmas wishes and kind gifts.

Best wishes for a very happy and peaceful Christmas.

Mrs H Ellery
Headteacher