

Thank you, thank you, thank you to our wonderful, hard-working PTFA who spent months planning the Christmas Fayre and who spent a very long weekend setting things up and clearing up afterwards. We really are appreciative of all you do for our school. A grandparent and ex-governor with long associations with the school said 'What a fabulous event, it just gets better and better each year!'. **The event has raised over £1,500, which is an incredible amount for such a small school, thank you parents for your support**. Thank you to our wonderful teachers for going the extra mile on the weekend for our school. Particular thanks must go to Rosie J, Claire P, Poppy R, Claire J, Steph T, Caroline P and Giles G, Louis, Marina and those who stayed beyond the end of the event to clear up in the dark.

Thank you to the PTFA for also organising a lovely wreath making evening on Wednesday.



Nativities and KS2 Carol Service

The KS1 Nativity is being held in the school hall next **Tuesday 10th December at 1:30pm.** Family members are welcome to attend the performance, however, we only have capacity for 2 people per family. Please use the form <u>here</u> to indicate how many people will be attending, thank you.

The Reception Nativity will take place on **Tuesday 17th** at **2:15pm**.

The KS2 carol service will take place on **Wednesday** 18th at 1:30pm.

Family members are invited to join us for both of these events in Holy Rood Church.

Clubs Reminder

This week was the last week of teacher led clubs except for Adriano's football club which will run until **Tuesday 17th December.**

The music concert for choir members and young musicians will take place on Thursday. Parents are invited to join us for this. PTFA WOULD LIKE TO SAY A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL THE PARENTS AND CARERS AT MORDIFORD BY OFFERING FREE DRINKS AND A MINCE PIE AT THE UPCOMING CHRISTMAS EVENTS OF RECEPTION & KSI NATIVITY, CHRISTMAS MUSIC CONCERT AND KS2 CHRISTMAS SERVICE. (DONATIONS ALWAYS WELCOME)



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Dates for your Diary

Date	Time	Event
Tues 10th Dec	13:30-14:30	Y1 and Y2 Nativity - in School Hall
Wed 11th Dec	8:00 -12:00	KS1 Theatre Trip - Aladdin
Wed 11th Dec	12:15-13:15	KS2 Christmas Lunch
Thurs 12th Dec	12:15-13:15	KS1 Christmas Lunch
Thurs 12th Dec	15:30-16:30	Christmas Music Concert
Tues 17th Dec	14:15-15:00	Reception Nativity - in Holy Rood Church
Wed 18th Dec	13:30-14:30	KS2 Christmas Service in Holy Rood Church
Thur 19th Dec		Last day of term 1
Tues 7th Jan		First day of term 2

Matisse Masterpieces

Year 4 have been getting creative with art using scissors. Inspired by French artist Henri Matisse, they created their own Matisse masterpiece for their classroom wall. We had to think carefully about which colours to put next to each other.



The budding artists also recreated 'Jazz' by Matisse, some using primary colours and some using secondary colours, which colours do you think have more impact?



Christmas Lunch

Please remember that **Reception and KS1 will need to bring a packed lunch on Wednesday 11th** and **KS2 will need to bring a packed lunch on Thursday 12th** due to Christmas Lunch taking place.

Children are invited to wear their festive jumpers on their Christmas lunch days.



We have had a few cases of headlice reported to the school over the past week. Please be vigilant with checking and treating your child's hair. Advice for headlice can be found here. Thank you.