



SPLM

NEWSLETTER

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DEAR PARENTS, CARERS AND FRIENDS

We are now well into our second half term and enjoying lots of 'powerful learning' opportunities in and around school. All classes and School Council are starting to prepare for Christmas festivities. Please note we have made a change to our Christmas carol singing plans on the 11th December - see below for more details.



Celebration of Christmas at SPLM

We would like to welcome you to celebrate Christmas by singing carols and some of our favourite Christmas songs together. We will be holding this event in our specially decorated sports hall. All pupils and their families are invited.

Refreshments will be available, following the singing, in the assembly hall. Delicious school-made mince pies, juice, tea and coffee will all be on offer.

Tickets will be available very soon. These will be limited to 2 per adult for family members (children do not need a ticket) in the first instance.

We thought you'd like to know that the winners of the Port St Mary Commissioners 'Design your own Christmas Tree' competition are **Charlie Shaw and Charlie Valerga**. Well done boys, we look forward to watching you switch on the Christmas tree lights outside Manxonia House on Friday 30th November, straight after school.



If you have any trees or decorations you would like to send to school to help us decorate for our celebration of Christmas, we would LOVE to receive them. Thank you.

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| Dress Down Day | Bottles | Friday 30th November |
| Christmas Fair | PTFA event | Friday 7th December from 3pm |
| Choir at Mount Tabor Carol Concert | | Sunday 9th December - 6.30pm |
| Christmas Celebrations at SPLM | Whole School | Tuesday 11th December - 6.30pm |
| Christmas Jumper Day | Christmas Dinner served at lunchtime | Wednesday 12th December |
| Carols in the Barn | Years R, 1, 2 | Wednesday 19th December - 10.30am |
| Christmas Parties | | Thursday 20th December - pm |
| Christmas Holidays | | 24th December to 4th January 2019 |
| Back To School | | Monday 7th January 2019 |
| More dates are likely to follow and changes are possible to the information given above | | |



Please remember to return your parent survey to school by Monday 10th December, thank you.

Ange Callaghan Headteacher