



ST. JOHN'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Newsletter 15

21st December 2006

Dear Parents/Carers



PFA Christmas Events

My very grateful thanks to our hard working PFA who have raised well over £1000 this month from our Bingo evening, discos and last Friday's Christmas Fair. Some of this money paid for the performance of 'Babes in the Wood' on Monday morning.

School Council Fundraising

Congratulations too to the School Council who raised £135.04 for their chosen charities from the Secret Santa gift sale and the mince pie run.

Christmas Service

Thank you to all those of you who were able to join us for our Christmas Service on Tuesday morning. I know you will want to join me in congratulating all our singers, instrumentalists and readers who performed so well.

Next Term

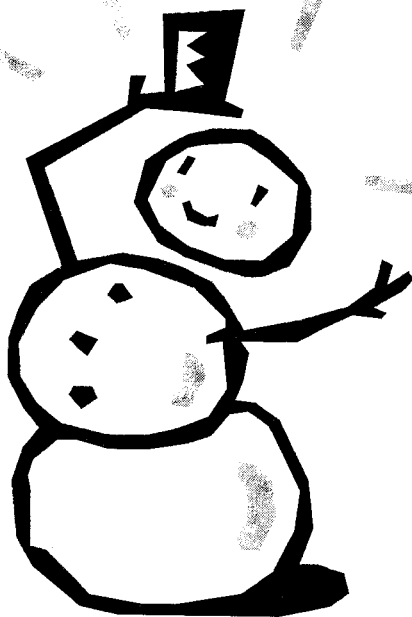
The spring term begins on Thursday 4th January 2007 at 8.55 am. Clubs will begin in the week beginning Monday 15th January.

Breakfast Club

Remember that we offer very high quality childcare and a full, healthy breakfast to children from 7.45 am every morning. Many parents have found this highly convenient if their working hours vary or involve an early start.

You can book your child into Breakfast Club at short notice and for the odd dates that suit you or every day. The cost is £3 per session.

Booking forms are available from the office or Mrs Rachel Clarke (Breakfast Club Manager) who is based in Class Four.



Bonus Ball

The winner of last week's Bonus Ball was Mr Dan Hains with number 34- well done!

Secure your Bonus Ball number for January **NOW** to avoid disappointment. Only the following numbers are still available: 5, 11, 30, 32, 36, and 39. Please send a £1.00 to school and pay the remaining £5.00 on 5th January.

Headlice

Please check your child's hair for headlice every week. Additional guidance is available from Pharmacy Online on Rufford Road and from our School Nurse (Gill Thorpe) who visits every Wednesday morning and is on the playground from 8.45 am.

Parenting 2000

You are very welcome to attend our weekly meetings every Wednesday in the Family Room. Please join Anne-Marie and Rachel from 9 am. Pre-school children are also welcome.

This is an excellent opportunity to meet other parents and to find out more about a wide range of activities and sources of support for parents.

Term Dates

January

- 4th Term starts at 8.55 am
- 15th Clubs start this week
- 18th PFA meeting at 7 pm

February

- 1st Book Fair opens
- 5th Parents' Evening 3.30 – 5.30 pm
- 6th Parents' Evening 6.00 – 8.00 pm
- 8th Book Fair closes
- 9th British Heart Association Fundraising Day Half term begins at 3.10 pm

- 19th Term re-starts

March

- 1st Arty Fact Theatre Co. 'Riddle of the Ruin'
- 23rd Mufti Day for Easter Bingo
- 26th PFA Easter Bingo
- 30th Easter Service 9.30 am

Wishing you all a very happy Christmas

Mr Daniel Hains
Headteacher