



NEWSLETTER

25th November 2016

CHRISTMAS FESTIVITIES AT BOURNVILLE



Christmas festivities will soon be in full swing at Bournville with Christmas Performances, our Christmas Fair, Christmas Dinner, Class Parties and Carol Service.

Our Christmas theme this year will be The Christmas Story. Watch out for some amazing decorations created by the children going up around the school soon.

The charity we will be collecting for this Christmas is **Children's Hospice South West**. Please join us for a very merry Bournville Christmas.

OPEN MORNING – 2nd DECEMBER

On **Friday 2nd December** all parent/carers are invited to join us in school for some fun activities.

The morning will start at 9.15am with Celebration Assembly in the Main Hall. After this, parents/carers will join their child in the classroom for some fun activities. Younger siblings are most welcome to come in for the morning as well. We look forward to seeing you.

NON-UNIFORM DAY - 2nd DECEMBER

On Friday 2nd December there will be a non-uniform day. In return please can children bring in a donation for the Christmas Fair raffle.



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| Nursery } | Tins of food | |
| Pre-school } | sweets/biscuits | |
| Reception } | | |
| Year 1/2 | Chocolates | |
| Year 3/4 | Smellies, soap, bubble bath | |
| Year 5/6 | Bottles of fizzy drinks, wine, beer | |

Thank you for your support.

CHRISTMAS FAIR – 9th DECEMBER



We will be holding our school Christmas Fair on **Friday 9th December 1:30pm-3:30pm** in the main hall. There will be a variety of stalls, Christmas raffle, refreshments and much more.



CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY THURSDAY 15th DECEMBER



We are holding a Christmas Jumper Day on **Thursday 15th December** to raise money for Children's Hospice South West.

For a donation of 50p, children can wear their Christmas jumper to school for the day. If you don't own a festive sweater you could tinsel up an ordinary jumper, go Christmas crazy with sequins, snowmen, reindeer and baubles! Thank you for doing your bit in a Christmas knit.



CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE

Our **KS2 carol service** will be held on **Friday 16th December at 2pm** in the main hall. Everyone welcome, please come along.



DECEMBER CHRISTMAS EVENTS

- Friday 2nd** Non-uniform Day for Christmas Fair Donations
- Friday 2nd** Open Morning
- Tuesday 6th** 1:30pm Early Years Christmas Performance
- Wednesday 7th** 9:30am Early Years Christmas Performance
- Thursday 8th** 9:30am KS1 Christmas Performance
2pm KS1 Christmas Performance
- Friday 9th** 9:15am Celebration Assembly
1:30-3:30pm Christmas Fair
- Thursday 15th** Christmas Jumper Day
12pm School Christmas Dinner
1-3pm Class Christmas Parties
- Friday 16th** 2pm KS2 Carol Service
Last day of term – Merry Christmas



BIKE NIGHT SUCCESS!

The Boys Bike Repair Night we held jointly with Windwhistle on 16th November was a fantastic success. We had ten families join us to look at repairing and maintaining their bikes to stay safe. Dave from Sole Cycling ran the event and our local PCSO's attended to offer a helping hand to the boys, dads, uncles and grandads. Thank you to all the families that attended and making it such a success. **Look out for the next BOYS 'R' US event that will be running in February half term.**



FANTASTIC FUNDRAISING



We raised an **AMAZING** total of **£894.93** for **Children In Need**. Thank you for your fantastic support buying cakes, wrist bands, raffle tickets and donations. We greatly appreciate your generosity for Children In Need.

WARM PE CLOTHES



During these colder months please ensure your child has some warm PE clothing (sport jacket/trousers) in school, as we still have PE sessions outside when the weather is dry.

BOOKSTART GROUP



Starting **after Christmas** we will be running a 5 week course for all parents and children due to start in the 2+ nursery. The sessions focus on stories, rhymes, songs and fun activities for parents and children and helps to prepare for nursery.

ROLL OF HONOUR

Class Certificates

- 1a Freya
- 2a Theo
- 2b Oliver and Leah
- 3b Isabelle
- 4a Toyah
- 4b Cameron
- 5a Libby
- 5b Lukas and Destiny
- 6a Jamielee and Alishya
- 6b Alice and Tazmin

Better Learners Certificate

- 1a Emma, Lewis, Ashleigh, Mason
- 2a Preston
- 2b Jamia, Lillie, Alannah and Emma
- 3b Hope
- 4a Poppie
- 4b Liam
- 5a Faron
- 5b Kayleigh and Byron
- 6a Maddie and Maisie
- 6b Kai and Elle

Reading Certificate

Theo (3a), Gabby (3a), Lewis (3b), Hope (3b)

Maths Certificate

William (4a), Lincoln (4a)

Silver

Libby (5a)

Light Green

Allana (2a), Micky (2a)
Bray (2a)

Dark Blue

Victor (1a), Ria (1a), Grace (1a)
Gabriel (1a), Freya (1a)
Ashleigh (1a), Daniel (2a)
James (2a)

Yellow

Emma (2b)

Dark Green

Alfie (2a)

Light Blue

Samson (2b), Ryan (2b)
Oliver (2b), Billy (2b)



YOUR LOCAL CHARITY

New Family Group

Stitch and Grow



Come along and learn some new sewing and crafting skills, all family members welcome



Contact **XTND** for further details on **01934 427134**

DIARY DATES:

December 2016

- 2nd Non-Uniform day for Christmas Fair donations
- 2nd Open Morning
- 5th Christmas Topic Starts
- 6th Early Years Nativity 1:30pm
- 7th Early Years Nativity 9:30am
- 8th KS1 Christmas Performance 9:30am
- 8th KS1 Christmas Performance 2pm
- 9th Christmas Fair 1:30pm-3:30pm
- 15th Christmas Jumper Day
- 15th Christmas Dinner
- 15th Class Christmas Parties
- 16th KS2 Carol Service 2pm
- 16th Last day of Term 2

January 2017

- 3rd **Inset Day** - school closed for staff training
- 4th Term 3 - **Pupils back to school**
- 15th **Deadline** for Reception 2017 Applications
- 23rd Parent Questionnaire out

February 2017

- 7th Parents Evening
- 8th Parents Evening
- 10th Last day of Term 3
- 20th Term 4 - Pupils back to school

March 2017

- 2nd World Book Day

April 2017

- 7th Last day of Term 4
- 24th Term 5 - Pupils back to school

May 2017

- 1st May Day Bank Holiday – school closed
- 8th KS2 SATs Week
- 26th Last day of Term 5

June 2017

- 5th Term 6 - Pupils back to school
- 12th Yr 1 Phonics Screening Tests
- 19th Arts Week
- 29th Sports Day
- 30th **Sports Day** (alternative date if postponed on 29th due to bad weather)

July 2017

- 3rd School Reports out to parents/carers
- 4th Year 6 Transition Day / Move-Up Day
- 10th Year 6 Residential Week
- 12th Parents Evening
- 21st Last day of Term 6 / **Inset Day** - school closed for staff training