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Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2017

Dear Families,

Events in school next week 4<sup>th</sup>- 8<sup>th</sup> December:

### Tomorrow

Stay and Play after drop off (everyone except Year 3).  
It's our Christmas Fair from 3pm. Open for child-free browsing from 3pm. If you haven't already donated, offered to help or bought a raffle ticket, please do. The success of these events is entirely down to you!

### Monday 4<sup>th</sup>

8am football for Years 1 and 2.

### Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup>

8am football for Years 3-6.

8am Running Club. Join Coach Martin for a healthy start to the day.

3.30 Music Tech Club with Mr G for Years 5 and 6.

3.30 Football Squad train in school.

Homework Club after school.

### Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup>

Year 1 are going on an open top bus trip around London (reorganised after the disappointment of the non-arrival last week).

At 2pm and 7pm Year 5 production of Twelfth Night. All welcome! Children returning for the evening must be accompanied by an adult.

### Thursday 7<sup>th</sup>

8am Year 1 and 2 Ball Skills Club with Coach Martin.

Year 3 are visiting the Charles Dickens Museum.

### Friday 8<sup>th</sup>

8am Girls Sports Club with Coach Martin.

### Thank you!

To Phoebe Knight in Year 6 for this week's border design.

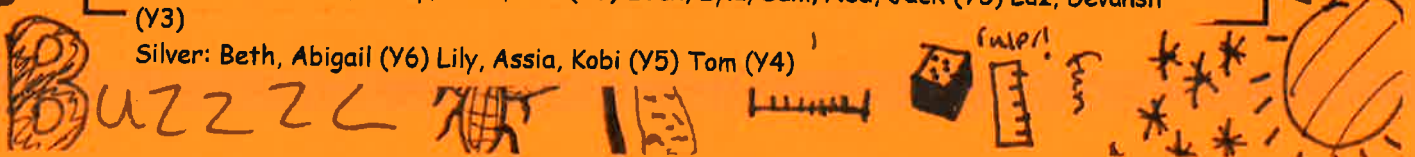
To you all, especially organiser, our own Jackie, for raising £194.35 for the 2017 Poppy Appeal.

### Congratulations

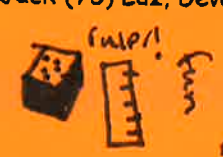
We are very proud of the 63 children who had a go at the very tricky 2017 national Primary Maths Challenge all of whom had a very respectable score. Results are in and so a particular well done to the following certificate winners:

Bronze: Taha, Mia, Betty, Alice, Ben (Y6) Eben, Lyla, Sam, Ned, Jack (Y5) Luz, Devansh (Y3)

Silver: Beth, Abigail (Y6) Lily, Assia, Kobi (Y5) Tom (Y4)



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## Christmas Fair Countdown

- The trees are here! Please see Tania in the office and then collect from the playground. They are all carefully labelled.
- The hall is looking wonderful (thanks Nora, Lou, Rachel and team).
- Last shout out for chocolate! Our chocolate tombola is legend, but it only as good as its donations. It is so fun to have a mix so anything from large tubs of Roses to smaller bars most welcome! We are accepting donations until 9.15am tomorrow
- Bring plenty of change to spend on the stalls! Hampers can be paid for and collected next week if you don't have enough money on the day.
- We also have wonderful handmade goods, small knick-knacks, cards, presents and tree decorations made by our very creative and generous families.
- Also on sale are Eco Cups, NW5 bags and EP hoodies.
- There will be crafts stalls include wreath making (a few spares for those that didn't reserve in advance), treasure box making, cookie decorating, collage craft and more!
- Please donate sweet and savoury treats (labelled) to the Festive Café and come along and enjoy some home baking with prosecco, mulled wine and hot drinks.
- If you are running a stall please arrive by 2pm so we are ready to roll at 3!
- Fair opens at 3pm and a great chance to browse and buy before the children finish in class. No buggies unless essential.
- The Café, chocolate tombola and most stalls will be in the hall, but Santa's Grotto, photo booth and some craft activities will be in Junior's this year.
- Everyone welcome: so do tell your family and friends to come along.

## Double Christmas Carols! Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December

In case you want more carol singing, after our school service at 2pm, there will be a gathering for carols by candlelight in St Benet's Garden from 6-7.30 pm. This is an opportunity to come together as a community, enjoy the fun of singing carols in beautiful candle light in our lovely garden, warmed by some festive spirit!

Mulled wine and carol sheets will be provided. Mince pie contributions and other festive snacks would be very welcome. So organisers have an idea of numbers, please RSVP to [homezna@gmail.com](mailto:homezna@gmail.com) by 8 December.

## Eleanor Palmer's Got Talent - Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December

This was discussed in our last Big School Meeting and we have pulled together the suggestions. Auditions will take place next week in all classes. Each class (and the staff!) will enter two acts and the theme is variety and entertainment! Room for two parent entries as well?! Think dance, juggling, comedy, gymnastics, card tricks and of course music, but we will have a limit of one *singing* act per class: we don't want to simply replicate either the X Factor or the Summer Concert. We are going to be choosing children to judge (Strictly style with vote cards) which will be combined with the 'phone vote' aka the voting after the event. We will talk in the next Big School Meeting (Tuesday) about which charity to support.

## Term dates

Attached are the term dates for the next academic year. Please, this is good notice so plan holidays/flights etc. with these in mind.

See you tomorrow for our fantastic Christmas Fair.

With best wishes,

Kate Frood and staff

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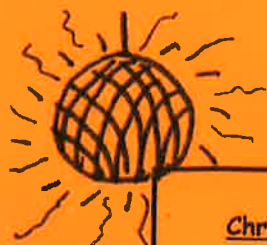


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