



# The Anchor News

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2nd December 2016



Hi everybody,

For those parents who don't know me I am Mary Harris, Year 6 Teacher and Science Lead. I have returned to St. Clement's after a short illness during the latter part of last year. I am fully recovered and thank you all for the kind wishes for my speedy recovery.

I really enjoy working with the pupils of St. Clement's and watching them grow academically. I look forward to my busy year ahead in Year 6 preparing the children for their SATS next year.

Remember it's that time of year again when we look forward to the Christmas festivities and may I take this opportunity to remind everybody of our Christmas Fayre next Friday afternoon, I hope you manage to come along and support the school.

Have a great weekend, wrap up warm and stay safe as the weather is beginning to get colder.

**Mrs Harris**  
**Year 6 Teacher and Science Lead**



**TARGET:**

£600

With the sponsorship money brought in so far and money from Dress Spotty Day we have raised an amazing

£402



Monday was our big Bounce-a-thon for Children in Need and all the children took part in bouncing on our trampolines from 11:15am to 3:15pm.

On behalf of all the staff and children we would like to thank you for your sponsorship and support raising money for such a worthy cause.



Please make sure that you bring in all of your sponsorship money next week so that we can total everything up and send it all to Children in Need.

## Important Dates

December	Book Fair - All week (Monday 5th, AM till Friday 9th, PM)	
	Tuesday 6th	Yr. 1 & Yr. 2 - Healthy Body workshop
	Wednesday 7th	Christmas Lunches
	Thursday 8th	Nursery Christmas Songs AM
	Friday 9th	Christmas Fayre 2pm - 4pm
	Monday 12th	End of Term Awards Assembly 9:15am
	Tuesday 13th	Reception Christmas Play/Nativity 9:15am
	Wednesday 14th	Whole School Christmas Production PM
	Thursday 15th	School Church Service PM

**Head Teacher:** Des Ricketts  
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# STAR PUPILS

Reception	Denaeyah Durrant	Dominic Chen
	Yousaf Hussain	Sana Kiani
	Tia Copeland	Noor Hassan
	Kia Stanley	Samir El hag
	Joshua Wright	Omar Wisdom
	Daren Ahmed	Tyler Billingham-Roberts
	Tida Sanneh	Jamie-Leigh Collins
Sports	Ka'Leyah Brown	Lyla Critchley

## Awards Assembly Monday 12th December

9:15am

We would like to invite you, members of your family and friends, to join us at our end of term Awards Assembly where awards will be given out to this terms Shining Stars, pupils with 100% attendance

Refreshments will be provided

## ST. CLEMENT'S DIAMOND AWARD FOR KINDNESS

*Well Done!*

Naden Ahmed  
- Year 3 -

Owais Mohammed  
- Year 4 -

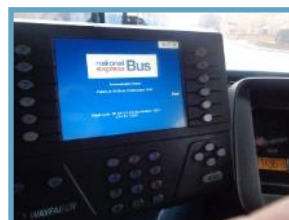
Sofiat Majekodunmi  
- Year 5 -

## Double Decker Bus Visits St. Clement's

On Wednesday 16th November 2016 National Express Travel West Midlands made a special journey to St. Clement's Academy. Carl, who was our driver for the morning, arrived at 10am. We were allowed to sit anywhere on the bus, take a look all the buttons in the driver's cab and ask Carl any questions. Nursery had great fun singing the wheels on the bus. However, the bus mysteriously disappeared and Year 2 couldn't find it so created some missing posters. We all had a great morning. A big thank you to National Express Travel West Midlands and we look forward to seeing you again in the New Year.



Mrs Hall - Year 3 Class Teacher  
**West Midlands**



We will require help from parents on the morning to set up and to clear away afterwards, if anyone is willing to help please speak to Mrs Dowling or Mr Burton

**VOLUNTEERS  
NEEDED!**

## Christmas Fayre Friday 9th December 2pm - 4pm

If possible please could you donate the following items to help us ensure we have a successful Christmas Fayre.

- \* Vegetarian Sweets (wrapped)
- \* Chocolate (for the chocolate tombola)
- \* Toys (in good condition)

We thank you for any donations that you are able to give.  
Mrs Dowling - Pastoral Manager

'St Clement's C of E Academy is a good school where the behaviour and safety of pupils are outstanding' (Ofsted 2014)

