

# Nunnery Wood Primary School



6<sup>th</sup> December 2018

## CHRISTMAS FAYRE

A massive thank you to all the members of FNWPS. Through the hard work and determination, of a small group of parents and with the support of the staff, we all enjoyed a wonderful Christmas Fayre. The money that FNWPS have raised will support all children.

Thank you to all the staff and children in Year 3 who worked tremendously hard all week on their enterprise project, designing games, making cakes and creating biscuits. The children gained so much from planning the event and thoroughly enjoyed hassling the Cluster heads to part with their money.

## CHRISTMAS PRODUCTIONS

**12<sup>th</sup> December:** Year 1 Cherry and Chestnut Christmas Play 2.00pm.

**13<sup>th</sup> December:** Year 2 Aspen and Apple Christmas Play 2.00pm.

**14<sup>th</sup> December:** Reception Oak and Willow Nativity Play 2.00pm.

Once again, we will not be issuing tickets. In the interest of fairness, we will initially allocate two seats per family and only allocate an additional two extra seats per family. **Please return the reply slip which will be sent out on a separate class letter.** However, if there are still seats available after all families have responded then parents will receive a text stating that seats are still available. These spare seats will be allocated on a 'first come first served' basis.

Currently the children and staff are working hard to deliver their performances. I am sure that all parents look forward to these events and thoroughly enjoy watching and listening to the children perform. However, may I respectfully remind you, in the interest of the children performing and fellow members of the audience that it may not be suitable for younger siblings who might not be able to sit quietly for at least half an hour. Thank you for your support.

**18<sup>th</sup> December:** Key Stage 2 Carol Service at St. Martin's Church, London Road 1.45pm. This event is organised by the Year 5 team.

**19<sup>th</sup> December:** **EYFS & KS1 PARTY DAY** Reception and Key Stage 1 children can all wear party clothes. Key Stage 2 children wear school uniform.

I have been advised by Aspens that parents of children in Oak, Willow, Cherry, Chestnut, Apple and Aspen need to confirm Christmas Meal choice via their Aspens account. All other children who are entitled to a free school meal will be provided with a packed lunch.

Headteacher: Mrs Rachel Higgins

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**20<sup>th</sup> December: KS2 PARTY DAY** Key Stage 2 children can all wear party clothes. Key Stage 1 children wear school uniform.

I have been advised by Aspens that parents of children in Key Stage 2 (Spruce, Sycamore, Lime, Lilac, Mulberry, Maple, Holly and Hazel) are able to order a Christmas lunch as a one off payment at a cost **£2.20 for 20<sup>th</sup> December only**. Parents are only able to order a meal for their child if they have registered with Aspens. All details are via Aspen's website. If your child is not having a Christmas lunch then they will need to bring in a packed lunch from home as normal.

**20<sup>th</sup> December:**

All children in Oak, Willow, Cherry, Chestnut, Apple, and Aspen will be provided with a packed lunch. Choices available from the Aspens website.

**21<sup>st</sup> December:** Christmas Jumper day! This event is being organised by the School Council. Wear your Christmas jumper to school. All donations (50p) to charity. Text to follow.

## **SEVERE WEATHER**

The decision to close the school is never taken lightly. There are a number of factors that are taken into consideration but ultimately it is the safety of the children which is paramount and having the appropriate staff ratios is essential.

In the event of severe weather, especially significant falls of snow, there are four sources of information for parents to find out about whether the school will be closed.

1. Text messages will be sent to all parents on our database informing them of a school closure. It is vital that the school has your current mobile telephone number.
2. The school website will be updated in the event of a school closure due to bad weather. The information will be displayed in the scrolling message on the homepage.
3. Parents can listen to the local radio stations BBC Hereford and Worcester (104.0 FM) and Free Radio (102.0 FM) who announce all the schools that have closed. This is not particularly helpful because there can be a long delay between the school phoning the information into the station and them announcing it. However, we will continue to announce any closures through this method in case you do not have access to the website.
4. School closures are also publicised on the County Council website:  
<http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk>

Always assume the school is open unless you are informed by the methods above.

