**St Catherine’s Primary School** 

**December Newsletter**

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Dear Parents/Carers,

I can’t believe it’s this time of year again! I am delighted to be sending my first St Catherine’s newsletter! I have really enjoyed getting to know the children and families of St Catherine’s over the last week and will continue to work on getting to know more of you over the month of December.

**Dates for your Diary**

 *If parents and carers are invited along to a school event, it will state ‘Parents invited’ next to the event.*

DECEMBER

11th – P3,4, 5,6 & 7 Christmas Show 9.30am (parents invited by tickets)

 P1 & 2 Nativity 1.15pm (parents invited by tickets)

 12th – P1 & 2 Nativity 9.30am (parents invited by tickets)

 P3,4, 5, 6 & 7 Christmas Show 1.15pm (parents invited by tickets)

 18th –Christmas Parties 1.30-3.00pm

18th – Christmas Lunch

20th - School closes at 2.30pm for Christmas holidays

School Fayre ![C:\Users\chas\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\ZJ796BOP\69716360_0dce96ec76[1].jpg]()

A huge thank you to everyone who came out to support our Christmas Fayre on Saturday! We had a fantastic day, the children enjoyed the Santa’s Grotto and buying all their wonderful crafts. I would like to thank the Parent Council and the school staff for all their hard work on the day but also preparing for the event. We would also like to Thank our local community supporters – the Co-op, Shaw butchers, McGhees, McDonalds, kitchen staff and Mrs McColgan who also helped us prepare for the event.

We are delighted to have raised £1105.70 which is a terrific amount. We will be able to use this money to enhance the children’s experiences in school.

Safety of our children ![C:\Users\chas\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\ZJ796BOP\O.snow2[1].png]()

Can I please remind all parents/ carers to be very careful when parking and dropping off children with these dark mornings and afternoons. Please do not park on the Zig Zags outside the school.

Can I remind you for up to date information on the winter weather please listen to Radio Clyde and follow Glasgow City Council on twitter to get information on how the weather is affecting schools, as often our phone line is very busy in the mornings.

Lost Property![C:\Users\chas\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\7EHUHDRV\feal-mor-rasta-sweater[1].jpg]()

We have lots and lots of lost property in the school hall, including jumpers, cardigans, water bottles and many other items. If your child is missing something please pop any day at 3pm and have a look in the lost property and claim your lost items.

Silver Trail![C:\Users\chas\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\GL76GB0Z\heart-of-love-13272337888Z3[1].jpg]()

A huge thank you to everyone who supported our Silver Trail event! We raised a lot of money for charity.

If you wish to contact me about anything in this newsletter please don’t hesitate to get in touch.

I wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year when it comes!

Best Wishes,

**Michelle Wright**

 Head Teacher

 *Don’t forget to follow us on twitter for all the latest news and pictures*

*@stcatherinespri*