

# Duddon St. Peter's CE Primary School

'Be the best you can be.'



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## Newsletter

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The autumn term is always a long one but there have been a variety of wonderful activities for the children to participate in during the festive season. Having an audience really excited them. Class One and Treetops went to Chester Cathedral to sing the Christmas story and visit our tree; the PTA Festive Fun Day was a great success, thanks to all the organising team and this week the children will be entertained by the pantomime in school, their Christmas lunch and the Carol Service in church on Friday. Also, I hope you enjoyed the Christmas performances where all the children did so well.

We very much appreciate all those people who have supported and organised the PTA events and activities this term, helping to raise those extra funds which make such a difference to the resources which can be provided for the benefit of all the children.

It has been a long and busy term, and everyone is ready for a break over the Christmas period. My thanks to all the staff who have worked incredibly hard to develop new areas of the curriculum and improve the provision further. I would like to take this opportunity to wish parents, staff, governors, children and our whole school community a very Happy Christmas and peaceful New Year.

*Paul Hudson  
Head teacher*



**CAROL SERVICE:**  
Please join us at 2.00pm on Friday 15th December in St. Peter's Church for our Christmas Service. Mulled wine and mince pies will be available after the service in the school hall. Children may be taken home after the service if you wish.

### CALENDAR DATES

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December: Pantomime visits school

Thursday 14 December: Treetops Stay & Play from 1.30 – 3.00pm  
Christmas dinner

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December: Christmas Service in St Peter's Church 2.00pm  
**SCHOOL CLOSSES**

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January: INSET DAY**

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January: SCHOOL OPENS**



**Thank you for your kind donations for St. Luke's Hospice through the Elf Run and donations from performances.**

Well done to the Year Three and Four indoor athletics teams who did brilliantly, coming second out of eight schools (the teams were a combination of Barrow and Duddon children).

**Wishing you a very  
Happy Christmas**

From us all at Duddon St.

*Peter's School*

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