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<b>AUTUMN 2</b>	
7 <sup>th</sup> December	EYs and KS1 Visit to the Pantomime £12 approx
7 <sup>th</sup> December	KS2 Cinema Visit
12 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 1 Nativity 2pm
13 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 2 Nativity 2pm
14 <sup>th</sup> December	EYs Nativity 2pm
17 <sup>th</sup> December	Flu Vaccinations
18 <sup>th</sup> December	KS2 Carol Service 1.30pm at St Martin's Church
19 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 5 Visit to The Space Museum at LGPS
19 <sup>th</sup> December	EYs & KS1 Party Day and Aspens Christmas Lunch
20 <sup>th</sup> December	KS2 Party Day and Aspens Christmas Lunch
21 <sup>st</sup> December	Last Day of Term
<b>SPRING 1 2018</b>	
7 <sup>th</sup> January	Inset Day - SCHOOL CLOSED
9 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 4 Visit to The Hive am - Free
11 <sup>th</sup> January	Spruce Class Assembly 8.55am
17 <sup>th</sup> January	EYs Look & Learn 8.40am-9.15am - every other Thursday from this date
18 <sup>th</sup> January	Maple Class Assembly 8.55am
23 <sup>rd</sup> January	Young Voices
31 <sup>st</sup> January	SEND Drop In 8.15am
31 <sup>st</sup> January	Year 4 Performance Poetry 2.00pm and 5.30pm
5 <sup>th</sup> February	Safer Internet Day
5 <sup>th</sup> February	Chinese New Year
8 <sup>th</sup> February	Lime Class Assembly 8.55am
14 <sup>th</sup> February	Open Morning 8.50am-10.30am
14 <sup>th</sup> February	FNWPS Valentines Disco - KS1 5pm-6pm KS2 6.15pm-7.15pm
15 <sup>th</sup> February	Break Up For Half Term
<b>SPRING 2</b>	
25 <sup>th</sup> February	Children Return to School
27 <sup>th</sup> February	Parent's Evening 3.30pm-5.00pm
28 <sup>th</sup> February	Parent's Evening 3.30pm-6.50pm
4 <sup>th</sup> March	Go Wild Week
7 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day
7 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 2 Visit to The Hive £4.50 approx.
20 <sup>th</sup> March	FNWPS Cinema Treat Night 5.15pm
22 <sup>nd</sup> March	Willow Class Assembly 8.55am
29 <sup>th</sup> March	Lilac Class Assembly 8.55am
11 <sup>th</sup> April	Year 3 Production 2pm and 5.30pm
12 <sup>th</sup> April	Last Day of Term
29 <sup>th</sup> April	First Day of Summer Term
29 <sup>th</sup> April	Year 4 Viking Visitor £TBC
<b>SUMMER 1</b>	
6 <sup>th</sup> May	May Day Holiday
10 <sup>th</sup> May	Chestnut Class Assembly 8.55am

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<b>13<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Year 6 SATs Week
<b>17<sup>th</sup> May</b>	FNWPS Family Night Event
<b>24<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Oak Class Assembly 8.55am
<b>24<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Break Up For Half Term
<b>SUMMER 2</b>	
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> June</b>	Inset Day - SCHOOL CLOSED
<b>6<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Year 4 Visit to Lower Smite Farm £TBC
<b>7<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Mulberry Class Assembly 8.55am
<b>10<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Healthy Eating Week
<b>17<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Phonics Assessment Week
<b>19<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Sports Day
<b>24<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Opportunities Week
<b>26<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Reserve Sports Day
<b>4<sup>th</sup> July</b>	FNWPS Summer Disco - KS1 5pm-6pm KS2 6.15pm-7.15pm
<b>5<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Cherry Class Assembly 8.55am
<b>8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Transition Days
<b>11<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 Production 2pm & 6pm
<b>12<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Friends Summer Fayre 3.30pm-5.30pm
<b>12<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 4 Enterprise Event
<b>18<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 Leaver's Assembly 8.55am
<b>19<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Last Day of Summer Term for Children
<b>22<sup>nd</sup> July</b>	Inset Day - SCHOOL CLOSED