



The Smile

South Wootton Infant School Newsletter

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Christmas production

As December fast approaches, we have turned our thoughts to Christmas plans. The children are creating a whole school Christmas performance, "**Christmas Gifts**". They will perform this for parents on Monday 15th, Tuesday 16th, Wednesday 17th and Thursday 18th at 1.45pm. We will have to limit the tickets to 2 per family due to our space restrictions in the hall. The tickets will be available from Monday 8th December. We will not be charging for the tickets, but will be making a collection for Save the Children at the end. Costume letters will be sent out by class teachers next week.

Christmas Jumper day for Save the Children—Friday 12th December

We will be supporting the Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day on 12th December. The children can come dressed in a festive sweater for a small donation of £1. Why not decorate an existing top, rather than buy a Christmas jumper if they do not have one?

PTFA Christmas events—the Fayre and Disco

Next Friday 5th December is the annual Christmas Fayre from 2pm organised by the PTFA. There will be the usual range of stalls and games, including the Secret Santa Present Room where the children can buy a present for mum and dad and have it wrapped ready for Christmas Day! Father Christmas will also be making a visit and will be receiving visitors in his grotto. As with last year, we would like to stagger the entrance times to ensure there is enough space. Reception children can be collected at 2pm, Year 1 at 2.30pm and Year 2 at 2.50pm. If you cannot attend the Fayre yourselves, please send some money in a named purse and staff will take these children on a preview at 1.45pm.

Please see Mrs Crosby if you are able to help out on the day.

The PTFA are holding a Christmas Disco on Friday 12th December at the Village Hall from 6.30pm until 8pm. The tickets will go on sale on 8th December and will be sold in the front playground.

N.B. One adult will have to purchase a ticket to accompany up to 5 children.

Water

A reminder that the children should have a water bottle in school everyday. This must contain **WATER only** in line with school policy. They may bring another drink to have at lunch time, such as squash or fruit juice even if they are school dinners. (They are provided with water at lunch time). Thanks for your support with this.

Our important visitors

Kyle and Khyan welcomed the Mayor of King's Lynn to the school last Thursday. They showed him around and he then officially opened our revamped Reception outdoor area.



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Children of the Week

	3rd-7th Nov	10th-14th Nov	17th-21st Nov	24th-28th Nov
Dragonflies	Thomas	Casey	Caleb	Isabella
Bumble Bees	Sophia	Oscar	Imogen	Ralf
Caterpillars	Eleanor	Alfie G	Isla-Mae	Lilly L
Crickets	Amelie-May	Madison	James	Alex
Ladybirds	Poppy	Kaiden	Lara	Erin Ch
Butterflies	Matthew	Keira	Ibrahim	Erin W

Happy Birthday

The children who have celebrated their birthday in November are:

Alfie Clear, Robyn Marchetti, Arabella Wallen, Millie Turner and Ithalia Gilham who are now 5 years old.

Ekene Igwe, Lola Hammond and Ellise Eggleton who are now 6 years old.

Erin Woodrow, Ibrahim Ali, Matthew Pulsford-Harris, Eloise Chaplin and Immad Mohammed who are now 7 years old.

Diary Dates

December

5th —PTFA Christmas Fayre

8th—Production tickets available

8th and 9th —PTFA Christmas Disco tickets on sale

12th —Christmas Jumper Day

12th—PTFA Christmas Disco at Village Hall

15th, 16th, 17th and 18th—Christmas Production

19th—Christmas Carol Service @ Church 9.30am

Christmas lunch

Tuesday 6th January—Back to School

Attendance

For the month of November the class with the best attendance was **Butterflies** with an attendance total of 99.2 % (so close to 100% for the month!)

CONGRATULATIONS to them.

Our overall attendance is now at 96.8% . Our whole school target is 96.5%. We are currently just above our target but please remember that we do not authorise any holidays in term time.

Free KLFM Be Safe Be Seen reflective stickers

You should find attached to this newsletter a KLFM reflective sticker which has been supplied for all the pupils. They can be stuck on bags, book bags or coats.

KLFM have teamed up with the Sealife Sanctuary at Hunstanton for this safety initiative and every child who goes there wearing their sticker is entitled to free entry before February 2015.

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