



# Park Spring Primary Weekly Newsletter

Wednesday 5th December 2018

Ethos Statement "I can make connections in my learning"

## Autumn Term 2 Diary Dates

Please find below a list of events that will be taking place during this term;

- 5-7.12.18 Y6 Dabroyd Residential
- 07.12.18 Christmas Fair
- 12.12.18 Christmas Lunch
- 14.12.18 Christmas Jumper Day
- 18.12.18 KSI Performance
- 19.12.18 EYFS Performance
- 20.12.18 Christmas Parties
- 21.12.18 Break up for Christmas
- 07.01.19 School Re-opens

## ATTENDANCE

If your child is going to be absent from school then please text this number 07706172385. Please note that this phone will not be answered for phone calls. This is last week's attendance report for the week ending 30th November 2018:

Rec a	97.2%	Rec b	92.5%
1a	96.7%	1b	94%
2a	98.9%	2b	100%
3a	90%	3b	99.3%
4a	90.4%	4b	92.3%
5a	96%	5b	96.7%
6a	94.1%	6b	97%

## Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December will be our Christmas Jumper Day. We encourage children to come to school in their favourite Christmas clothes from jumpers to dresses and even Santa hats. In return, we ask for a £1 donation which will be sent to the Save the Children charity who do amazing work around the world, improving children's lives.



**Save the Children**  
CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY

## Christmas Fair

The Christmas Fair will be held on the 7<sup>th</sup> December from 3pm to 5pm. Any donations suitable for the raffle will be greatly appreciated and can be left at the school office.



## Assemblies

Following discussions with the children of Key Stage 2, and responses to parent questionnaires during parents evening, we will be holding Lower Key Stage 2 and Upper Key Stage 2 assemblies at 2:45 on a Thursday afternoon. These will be led by year 6 children, and once again families will be invited in to celebrate certificates. If your child receives a certificate that will be shared in the assembly you will receive a text message invite on the Monday before.

## Thank You from FOPS

Thank you to everyone who sent in donations for the school fair raffle, we are all really looking forward to the Christmas Fair.

Thank you to Kirsty & Gav Cushing and Buckleberry Limited for the minibus fundraising sign on the School front gates.

## Secret Santa

Our FOPS elves will be busy again this year, buying small gifts for pupils at Park Spring to buy in secret for their mums, dads, grandparents, carers etc. They will be wrapped and ready for collection before the end of term.

The price of each gift is £2 and you can choose gifts for either a male or female recipient. If you would like us to buy and wrap a gift for you, please collect a form from the office and return with payment no later than Friday 7th December.



# Christmas Celebration

St Mark's Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2018

Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 will be leaving school at 9.30am and will be returning at approximately 10.30pm. The performance will start at 9.35am on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2018. They will be singing Christmas songs and reflecting on this special time of year with Reverend Keith.

As we will be walking to church, we will need volunteers to walk with us. If you would like to walk with your child please let your child's class teacher know. Alternatively you could meet us there!



## Invisible Pain Theatre Company XMAS OPEN EVENING

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December

6.00pm – 8.30PM  
Swinnow Community Centre  
LS13 4RF

Discover a theatre group  
unlike any other.

ACCEPTING NEW  
MEMBERS FOR 2019!!!

- CONFIDENCE WORKSHOP 6.30 - 7.15
- STAGE DESIGN AND ART CORNER
- FACE PAINTING
- VISIT SANTA AND COLLECT YOUR GIFT £1
- XMAS BAKE SALE
- WINTER WARMER FOOD STALL
- RAFFLE
- IPTC FINALE XMAS PERFORMANCE 7.30PM

Have a nose, Enjoy the activities both on  
and off the stage!

### Class Christmas Decorating

A massive thank you to everyone who came along and helped to decorate classrooms around school, we are all feeling very festive!

After much deliberation, the winners are.....  
Year 2 for Key Stage 1  
4b for Key Stage 2

Well done to everybody, the school is a winter wonderland

### Electronic Newsletter

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