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SUNDON PARK JUNIOR SCHOOL

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30th October 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

Christmas 2017 Activities

Our apologies for mentioning the subject of Christmas so early. With the help of our Friends Association we have arranged lots of exciting events for the children (and yourselves) to enjoy, and we wanted to give all involved as much notice as possible.

Craft Workshops

Year 3 & 4 Tuesday 21st November 4pm – 5pm

Year 5 & 6 Wednesday 22nd November 4pm – 5pm

The entry fee for the craft work shop will be £3 and children will remain in school after the school day finishes.

Shoe Box Appeal 2017 Workshop

Wednesday 6th December 3:35pm - 4:30pm

Once again we will be working with Interact to support The Shoe Box Appeal.

Our aim is to fill as many shoe boxes as possible with practical items such as flannels, toothpaste, toothbrushes, socks, hats and gloves as well as educational and fun items like pens, pencils, colouring books and felt pens, to be distributed to underprivileged children in our local area.

We will be holding a workshop on Wednesday 6th December from 3:35pm until 4:30pm for children to come along with their donated items and work alongside our staff and staff from Interact to decorate and fill their shoe boxes.

If children are unable to attend the workshop but would like to make a donation, these can be sent into school from now until 6th December. Children can bring filled shoe boxes in if they would prefer.

Christmas Shop

Tuesday December 12th (During the school day)

This is a new initiative we are holding at SPJS. We all know there is nothing children like better than to be able to give presents to loved ones which they have chosen themselves.

Children will have the opportunity to come along and choose a present for their nominated person from a limited selection. Presents will be suitable for mothers, fathers nans or



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grandads. If you specify who the present is for, we will arrange for the child to write their gift tag and place on the gift for their nominated person. Children will be given their present to bring home during the last week of term.

The charge for each nominated present will be £4

Christmas Afternoon Tea

Friday December 15th December 2:30 – 4:30

We will be holding our first fundraising event with the proceeds going to The Childrens Arthritis Trust - our chosen charity for the year.

The entry fee for the event will be £1 and we will be asking for donations towards the refreshments. We will also be having various competitions so please bring along plenty of change.

The children of parents who are attending the event will be able to join them in the school hall and, as always, this event will only be possible with your kind donations of cakes.

We will also be having a visit from Father Christmas at the event and children can come and see him at a cost of £2.50 per child. Due to the time available at this event spaces will be limited and we will need to regulate the time children spend with Father Christmas.

Movie Night

Tuesday 19th December 3:35pm – 5:45pm

Would you like a little bit of shopping time without your children? If so, you may like them to attend our movie night. The children will be watching 'The Muppets Christmas Carol'. There will be popcorn and a drink available during the interval. There will be no charge for this event.

Colouring Competition

We are also holding our ever popular colouring competition. If your child would like to enter, please return the attached Christmas picture, coloured in as brightly as possible, with the £1 entry fee attached. All colouring entries should be returned to us by Friday 8th December.

As always we will require your consent for your child to attend the above events. There will be limited spaces available for all the events apart from the movie night and the Christmas Shop, and these will be issued on a first come first served basis. We will notify you by text if your child has been successful in gaining a place. The closing date for consent forms will be Monday 20th November, if spaces have not been filled by then.

As always we thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully



J Wightman
Headteacher

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Craft Workshops

Year 3 & 4 Tuesday 21st November 4pm – 5pm
Year 5 & 6 Wednesday 22nd November 4pm – 5pm

Child's name:.....Class:.....

I consent to my child attending the Christmas crafts workshop

I enclose the £3 entry fee

Signed:.....Parent/Carer Date:.....

Shoe Box Appeal 2017 Workshop

Wednesday 6th December 3:35pm - 4:30pm

Child's Name:.....Class:.....

My child will be attending the above workshop with their donations for the Shoe Box Appeal

Signed:..... Parent/Carer Date:.....

Christmas Shop

Tuesday December 12th (During the school day)

Child's Name:.....Class:.....

My child would like to choose a gift for: (maximum 4 per child)

Name:.....Relationship to Child:.....

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I enclose the sum of cash / cheque (£4 per present)

Signed:.....Parent/Carer Date:.....

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Afternoon Tea

Friday 15th December 2:30pm

Child's Name:..... Class:.....

I will be attending the 'Afternoon Tea' event with* family and friends.

I will be able to donate cakes that I will deliver to the school before 9am on the day of the event.

Please find enclosed the sum of for children to visit Father Christmas.
£2.50 per child

Signed:..... Parent/Carer Date:.....

* Please insert number of attendees

Movie Night

Tuesday 19th December 3:35pm – 5:45pm

Child's Name:..... Class:.....

I consent to my child attending the movie night

I confirm my child will be collected at 5:45 from the school reception.

My contact telephone number is:.....

Signed:..... Parent/Carer Date:.....