

Dear Parents,

This week has definitely shifted into Christmas mode with Christmas carols, and Wriggly Nativity songs ringing out all over the place! The Christmas tree has arrived and been adorned with the girls' own decorations and I've just ordered a new fairy to sit atop the tree!

A heartfelt thanks to all who have brought in gifts for this season of giving. I know that the charities we work with will be incredibly grateful, and thanks also to our dedicated BHPA volunteers who have been busy sorting presents and prizes today.

I am so looking forward to our Christmas Celebration on Wednesday and on that topic, I would like to tell you a very sweet story about one of our younger pupils. In thinking about the conflict that is taking place in our world right now, she decided to explore the idea of peace and what might be a symbol to represent it. In conversation with her, and some of the teachers, we have decided that we will decorate friendship bracelets with ribbons in the colours of our Tanzanite Power, which represent unity.

The chosen theme of our Christmas Celebration this year is 'Peace on Earth' and all the girls will wear their bracelets, made at school, for this event. As is customary, we will be collecting cash donations for our school charity chosen by the girls themselves. This year it is [Duchenne UK](#). Thank you in advance for your contributions.

Please see attached the programme for this event and I look forward to seeing you all there.

Have a good weekend,
Sian