

TEAM BARTONS

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# <u>Christmas Fair</u>

Thank you to all of you who came along to the

Christmas Fair last Friday. It was wonderful to see the school hall so busy; it felt very Christmassy especially with the choir singing carols. Thank you for all of your



contributions and to all of the staff that stayed to help. Huge thanks must go to the Friends of Bartons and to Ms Debbie Camp in the school office who have worked so hard, giving their time willingly to bring Christmas to us once again. Thank you ladies for another amazing event. We are always very grateful. Our total raised is £966.40. Thank you everyone so much.

### Paul Sturgess Visit

On Wednesday, we were lucky enough to have Paul Sturgess visit us. Each class enjoyed a talk and basketball session. Paul discussed his life and how he has taken advantage of his differences. He showed us his Guiness World Records, helped us develop our basketball skills and showed us some tricks. We all had a fabulous day. Thank you Paul!



## Carol Singing at Jubilee Hall.

This week the Young Voices Choir were invited to sing at Bersted Jubilee Centre for a group of local residents. They sang some festive songs and got everyone into the Christmas spirit. The audience loved it. They said, "It



was a wonderful performance, word and pitch perfect with lovely smiles." Well done everyone!

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### A Message from Mrs Powell

We have all missed seeing Mrs Powell during this half term. She has sent me a message to share with you all: *Hi everyone*,

I hope you are all well and looking forward to Christmas? I'm ok, although my foot is taking along time to heal properly which is very frustrating. I'm very sad to miss all of the Christmas moments and to not see my lovely children, families and wonderful colleagues. Take care and I hope you have a fun yet peaceful Christmas.

All my love , Kate Powell

### Useful Diary Dates Coming Up

16th: Christingle Assembly with Rev. Jo
17th: Bartons Got Talent @ 1.30pm
18th: Christmas Carol Concert - Years 4, 5 and 6.
19th: LAST DAY OF TERM. Year R Nativity Assembly - Yr R parents invited to attend @ 9.15am.
20th: INSET
6th January 2025:Back to School
17th-21st February: HALF TERM
24th February: INSET Day - School closed to pupils

# Have a great weekend! Best wishes Ali Powell