



# St George's Central CE Nursery

## Newsletter – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2017

Well it's the 1<sup>st</sup> December and so that officially means that the countdown to Christmas really begins now. We have lots of exciting events coming up for your children over the next few weeks. To keep up to date in 'real time', follow our **new** Lancaster Avenue Nursery Twitter account: **@MsSNSGC**. Don't forget, our nursery will close for children for Christmas at **3:00pm on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December** and re-open on **Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2018**.



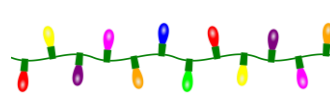
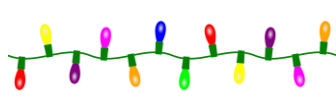
**Nursery places** – Next week, new starters in our 2 year old room will be making their first visits, spending some time in nursery before they start in January. As some children have moved into our 3-4 year old room, we do now have more availability in our 2 year old room. We offer flexible provision and there is 15 hours funding available for both 2 and 3 year old places. We are also now taking names for our September 2018 intake. Should you, or anyone you know, wish to add names to our September intake list, or tour our nursery, please contact Ms Naughton on 01942 889779.

**Reception starters 2018** – Applications are now open online for parents to submit an application for their child to start our Reception class in September 2018. Applications need to be submitted by **15<sup>th</sup> January 2018**. If you would like to come and have a look around our school site at Darlington St, please do not hesitate to contact the school office on 01942 883773 and we will be able accommodate a more individual approach.



**Thank you** – We would also like to thank you all for the great support with Children In Need. In total, with your contributions, the whole school raised **£320** for this worthy cause. Finally, thank you for attending our recent 'Stay and Play' sessions, we hope you enjoyed spending time in our setting with your child. It was lovely to see so many parents/carers wanting to know more about the learning taking place in nursery and how you can help at home.

### Christmas events



Date	Event
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	Nursery Christmas Party at The Lilford Centre, 1:00pm – 3:00 pm. All children are invited to attend for food, music and party games for everyone to enjoy. Please come dressed in your party clothes.
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	Nursery Christmas Performance in our nursery, 9:30am start. You are all invited to come and listen to the Christmas songs we have been learning. Tickets will be 50p each and available from Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> December at the nursery office.
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Jumper Day. All children can wear a Christmas jumper today (no donation needed!)
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Children will be walking over to school to see Kevin the Clown, 10am start

**Don't forget, if your child will not be attending on their set day please can you ring us and let us know as we like to know our nursery children are safe and well. The nursery number is 01942 889779.**

The next newsletter will be sent out on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December. Have a great month.

Mr M Grogan – Headteacher

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