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Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who supported Children in Need, we raised an amazing £117.48. Also, thank you to everyone who has donated prizes for our Christmas Fair, we really appreciate your generosity.

Aspirations Day today has been a great success, it has been amazing to see the children all dressed up for the *World of Work*!

Parent Pay

You should have received a letter informing you of our decision to move our cash-free payment system from Squid to Parent Pay. We will keep you well informed over the coming weeks to ensure a smooth transition and our office staff will continue to support with any queries.

Christmas Fair

A letter has been sent out this week about our Christmas Fair on Thursday 2nd December. Please complete the reply slip and send it back to school so we know the arrangements for your child on that day. We hope as many people as possible are able to support this event, we have really missed our fairs during Covid restrictions!

Christmas Jumper Day

Christmas Jumper Day is on Friday 10th December. Children can wear their Christmas jumpers, instead of their school jumpers, with their school uniform. In return, we are asking for a donation towards *Save the Children* please.

Christmas Party

Christmas Parties will take place on Thursday 16th December. It will be a non-uniform day so children need to come dressed in their very best party clothes please, to make the day extra special.

Diary Dates

Monday 29th November – Flu vaccination Thursday 2nd December – Christmas Fair (see separate letter) w/c 6th December – Christmas Dinner (details to follow) Friday 10th December – Christmas Jumper Day (details to follow) Tuesday 14th December – Christmas Story Teller to visit the Academy Thursday 16th December – Christmas Party Friday 17th December – The Academy closes for Christmas Tuesday 4th January – The Academy re-opens for the Spring Term

I hope you all have a lovely weekend. Stay safe and take care of your loved ones. I look forward to seeing the children on Monday.

Kind regards, Mrs Marples. Principal.

