



Monday, 3rd December 2018

Dear Parents / Carers,

End of term arrangements

Father Francis Jordan (1848–1918) was the founder of the Salvatorian Order and, at this time of year, it is our tradition to give thanks for Fr Jordan's work, and the efforts of all those who have built our school to become what it is today. In this centenary year of the death of Fr Francis Jordan, we are privileged that Bishop John Wilson, auxiliary Bishop of Westminster, will celebrate Mass in Salvatorian College on Thursday, 6th December 2018. I would remind you that on Friday, 7th December, the school will close early at 12.30 pm.

On Wednesday, 12th December, the lunchtime menu served at the canteen will be a traditional Christmas lunch: roast turkey or vegetable parcel, roast potatoes, Yorkshire pudding, sage and onion stuffing, Brussels sprouts, Christmas pudding and mince pies. The cost for the main meal and dessert that day will be £2.80 which is slightly higher than the usual £2.40. There will be no other menu options that day so, if your son does not wish to have Christmas dinner, please ensure he comes to school with a packed lunch.

Wednesday, 12th December will also be 'Christmas Jumper Day'. If pupils make a £2 charitable donation they can wear a Christmas jumper to school along with their normal school uniform. The money raised will be donated to the Cardinal Hume Centre which, among other initiatives, focuses on young homeless people in London.

I would also like to remind you of the Christmas Carol Service, at St Joseph's Catholic Church, which will take place at 5.30pm on Thursday, 13th December. This will be a lovely, festive occasion with carol singing followed by refreshments.

The autumn term ends on Thursday, 20th December at 12.30pm. There is staff INSET on Friday, 4th January 2019 and all pupils are expected to return to school on Monday, 7th January 2019.

It has been a very busy and productive first term and I would like to wish you all a restful and merry Christmas.

Yours sincerely,

Mr A Bryant
Head of School