



**Dear parents: ....** First Sunday of Advent coming up this weekend. All lights and Christmas decorations are now out ready for putting up next week and from Monday onwards we can write about C\*R\*S\*M\*S. Next Friday is the Fair and lots of exciting outdoor events. We had to cancel late on last year because of the pandemic so this year, please God it will be very special. Also I am not cancelling any plays or concerts but will be putting in extra precautions which I will outline next week. Busy days ahead ....

**Pics of the week:** Shakespeare Day in school Monday with visiting actor performing A Midsummer Night's Dream" ...cycling training finishing off ....



### Calendar Updates: ....t.b.c.

Sunday 28th November Advent begins.

December 1st Year 6 @ Hackney Empire

December 3rd PA Chri\*\*m\*s Fair

December 4th Saturday De Beauvoir Trail morning.

December 8th KS2 Christmas Concert in the Church from 7pm

December 9th Year 5 @ Hackney Empire

December 10th Year 3 @ Bloomsbury Theatre

December 14th Reception Chri\*\*s Play 10.00am school hall

December 14th KS1 Nativity 2.15pm main hall.

December 15th Children's Chri\*\*m\*s Dinners 12.30pm onwards and class parties

December 16th Year 2@ Panto - Hoxton Hall and the last day of school for 2021 .... and ....t.b.a

December 17th .. INSET school closed.



**Advent begins**



**and finally .....** writing some of this remotely from E17 inspecting .... busy few weeks coming up. Halls will be ventilated, air purified. filtered and masked so we can invite everyone at this special time of year and might be quite emotional this year for myself but can't think why as I am so busy right now .... quite like the idea of Hope in Advent we all need a bit of that just now .... mad old world at times and getting worse but keep on smiling and take one day at a time.