

No charge will be made for any of the in-school Christmas entertainment. However, we will charging for tickets to the Christmas shows to help cover the costs.  
Tickets are £1.50 per adult and include refreshments.  
Tickets can be purchased via School Gateway.

#### Christmas Shows

**Refreshments will be available** before or after our class shows - tea & coffee, mince pies & treats.  
**Christmas raffle:** Prizes include a bottle hamper & a pamper hamper. Tickets £1.00. Proceeds will be split equally between School & Our Dementia Choir.

**Charity collection:** We will also be collecting for the School Council's nominated charity at the Christmas Shows and hope you will feel able to contribute to this worthwhile cause.

**Our Dementia Choir** is a UK charity based in Nottinghamshire. The charity supports people living with dementia to experience the joy of music and singing which in turn helps to preserve and protect the health of those living with Dementia.  
Donations are vital to keep the choir running and will be used to support key costs such as the choir leader, transport for choir members, printing music and providing refreshments.

#### Reverse Advent Calendar: This year we are collecting for Canaan Trust

The Canaan Trust is a local, independent charity supporting the homeless and those threatened with becoming homeless. The Trust provides person centred support, specifically tailored to the needs of each unique individual who seeks their help.



***We wish you all a wonderful Christmas  
and a very happy New Year!***

#### EVACUATION PROCEDURES

In the unlikely event that we need to evacuate the school whilst you are watching your child's assembly, please leave in an orderly fashion through the hall doors.

School staff will escort all the children according to our practised fire drills.



**It's  
CHRISTMAS  
at BANKS ROAD**


**DECEMBER 2025**

**DIARY OF EVENTS**

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO PARK SAFELY AND CONSIDERATELY WHEN  
ATTENDING ASSEMBLIES AND THE SCHOOL DISCO.**

Further information about the events and activities are available here:  
[Christmas 2025 Events Newsletter](#)

# December 2025 at Banks Road

Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> November	Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> November	Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> November	Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> November	Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> November
<b>Christmas Pound Shop opens</b> For the cost of £1 your child can visit the Christmas pound shop, choose a present for Mum or Dad, wrap it up and label it and put it under the class tree to keep secret until Christmas Day.			<b>Christingle activities</b> Toton Churches will visit children in FS to talk about Advent and Christingle.	<b>Christmas Friday Fun Factory</b> Book your place now via School Gateway. Spaces are limited.
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup>	Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 5 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Reverse Advent</b> Please bring donations of toiletries for Canaan Trust between 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 5 <sup>th</sup> December. <i>See Events Newsletter.</i>  <b>Daily collections start from the Christmas post box</b> – Please write the <b>full name &amp; class</b> of the recipient so that our ‘posties’ can deliver them correctly.  <b>Beeston Round Table</b> – Santa will be visiting Toton tonight from 6.30pm! Don’t forget to look out for him and drop a donation in his collection box, then he might come to our Disco!!			<b>Reverse Advent</b> Don’t forget to bring in your donations for the Caanan Trust.	<b>Year 2 Children “Experience Christmas”</b> at St Peters Church. If you are available to walk with your child’s class, please tell the teacher. This is for Year 2 children only. <b>Cherry &amp; Willow with surnames P-Z</b> , 9.15am to 10.30am <b>Oak &amp; Willow with surnames A-O</b> , 10.45am to 12.00pm.  <b>Christmas Film Night – THAT CHRISTMAS</b> Join us for a Christmas movie, with hot dogs & popcorn. Tickets £6 via School Gateway. <i>See Events Newsletter.</i>
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Class Christmas shows tickets cost £1.50 per adult. Get your tickets via School Gateway. Younger siblings are welcome (free of charge) provided they sit with their adult and are not disruptive to the performance.</b> <i>See Events Newsletter.</i>				<b>Children’s Christmas Disco</b> 5.15pm – 7.15pm. Entry by ticket only. <b>All</b> children must be accompanied by an adult. <i>See Events Newsletter.</i>
<b>2pm KS1 Christmas Show</b> All Parents and relatives of <b>KS1</b> children welcome. We will be serving refreshments after the show.	<b>9.15am Foundation Stage Christmas Show</b> All parents and relatives of <b>Chestnut Class</b> children welcome. We will be serving refreshments from 8.45am.  <b>2pm KS1 Christmas Show</b> All Parents and relatives of <b>KS1</b> children welcome. We will be serving refreshments after the show.	<b>2pm Foundation Stage Christmas Show</b> All parents and relatives of <b>Birch Class</b> children welcome. We will be serving refreshments after the show.		
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Christmas Jumper Day</b> - a chance to wear a festive jumper to school & donate to Our Dementia Choir.	<b>Key Strings Musical Education</b> will entertain the children in school and nursery in the morning.  <b>KS1 Christmas singing at Tesco</b> KS1 children are invited to come along to sing songs from their Christmas show in the foyer at Tesco at 3.45pm. Children must be accompanied by an adult. We will be doing a collection for Our Dementia Choir & the Banks Road School Fund during the performance. It would be lovely if other members of our school community wish to pop along to Tesco to watch & show support to the children.	<b>Children’s Entertainer</b> - In the morning Freddie Wilkinson will be performing a magic show.	<b>Christmas Dinner day</b> - The school children and staff will be having their Christmas Dinner in the hall.  <b>Christmas Party Day</b> All children will have a special party day and hopefully a very special visitor! Children can wear party clothes, but don’t forget coats and sensible shoes for outdoors, please.  If your Nursery child does not usually attend on Thursday afternoons they will be very welcome to attend the party, but please let us know in advance if they will be coming.	<b>School Closes</b> for the Christmas Holidays at 3.15pm.    <b>REMINDER:</b> <b>School opens again for children on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January at 8.45am &amp; at 8.30am for Morning Nursery</b>