



# Atherton Sacred Heart RC Primary School

## Newsletter w/b 30th November 2015

### What's on this week:

Monday 30th November: 'Farm to Fork' [Y1 to Tesco]  
*The staff of TESCO were very impressed by our Reception pupils last week. Y1 this week with other classes to follow.*

Thursday 3rd December: Y5 rugby tournament at LSV

Friday 4th December: non uniform day for chocolates  
*Selection boxes etc... or club together with another family for a larger prize eg. tin of chocolates.*

Sunday 6th December [1pm for 1.30pm]: Bingo!  
*Bingo is held in Sacred Heart Parish Club at the top of Lodge Rd. Open to all ages; children, parents, grandparents etc...!*

### Coming soon:

Tuesday 8th December :

- Y5 woodwind performance [1.45pm]
  - Carols by Candlelight [7pm]
- Families invited to sing carols in Sacred Heart Church grounds*

Thursday 10th December [2.30pm]: 'People Who Help Us'  
*End of drama unit show performed by Y3*

Monday 14th December:

- 'Farm to Fork' [Y6 to Tesco] CANCELLED
- Mrs Gerrard's carol singers to Top Chapel [1.45pm]

Tuesday 15th December [2.30pm]: Infant Nativity

Wednesday 16th December [9.30am]: Infant Nativity  
*'Straw and Order'*

Wednesday 16th December: Christmas party afternoon

Thursday 17th December: Mellors Christmas lunch  
*Open to all children even if usually packed lunch. The cost of a children's meal is £2.10. PP or cash in labelled envelope will be fine.*

Friday 18th December [9.30am]: Christmas Mass [lead by Y5]

.....and 2.30pm finish for end of term!

*Nb. M&M Productions here on first day back [Tuesday 5th] for a performance of Dick Whittington [£2]*

Thank you to Joshua Y3 for celebrating his birthday with a donation to CAFOD. Why not just send one card to all the class and make a donation instead of buying lots of cards?

### Collective worship

Friday 4th December [9.05am]  
Y3 collective worship 'Visitors'

*Families and friends welcome!*

### Strengths of Character

## PERSISTENCE

Matty [Y4] had to practise for his piano exam and was persistent even when the pieces got more difficult.

Lizzy [Y5] had a lot of lines to learn for her panto but she kept repeating and repeating and now has them all memorised.

David S [Y5] found measuring angles with a protractor difficult but with practice he got it in the end.

Caitlin [Y3] was nervous when she went to the dance competition at 180 but she threw herself into to it...the team came 2nd!!

Toby and Matty [Y4] were playing in a football match. The game was nearly over and they were losing 0-1. The team kept going right up until the final minute; 1-1 then 2-1...winners!

Oscar [Y3] is training for his next karate belt [red with black stripe]. Although training is tough, he sticks at it.

Kian [Y6] was struggling to understand how to use brackets in Maths but he was persistent and now gets it!

Thomas R [Y4] competed for the school in the cross country team. It felt like a long way and some of it was up hill but he kept going and finished the course in a good time.

Alyssia [Y3] has had some tricky words to learn for the Y3 play but with practice, she is ready for the performance.

Maxi [Y3] was struggling with 3D shapes but he did not give up!

*Do you ever feel like giving up?  
When have you been persistent?  
What are the rewards for persistence?*

