

The
Much Woolton

Fortnightly Newsletter Number 6 of this school year



To:
 The children who visited Goodison Park for the E-Safety Roadshow and won a few prizes for school. Great work!

All children and staff who continue to attend and lead outdoor after school clubs despite the freezing weather!

Key dates in the coming weeks

- ✓ PTA CHRISTMAS FAIR TOMORROW 12.30-3.30pm
- ✓ School closes at 2pm on Wednesday 21 December
- ✓ School re-opens on Wednesday 4 January

CHRISTMAS DATES

- ✓ **NEW** Thursday 8 December EYFS visit to Unity Theatre in OWN CLOTHES
- ✓ **NEW** Friday 9 December KS1 visit to Epstein Theatre
- ✓ Friday 9 December, 2pm, school hall, EYFS nativity for families.
- ✓ Tuesday 13 December 2pm school hall KS1 (Y1 & 2) nativity for families.
- ✓ Wednesday 14 December 2pm school hall KS1 (Y1 & 2) nativity for families.
- ✓ Wednesday 14 December, 7pm KS2 Carol Service @ St Mary's
- ✓ Thursday 15 December Christmas Dinner Day- children can wear something festive with their uniform
- ✓ Monday 19 December- OWN CLOTHES DAY- Christmas parties.



PTA Events- Save the Date!

**Christmas Fair
 3 December**
 Come along and support our school fundraising efforts between 12.30 and 3.30pm

**Film Night
 19 December**
 Infants and their junior siblings are invited to our film night. Details to follow shortly.

**Film Night
 20 December**
 A night for juniors only! More details to follow shortly.



Attendance

Attendance has never been so important to children as it is now. Expectations on children to learn have also never been higher. To this end the DFE have now classed any child missing 9.5 days or more (10%) is now classed as a persistent absentee which can warrant the intervention of Educational Welfare.

We cannot do our job if children are not here! Family interviews begin next week for those who are struggling to meet this expectation.



Operation Christmas Child

We sent approximately 200 boxes to needy children around the world. Thank you for your generous donations.



- During the winter leave home with time to spare before school opens as it may take longer to get here and park carefully, if you drive.
- Teachers and school staff are available at the class doors each afternoon, or via the phone should you wish to discuss any issues.
- School is here to support our families. If you have any concerns about your child or family life please seek support from school and we will do our best to help.
- Please remember dogs are not allowed on our playground. Please do not carry or walk dogs onto the playground as some children are frightened of them. If needed leave dogs tied at the gate when you fetch your child. Please remove any mess your dog makes before going home.



Are you:

- ✓ An artist, designer, musician, dancer, actor or someone with an interest in these areas?
- ✓ Can you spare a morning or afternoon during the last week in March?
- ✓ If so you may be able to help us deliver an Arts week to our children. Please help us do this and make that week the most memorable Arts week to date. Please contact Mrs Wright for more details.

Are you:

- ✓ An architect, landscape gardener, keen gardener, carpenter, joiner, painter etc or have access to building / gardening materials and tools?
- ✓ Would you be able to give a few hours, maybe during the early evening or at weekends in the spring or summer to help build a wonderful learning area for our children?
- ✓ Is so, your help is NEEDED. Please contact Mr White to register your interest!

