



# School Newsletter

## Bexton Primary School and Nursery

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**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2024**

Upcoming dates for your diary...

- **Monday 9<sup>th</sup> December:**  
Infant Nativity Dress Rehearsal
- **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December:**  
Infant Nativity, younger children welcome (**9:30am**)
- **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December:**  
Nursery Christmas Singalong (**9:30am**)
- **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December:**  
Infant Nativity (2pm) **Adults only**
- **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December:**  
Year 5 Mexican and Mayan Day
- **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December:**  
KS2 Christmas concert-  
1:30pm/6:00pm @ St John's
- **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December:**  
Nursery Christmas Party 1:30pm-  
3pm
- **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December:**  
Year 6 Choir at Beechwood, Tabley  
Road 11am
- **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December:**  
Christmas Class Parties
- **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December:**  
Break up for Christmas

### END of Term Holiday

- **Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2025:**  
**INSET DAY**
- **Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January:**  
Children return to school
- **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> January:**  
FOBS Cinema Night
- **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February:**  
Break up for half term
- **Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February**  
Children return to school
- **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February:**  
FOBS Quiz Night
- **Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> March:**  
Year 5 Halle Visit
- **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April:**  
School Closes

### **This week's important information!**

#### KS2 Walk to St Johns

If you have a child in Year 3 to Year 6, please make sure you have completed this [form](#) in order for your child to attend the Church. The Christmas concert takes place on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December at 1:30pm and 6:00pm.

#### Nativity

The children have been very busy rehearsing, and we are thrilled to share their performance of *Hey Ewe* with you next week. Thank you for sending in all the costumes—they look fantastic!

Here is a reminder of the performance times:

#### **Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> December**

- Doors open at **9:30 am** for a **10:00 am** start.
- Refreshments will be available before the performance.
- Babies are welcome to attend this performance.

#### **Wednesday, 11<sup>th</sup> December**

- Doors open at **1:45 pm** for a **2:00 pm** start.

We look forward to welcoming you and celebrating this special event together. Please note, the extra Nativity tickets form is now closed and the tickets have been sent out.

#### Nursery Singalong

We are excited to welcome you to our Nursery Sing Along on Wednesday, 11<sup>th</sup> December at 9:30 am. This special event promises to be a delightful showcase of our children's talents, and we truly hope that all of our little ones can attend. The children are not required to wear costumes however if they would like to wear a Christmas themed outfit, they are welcome to.

We kindly ask that you drop off your children at 9:00 am on Wednesday morning. Parents are warmly invited to make their way over to the main school hall, where the performance will be held. The show will last approximately 30 minutes, after which we will safely bring the children back to the nursery. For those who do not typically attend nursery on Wednesdays, please feel free to collect your little ones after the show.

Everyone is welcome, and we encourage you to join us for this wonderful occasion. In the spirit of safeguarding, we kindly request that any photos taken during the event are not shared on social media platforms. Your understanding and cooperation are greatly appreciated.

#### Clubs

A reminder that next week, is the last week clubs will be running. With the exception of Digital Wizards finishing today 6<sup>th</sup> December (note that the original timetable showed this as finishing next week, which is incorrect) Dawn 2 Dusk will be running as usual.

## Christmas Lights Extravaganza

What a truly wonderful evening we enjoyed at the Christmas Lights Extravaganza on Wednesday! Despite the rain, this year's event was our most successful yet, raising an incredible **£5900** towards the much-needed refurbishment of our beloved Astro turf. After a week of designing, crafting, and preparing their delightful Christmas DT creations, the children had a fantastic time proudly showcasing their work. It was heart-warming to see so many people join us to admire the magical displays on the trim trail, toast marshmallows, participate in festive activities, and enjoy the enchanting performances by the children's choir. Many of you even danced along to the lively tunes of the wonderful Bexton Staff Band!

This event was a brilliant example of the Bexton community coming together to create something truly special. We owe a huge debt of gratitude to everyone who played a part in making it such a success. Special thanks go to Mark Bolland from [@AandMMarquees](#), who generously supported us by providing the lights, tents, and a fantastic stage for our performers. We are also grateful to Andy, our school sound engineer from [@PiranhaAudioVisual](#), for kindly supplying the sound system that brought the vibrant sounds of the Bexton Band to life and to the wonderful Julie Whelan [@JulieWhelanPhotography](#) who captured some beautiful moments from the event.

Thank you all for your incredible support—events like this wouldn't be possible without our amazing community. We feel truly blessed to have such a strong network of support around us. Here's to many more wonderful events!

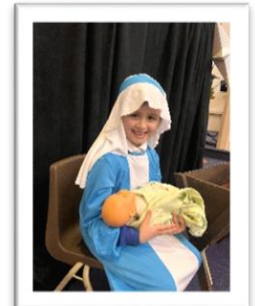


## Netball

Last week, we took 14 players to the Knutsford Academy Girls' Football Tournament. There were eight extremely competitive matches. The players showed great team spirit, a great work ethic and some brilliant team and individual play. It went down to goal difference, and we're delighted to say that Bexton won the tournament! That's three years in a row now for our Y5 & Y6 girls! Thank you so much to all of the families for coordinating transport and for staying to support the teams on what was a very cold evening! If any of the parents took a photo and could send it to the office, that would be much appreciated, thank you!

## Year 1 walk to Knutsford Methodist Church

On Thursday, the year one children took a walk to visit Knutsford Methodist Church. While there, they watched and joined in with a reenactment of The Christmas Story. They had a great time deepening their learning and watching the story come to life.



## Christmas Books

If you are looking for some book inspiration this Christmas, then please click the links below. These recommended books will make great Christmas presents and inspire imagination and learning. [Best children's books - Christmas Books \(KS2\)](#) [Best Christmas Books for Children](#)

## Happy Birthday!

Happy Birthday Aria, thank you for your lovely Christmas book!

