



Dear Parents/Carers

Christmas Fair

Thank you for your generosity today and at all our Mufti Days this term.

Our Christmas Fair was a great success. Thank you for your support in raising lots of much needed funds for our school.

Special thanks too to Martin (Daniel and Katie Owens' granddad) for making the fantastic Christmas cake that we raffled today.



2010 Calendars

Once again this year we have produced a magnificent calendar featuring self portraits of children in the month of their birthday. The first 50 calendars off the press were for sale at the fair. If they've sold out by the time you got there you can order one for collection next week.

My grateful thanks to Jill Comstive for compiling the calendars.



Carols By Torchlight

Please see the back of this newsletter for details of our annual community carol singing event on Monday evening.



Discos

Christmas discos will take place on Thursday 17th December.

Rec-Y3 – 6.00 – 7.00 pm
Y4 – Y6 – 7.15 – 8.15 pm

Please accompany your child to the main entrance and ensure they have £1.50 – this includes a goody-bag. Please collect your child promptly at the end of the disco by coming into the hall to collect them.



Christmas Parties

These will take place next week on the following day:

Tuesday 15th – Reception, Class 1 and Class 2
Wednesday 16th – Classes 3 and 4
Thursday 17th – Classes 5 and 6

Children may wear non-uniform all day on the day of their party.

Class teachers will co-ordinate arrangements for party food.

PFA Christmas Bingo

This was a very successful event with £300 raised for the PFA, my thanks to all on the PFA for working so hard to make our bingo evening so memorable.



Bag2Schools

We had a terrific response to our Bag2School appeal once again raising £392 from all the bags which totalled 980 kilos. Our next collection is 30th April 2010.



Reception Nativity

Many congratulations to Reception class on your super nativity performance.

If any parents/carers of Reception did not manage to catch the performance yesterday, you are welcome to join us in the hall at 10 am on Monday 14th December when we will be performing several Christmas songs as well as Reception nativity. for residents of Fleetwood Hall Nursing Home.



End of Term Service

Please join us for our Christmas Service on Friday 18th December at 9.30 am in Church. Children will be singing and playing musical instruments in between some congregational carols and our presentation to Mrs Estella Reynolds.



Clubs On Next Week . . .

There are NO clubs next week.

A clubs programme for the spring term 2010 will be issued on Friday 7th January. Spring term clubs will begin in the week commencing Monday 18th January.



Head lice

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

If you have particular concerns regarding head lice or any other medical issue please telephone the School Nursing Service on 01704 544766.

Parents Weekly Drop In Coffee Mornings

Our Parent Support Adviser – Rachel Clarke – hosts an informal gathering for parents every Wednesday morning from 9 am in the Parents and Community Room on the first floor. I know many of you attend regularly and have found the sessions fun and reassuring.

All parents/carers are very welcome to attend. You may wish to meet other parents or to discuss issues you may have with your child. Rachel is able to call upon a host of different agencies to offer a wide variety of support.

Pre-school aged children are also welcome!



Breakfast Club

Remember that we offer very high quality childcare and a healthy breakfast to children from 7.45 am every morning. Book your child in at short notice and for the odd day. The cost is £3 per session.



FAST Club

Don't forget we run an excellent childcare service after every school day.

Children are given a light snack and supervised and entertained. The cost is £3 up to 4.00 pm and £1 for every half hour thereafter up to 5.30 pm.

Places are usually available at short notice (must be at least 24 hours) and forms for booking a place can be collected from the Office.



Dates

December	
12th	Breakfast with Santa
14th	Carols by Torchlight – 5.00 pm
15 th	Rec/Y1/Y2 Christmas party
16 th	Y3/Y4 Christmas party
17 th	Y5/Y6 Christmas party
	Discos
18th	Christmas Service at 9.30 am in Church
	Term ends at 1.45 pm

Best wishes

Mr Daniel Hains
Headteacher

