



St John's Community Primary School and Nursery



Weekly Newsletter 27th November 2015

Dear Parents,

Once again a huge thank you to the SJSA for running the Christmas shopping event this week in school. Hopefully you all have lovely gifts hand picked by your child waiting to be delivered at Christmas. Thank you to parents also for your continued support at this busy time of year.

A big reminder that it is the SJSA first weekend for Christmas tree sales, if you are after a tree please do pop in! Please also remember to share this information with family members, friends and neighbours.

Also I will be holding the final coffee morning before Christmas on Friday 4th December in the after school club mobile. If you would like to come along and meet other parents, share a thought or ask a question please do so, it will be lovely to see some of you there!

Please be aware that half of the playground will be out of action from Monday 30th November. You will still be able to drop off and collect as normal but please ensure you supervise your child on the playground as there will be reduced space due to the Ice Rink, this will be just for one week so please bare with us. Please also remember to send your child into school with outdoor shoes or wellies for the whole of next week as all playtimes will be on the field. Thank you for your understanding.

Regards

Mrs Quinn.

Dates for your Diary

December

2nd—Year 4 Norwich Castle

3rd—Year 3 Duxford Visit

4th—Year 6 Norwich Castle

4th—9.00am Coffee Morning in
After School Club Mobile

5th & 6th—Winter Wonderland

5th & 6th—Christmas Tree Sale

8th & 9th—KS1 Production

14th—Years 5 & 6 Christmas Party

15th—Years 3 & 4 Christmas Party

16th—Years R, 1 & 2 Christmas Party

17th—SJSA Disco

18th—Last day of Term

January

5th—Children Return to School

8th—'Snow White' Pantomime at
Theatre Royal, Norwich

February

15th—19th—Half Term

22nd—Children Return to School

24th—26th—Year 4 Residential to
Horstead Centre

March

17th & 18th—Year 5 Residential

24th—Last day of Term

Swimming

Year 4 will have their next swimming session on Monday 30th November

Please ensure your child has their swimming kit, including a hat, a towel and a suitable coat to walk to and from Broadland High School for these sessions.



Gingerbread Houses.

Please bring your Gingerbread houses to school, and leave in Year 6 classroom, on the morning of Friday 4th December. Access to Year 6 will be through the bottom door of KS2 Corridor.



Please collect your child's Gingerbread house by 9.00am on Monday 7th December from the School Hall.

Santa's Post

Santa's Post Box is now open ready for Christmas! Please make sure cards are labelled with the full name and class of recipient. The final posting date for cards will be Friday 11th December.



SJSA

Thank you all so much for the many kind donations for the SJSA Shopping Event. Both days were a great success! The children and helpers all seemed to have a great time. Now all you have to do is wait until Christmas morning to find out what special gift you might receive...if YOU have been good!



Tree selling is starting tomorrow (Saturday 28th) in the playground. Please come and support our school buy buying your real tree from SJSA. We are still short of helpers, particularly on Sundays. If you can spare an hour or two please come along and lend a hand. There may even be a bacon roll on the go if you are lucky!

Finally a big thank you to all those who have helped so far with SJSA seasonal events. Without you they could not happen.

Ice Skating at the Winter Wonderland

To book your slot for Ice skating on Saturday 5th or Sunday 6th December please go to the website www.winter-wonder-land.co.uk. The ice rink is open to the public not just those who attend our the school, so please spread the word and invite your friends and families to come and join in the fun. There are special skates for pre-school children.

David Redding. SJSA Chairman.