



THE BATT C.E. SCHOOL

THE BATT CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers

Children in Need

Many thanks for donating towards BBC Children in Need last Friday. We raised £200. I hope the children enjoyed playing their board games. This is something I think we should do more of.

Non-Uniform Day

Next Friday (29th November) will be a non-uniform day. In exchange for the children not wearing their uniform, we would like them to bring in an item for the Christmas Fayre. You will have received a letter from the BSA with details of what we would like each department to bring in. Please can the Infants donate wine or other bottles, Lower Juniors wrapped sweets, boxes of chocolates or small prizes and please can the Upper Juniors donate tombola or gift items? Thank you very much in advance for this.

Hockey Tournament

Our B and C hockey teams took part in a tournament at Wood Green School on Monday. Both teams played well and enjoyed the experience of competing against teams from other schools. Unfortunately on this occasion neither team made it through from the group stages.

Christmas Lights Switch On.

The BSA are running a stall at the Town Council's Christmas Lights switch on event in the town centre next Friday. Please go along and support. If anyone can help to set up the stall between 3.10 and 4.00, please either let Amber Wing know, or call in to the office. Thank you.

Icy Conditions

As the weather becomes colder over the coming weeks, please take extra care on the paths and lane leading up to the school, and on the playground which can become icy and slippery.

Infant Nativity

The Infants are busy rehearsing the songs and dances for their Nativity. A letter will be distributed next week with details of tickets etc. The performances will be on Thursday 12th December, 2.00pm and 6.00pm, and Monday 16th December at 2.00pm. Please note that the Friday performance, initially in the diary for 2.00pm, has been moved to the Monday.

Cars Along Marlborough Lane

Please be reminded that we ask parents and carers not to drive up Marlborough Lane before school and after school, including after clubs, as we have so many children arriving at and leaving the school grounds at different times. This is for the children and families' safety and well-being. Thank you.



Nut Allergies

As we have several children with nut allergies in school, we ask that parents and carers refrain from sending in lunch box food and snacks that contain nuts. This includes snacks such as Nutella bars etc. Thank you for your understanding with this.

The Sun's Books for Schools Initiative

The Sun Newspaper has teamed up with the publisher HarperCollins to give primary schools the opportunity to claim a free box of books. Each box contains 105 brilliant fiction and non-fiction titles from a wide range of genres. We have registered as a school and we now have to undertake the challenge to collect 3,500 tokens! The tokens are printed daily in The Sun Newspaper between Saturday 23rd November 2019 and Saturday 18th January 2020. Please could you collect any tokens from anyone who buys the newspaper in your family or ask your friends! We would love to continue to add to our fantastic range of books in school. We will have a box in the school office to place the tokens in- thank you.

Many thanks for your continued support this term.

Yours sincerely

Chris Payne
Headteacher

