**Christmas Arrangements Dec 2021- Dates and info for parents**

**Christmas -Advent**

Some of our pupils will feature in St Margaret’s Parish Church online advent on facebook. Please like their page to view.

**Mischief the Elf**

Our school elf is living up to its name with daily antics with riddle clues.

**Christmas Dinner-** Festive Accessories may be worn

**Wednesday 8th December**

Please ensure that you have ordered via the form sent out twice via email and shown below.

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=oyzTzM4Wj0KVQTctawUZKfzYZsjkiLREk2I8pmzu71BUMTFETzQzSzBRS1VZWlhaU0EzOFZZODZWNC4u>

**Christmas Jumper Day**

This is on **Friday 10th December**. £1 for Save the Children

**Christmas Parties- all parties are in the afternoon**

Tuesday 14th December- P6/7

Wednesday 15th December- P5

Thursday 16th December- P2

Friday 17th December- P3/4

Monday 20th December -P1

Tuesday 21st December- Nursery

Nursery using hall AM on 13th and 14th

On their party day, children can go home for lunch from 11.45am. They should be collected from the main door.

Children who cannot go home can bring their clothes to change into at school or come dressed in the morning.

Return to main door for usual time. 1pm or 1.15pm.

Parents are not permitted to attend parties.

**Step into Christmas**

Mrs Ross has signed us up for NL Step into Christmas! This is a programme to promote physical activity on the run up to Christmas. Look out for our school activities on Twitter.

**P7 Christmas Enterprise**

Primary 7 are currently planning what good or services to sell to other pupils as part of their annual enterprise project. More news will follow.

**Class Festive Performances**

Nursery- Sing-a-long on 17th December

Classes will post a short festive performance for their parents on See Saw before the end of term.

**Online Christmas Service**

We are currently trying to organise a Christmas Service from St Margaret’s Parish Church via a link to youtube channel. Aiming for whole school to watch at 11am on 17th December. This link will be shared with parents too.

**Christmas Raffle**

One of our parents, Mr Sochacki has very kindly donated a Christmas Hamper from the Co-op for whom he works. (Photo will follow)

Tickets will be on sale from Monday 6th December at the cost of £1 per strip. Send money in with your child please.

The draw will take place on Monday 21st December.

May we wish our families a very Merry Christmas and a Peaceful and Healthy New Year in 2022.

Gillian Matthews

Head Teacher on behalf of TeamMuirhouse!