



# Shortlanesend School

## Newsletter



29th November



Dear Parent/Carer



### Safety Request

With the darker mornings and evenings can we make a request that parents think carefully about where they are parking please. We have received reports of a couple of near misses involving children having to step out between parked cars onto the road.



### Monday 2nd December

This is a **non-uniform day** with the request of chocolate donations or donations of alcohol for the Christmas Fayre the following day. During the morning the children will also enjoy spending time in their houses decorating their house Christmas Tree.



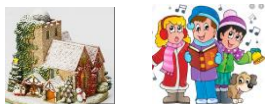
### Christmas Fayre

**Tuesday 3rd December** sees our first Christmas Fayre for a few years taking place from 3:15 - 5:00pm. There will be refreshments and stalls throughout the school, and your support is greatly appreciated. Any volunteers to help set up and clear away at the end would be greatly appreciated.



### Tea Towels

These can be ordered and paid for at the School Fayre with final orders being accepted on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December. If you do not wish for your child's image to be used please inform the school office by 9am Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December.



## Carol Service

This will be held at Kenwyn Church for children in Class 3,4&5 at 6pm on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December. All are welcome to attend this Christmas Carol Service.



## Amazon Smile

AmazonSmile is a simple and automatic way for you to support your favourite charitable organization every time you shop, at no cost to you. You can simply choose FOSS as your charity <https://smile.amazon.co.uk>

Amazon donates 0.5% of the net purchase price (excluding VAT, returns and shipping fees) of eligible purchases to the charitable organisation of your choice.



## Clubs

There will be no more after school clubs other than Karate and Mrs Ashtons after school care until the end of term due to all the forthcoming Christmas activities. A new date for the last session of Dodgeball will be arranged and children will be notified.

## REMINDERS



## Parent Support

The final, 'Cuppa and Chat' session this term will be on Monday 2nd December. Kate Rowe from the Early Help Hub will be in attendance and offers this free drop in session providing professional advice on Autism, Challenging Behaviour and ADHD. Simon Fann from the Food Bank will also be attending explaining about how this organisation works and how support from them can be accessed when needed. Please come along! These sessions are informal and provide the opportunity to meet other parents and access help if required. If anyone would like to arrange a meeting with Mrs Dyer on a one to one basis this can be requested either at the end or beginning of the meeting. If preferred call in at the office or make a telephone call and a meeting can easily be arranged privately. Mince pies and other refreshments will be provided on Monday for all who attend.

## Autumn Term 2019 Storytime Dates



Please come in and join us to share a book.

Our last Storytime session for this term will be on a **TUESDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> December** at 2:50pm Class 5

### Autumn Term

Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> Sept-12 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Swimming Y2,3,4,
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> December	Christmas Fayre
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> December	Class 1 Nativity 2.30pm&5pm
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> December	Class 2 Christmas Performance 2.30pm&5pm
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	Carol Service Kenwyn Church 6pm KS2
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Party Day



Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Break up for Christmas
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### Spring Term 2020

Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January	First day of Term
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> February	Inset Day
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> 21 <sup>st</sup> February	Half Term
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	Break Up for Easter

### Summer Term

Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> April	First Day of Term
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	May Bank Holiday
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> May	Half Term Week
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June	Inset Day
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	<b>Last day of Term 1.30pm Finish</b>
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July	School Closed to Pupils