

# KEA NEWS 1 December 2017

# A GREAT PLACE TO LEARN AND MAKE FRIENDS

# Year I Visit Kea Church



Last Wednesday Year I visited Kea Church to learn about Advent and the Nativity story. Here is a recount of our visit, written by Daniel.

First we watched a funny and silly video of the Nativity story. Then we made colourful Nativity wheels. After that we made beautiful



lanterns. Finally Rudy lit the Advent candles and we prayed.

#### **After School Clubs**

Please remember that next week is the last week for after school clubs. Week commencing Monday II December children will need to be collected at the normal time of 3.30 pm. Details of clubs for the Spring Term will be circulated soon.

### Reminders

Please remember that children should not be dropped to school before 8.45 am in the morning as the playground is unsupervised before this time. If you are running late in the morning and a member of staff is not in the drop off zone please bring your child to the school office and sign them in.

The school office has been receiving late requests from parents regarding children's home time arrangements. Please let the office know in the morning if there is a change to your child's normal pick up, or your child's teacher at drop off. When the office receives calls late in the afternoon, sometimes as late as 3.00 pm, it is sometimes difficult to get a message to your child's teacher in time as this tends to be a very busy time in the school office. In the afternoons some lessons take place in different rooms and it can take longer to get a message to a particular child.

#### **Homework - Rotary Young Writer Competition**

The Task: this year the Rotary Club would like children who are aged 7-10 or 11-13 to produce a written or typed story in prose entitled, 'A Different Perspective'. The entry could be fiction or non fiction, story or a poem, as long as the piece relates to the theme and are to be submitted on A4 paper of up to 500 words. If your child would like to enter, please bring your entry into school by Friday 23 February 2018. You will also need to complete an entry form which is available from the school office. We look forward to reading your exciting writing.

#### **Dates for Your Diary**

December

Fri I 3.00-5.00 pm KSF Christmas Fayre

Tues 5 9.30 AM Parental viewings for Sep 18 intake

Wed 6 Christmas dinner

Wed 6 Full Governors meeting 6.30 pm

#### **Dates for Your Diary** <u>December</u> Thurs 7 Infant nativity 2.30 pm Fri 8 Infant nativity 9.30 am & 2.30 pm Mon II 8.35 AM: Parents to drop Year 5 to Penair School for art workshop Tues 12 Last swimming session for Years 3 & 4 Tues 12 2.00 PM Parental viewings for Sep 18 intake Wed I3 8.45 AM Parents to drop KS2 children for nativity practice in the church Wed I3 Junior nativity in church 6.00 pm Thurs 14 9.00-11.00 AM Kea School Friends Breakfast with Santa at Playing Place Community Centre Thur 14 6.00-7.00 KSF infant disco & 7.15-8.15 KSF junior disco Fri 15 Christmas jumper day - School Council fund raiser Mon 18 KSI Christmas party Tues 19 Y3/4 Christmas party Wed 20 Y5/6 Christmas party & break up for Christmas

