

24th November 2022

#### Dear Parents and Carers

Thank you to everyone who attended our first exhibition last night to look at your child's history and geography learning. We do hope you enjoyed sharing in your children's learning and looking at their books. It was lovely to see so many of you.

Next week, we will be celebrating Christingle in school. We are very fortunate that members of St. Andrew's church will be coming volunteering their time to come into school to make Christingles with the children. We will be taking a collection for the Children's Society as part of our Christingle and if you have any lose change that you would like to donate, please send it in to school with your child next Wednesday.

Finally, the Christmas Fayre will be on Thursday 1st December at 3.30pm. We do hope that you will be able to join us and support the PTFA.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Bentley Headteacher

The PTFA would be grateful for any bottles for the bottle stall and any raffle prizes for the

Christmas fayre on 1st December

Don't forget to buy a raffle ticket https://www.bigptaraffle.co.uk/ support/heckington-st-andrews--schoolng34

#### E-Safety - Age Ratings

Do you know what your child is accessing? What age ratings are the films, series and games they play? Did you know that most social media platforms have an age rating of 13? Did you know that WhatsApp in particular has an age rating of 16?

Inappropriate content poses a safety risk in that it can cause mental and emotional damage to children of any age, especially very young children. It can cause them to have nightmares or a change in behaviour, more so if the content was very vivid. Age ratings are designed to protect our young people from exposure to harmful content beyond their years of understanding and ability to cope.

**Diary Dates** 28.11.22 - PTFA Non uniform - bring chocolate for chocolate tombola 01.12.22 - PTFA Christmas Fayre 3.30pm 07.12.22 - PTFA Christmas Stories with Santa 08.12.22 - Christmas Jumper Day and Rudy's run (proceeds to St Barnabas Hospice) 09.12.22 - Reception Year 1 Panto trip 14.12.22 - Reception and Year 6 Nativity at 2.30pm 15.12.22 - Year 1 & 2 Carol Concert at 2.30pm 16.12.22 - Christmas lunch 16.12.22 - End of term 04.01.23 - First day of term



You raised an amazing £150.62 for Children in Need. Thank you!

#### PTFA Christmas events

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#### Heckington St Andrew's PTFA Christmas nonuniform day

#### Monday 28<sup>th</sup> of November 2022

Please bring a chocolate donation, as a fine, for wearing non-uniform for the day. The chocolate is for the chocolate tombola at the PTFA Christmas Fayre.

**Heckington St** Andrew's ()<sup>\*</sup> \* **Primary School PTFA** Heckington St Andrew's School Stories PTFA []pon Christmas with Fayre Santa Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December 3.30pm (In the school hall) Don't On Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> forget to December 3:30-5pm return If you could help your slip The price is £3.50 each. on a stall, please Children to bring PJ's and teddy to let the PTFA know! school, Price includes hot chocolate. biscuits and a present from Santa. Donations welcome. Please return consent slips and payment to the school office. Thank you

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This Monday!

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# A VICTORIAN CHRISTMAS FAIR

## ST ANDREW'S CHURCH, HECKINGTON

### SATURDAY, 26<sup>™</sup> NOVEMBER, 2022

## 11AM TO 4PM

#### FOLLOWED BY CAROLS IN THE CHURCHY ARD

CHRISTMAS GIFTS, TOMBOLA, LOTS OF STALLS

REFRESHMENTS AND FUN & GAMES

# Santa Visits with the Sleaford Rotary Clubs

Bringing Father Christmas to as many homes as possible during December. Visiting Sleaford, Ruskington, Heckington, Great Hale, Greylees and Leasingham

## DATES & LOCATIONS:

Friday, 2nd Dec: Heckington West

Monday, 5th December: Heckington Centre, Great Hale

Tuesday, 6th December: Ruskington

Wednesday, 7th December: Leasingham, Stokes Drive, North Parade

Thursday, 8th December: York Road to Sycamore Drive (inc side streets) Monday, 12th December: Keepers Way, Boundary Pastures, Ancaster Drive Tuesday, 13th December: Rookery Avenue, Clay Hill Road Wednesday, 14th December: Greylees

Thursday, 15th December: Milton Way, Russell Crescent, The Hoplands



### TO TRACK SANTA, DONATE & SEE ROUTE MAPS PLEASE GO TO THE WEBSITE:

www.SleafordSanta.co.uk