



# Intake Primary School

## Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December Newsletter 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

Christmas is fast approaching and we are all looking forward to the Christmas concerts next week. Thank you for your support not only in attending but also returning your child for the evening performance. It is very much appreciated.

Porter are the Junior Housepoint winners for this term and very well done to them! They will be Christmas bauble making next Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> while everyone else is continuing with lessons.

The Infants (KS1) have one more week before a winner is declared. Their treat will be a film and popcorn with Mrs Beattie.

### 48 Hour Rule

Please remember if your child has had any sickness or diarrhoea, they must not return to school until at least 48 hours after the last bout.

Bugs at this time of year can spread very quickly, please help to limit the passing on of germs.

### Attendance

Attendance for Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2017–  
Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December overall was:

Y1 Beattie	98.7%	Y1 Owen/Birley	94.7%
Y2 Troy	94.7%	Y2 Vaughan	86%
Y3 Hopwood	89.3%	Y3 Martin	96.8%
Y4 Garrett	92.9%	Y4 Ledger	97.7%
Y5 Wade	95.3%	Y5 White	99%
Y6 Holland	95.7%	Y6 Woodall	97.9%

Well done to Mrs Beattie's class who had the best attendance in the Infants and Miss White's class for the juniors.

### Free school meals

If you think that you may be eligible for income based free school meals please apply. This is aside from the school meals that the KS1 children receive. It is based on your income. For each child that is on the FSM list, school receives some money. So the more children that are on our list, the better it is for school. You can apply online. If you are unsure or would like more information just pop into the office.

### Dates for your diary

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December  
Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December  
Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December  
Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December  
Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December  
Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December  
Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December  
Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December  
Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December  
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Y4/6 Christmas Performances 1.30pm & 6.00pm  
Y1/2 Christmas Performances 1.30pm & 6.00pm  
Christmas Bauble Workshop – House point winners  
Y3/5 Christmas Performances 1.30pm & 6.00pm  
Foundation Stage Performance 2.00pm  
Christmas Craft Parent Workshop Y2V  
Y3/4 Disco 1-15 pm – 3.25 pm  
GIFT Christmas Fair  
Carol Singing at local Residential Homes, KS1 Party  
Y5/6 Disco 1-15 pm – 3.25 pm  
Christmas Jumper Day, KS1 Entertainer in pm.  
Break up for Christmas

All upcoming dates can be found on the school website: [www.intakeprimary.org.uk](http://www.intakeprimary.org.uk)

### W/B 11<sup>th</sup> December

We are on:

### Week 1



Of the school menu

## GIFT CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

As in previous years we will be selling raffle tickets in our Christmas Concerts and at our Christmas Fayre. If anyone would like to donate any new toiletries, we will make them up into gift sets to sell.

We have also had some fantastic prizes donated from local companies, listed below are just a few

2 x 2 games for 4 people at Laser Quest

Family day pass for Monkey Bizness

Funky Dance Fever

1 x 4 people Paradise Island Adventure Golf

x 6 Family Swim – SIV

2 x Breakfast with Santa for 2 children – Harvester

2 x MOT, oil, and filter change – Halfway Garage Services

Hoody & t-shirt – Da Hood Boxing Centre

1 x Carpet clean – Mr Bit Cleaning Services

Centre

1 x family ticket to Sheffield Steeldogs game

4 x Karate Lessons - Trinity

Kids Dance Classes/Boogie Bounce Classes –

2 x passes for 99 Jump Street

10 x 50% off – 99 Jump Street

Budding Picasso Voucher

Daisy Chain Donation

Jump Inc Vouchers

2 x adult passes for Foundry Climbing

The raffle prizes will be drawn out in assembly on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December.

### Family Learning Winter Crafts Workshop

Family Learning are running a winter crafts workshop in school. This will take place on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December between 1 pm – 3 pm in the Craft Room. All Parents, Grandparents or Carers are welcome.

Free childcare is available.

Please complete the slip if you are interested.



This year again we have registered to be a drop off point for Help a Hallam Child's Mission Christmas. If you would like to donate a present that we can give to a disadvantaged local child to make their Christmas morning special. We need new and unwrapped gifts suitable for children and young people aged 0-18 years. We will be collecting these in school until the 13<sup>th</sup> December.

### INTAKE Super Learners

The theme this week for our Super Learner is 'Take Pride' and the winners are as follows:

R1	Harry	R2	Ollie
Y1B	Thora	Y10/B	Freddie
Y2T	Heidi	Y2V	Ben
Y3H	Lexi	Y3M	Abbie
Y4G	Milli	Y4L	Bethany
Y5W	Brooke	Y5CW	Connor
Y6H	Divine	Y6W	Mitchell

### Year 6 Tombola Prizes for the Christmas Fayre

Our Year children are running a tombola stall for the Christmas Fayre on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December. If anyone has suitable prizes they would be gratefully accepted.

Please send your donations to the Year 6 classrooms (Mr. Holland & Miss Woodall)

## Sheffield City Council: Winter weather

With winter approaching, we want to ensure that you have the information you need in order to fully prepare you for the cold weather ahead...

For all information relating to roads this winter, you can view Sheffield City Council's dedicated page online [here](#).

For a full guide to winter, read Sheffield City Council's winter leaflet [here](#).

To sign up for winter alerts, including Keeping Healthy and Well click [here](#).

### ROADS

The Streets Ahead team closely monitor the weather forecast throughout the winter months so they can be ready if bad weather arrives. A fleet of 19 gritters are on standby, 24 hours, 7 days a week through until May.

For regular updates on gritters, please follow [@sccstreetsahead](#) on Twitter.

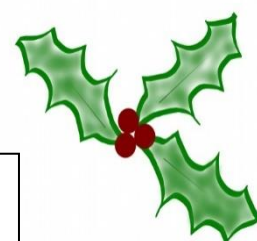
### SCHOOLS

Sheffield schools will always do their utmost to stay open, however, changes to opening times may occur due to adverse weather.

If you are unsure if your school is opening, you should hear from your child's school via the school website and texts if there is a closure or late opening. You can also check all school closures on [www.sheffield.gov.uk/schoolclosures](http://www.sheffield.gov.uk/schoolclosures)

Sign up for your schools winter alerts [here](#).

Follow [@sheffcouncil](#) #Sheffschools for regular updates.



**Intake School Christmas Fair –  
Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December at 3.30pm**

**Come along and visit Santa in his grotto.  
Stalls include: Refreshments, sweets,  
cakes, biscuits, handmade cards and gifts  
plus lots more.**

**Please come along and support us – each  
year group will have a stall.**

