

William Gilbert PTA Newsletter

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Dear All

We all feel that Christmas is nearly upon us already! All (hopefully) children have been photographed for our Willy Gilly Birthday Calendar – thank you to all parents for sending the children with clothing to “dress” the part! It was an exhausting if not fantastic few days and the PTA must give a HUGE thank you to the teaching staff, catering staff and Doug the caretaker for all their patience and help! We hope to have a quality calendar ready to sell at the Ladies Shopping Night on Tuesday 14th November!! If you haven't got this date in your diaries – put it in now and please try and bring a few extra guests with you – it'll be a really really good night and it would be great to see as many of you as possible. 8pm start (all children will be fast asleep in bed with dad/granddad in front of the tv)?!

Dads night out Friday 20th October – meeting at The Pattenmakers Arms at 8pm

So a reminder:

Ladies Shopping Night in the school hall:	8pm Tuesday 14 th November
Dads' Night Out starting at The Pattenmakers Arms on Crown Street, Duffield	8pm Friday 20 th October
Xmas Fayre in the school hall:	6.30pm Friday 24 th November

Christmas Fayre

A list of stalls will be available in the foyer for all helpers to add your name. We do require lots and lots of help at this event. We would ask one stallholder to be responsible for their stall and find their own helpers. You will need to be able to set up, run and clear away your stall. It's a great atmosphere preparing for the Fayre – please don't leave it to the usual few. The more helpers we get it means we can all have a chance to walk about the Fayre with our children rather than being stuck serving others!!

Prize Draw Tickets

Nigel and Fiona Goodwin (CarWise) have kindly sponsored this year's prize draw tickets. This is the only raffle we will be holding over Christmas so please do try and sell as many tickets as possible. Take them into work – sell them on the train – sell to your neighbours!! Fantastic prizes (as usual) and all proceeds directly into the PTA bank account!