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December Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are well and looking forward to a very festive December. We've had a busy couple of weeks.

- **Book Fair**

Was really well attended and it was lovely to see so many of you sharing your love of books and reading. We have been given the contact details of a local company that runs book fairs with a very reasonable price for books so we will try them next time and see if we reduce the price you have to pay.

- **Diabetes Awareness Day and Children In Need**

We think it is really important to make the children aware that, for the vast majority of them, they have a good life with few things to worry about so we think awareness days are really valuable in helping children to understand the difficulties some families face.

Our talent show was really successful and it was lovely for the children to be able to perform in front of a hall full of parents. We hope you enjoyed the event.

Thankyou so much for your support.

- **Individual Photos**

Hopefully you are pleased with your child's photo and have been able to order without any problems.

- **Flu Vaccination**

We had approx. half the children sign up for the flu vaccination. Public Health have seen a fall in seasonal vaccinations, particularly MMR, and as a result they are noticing a rise in measles across the country. I would urge you to check that your child's vaccinations are up to date and contact 111 if you need any advice.

- **Staveley Cricket Club Christmas Fayre**

We took some children across to the cricket club to sing Christmas songs. It was lovely to see so many of you there at this great local event. The children did a great job for our first festive event of the season.

Thankyou for your continued support and I hope to see you all at our Christmas events over the next few weeks.

P. Scragg
Head Teacher

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Christmas and School Uniform

We would like the children to wear school uniform as normal until Thursday 7th December. From Friday 8th December, Christmas Dinner Day, until the end of term the children can wear a Christmas Jumper if they would like to.

Week beginning Monday 4 th December	
Monday	Year 6 residential visit to Dobroyd Castle 1pm; Year 5 swimming at Healthy Living Centre – last session until Monday 15 th January Young Voices has now finished until Monday 15 th January
Tuesday	Year 6 residential visit to Dobroyd Castle 1pm; Year 4 brass lesson – last session before Christmas 3.15 – 4.15; Lego Club – last session before Christmas
Wednesday	Year 6 residential visit to Dobroyd Castle Lunchtime netball club 3.15 – 4.15; Football – last session before Christmas
Thursday	3.15 – 4.15; Multisports – last session before Christmas
Friday	11.30 am; Christmas Dinner

Week beginning Monday 11 th December	
Monday	2.30pm; Children singing Christmas songs at The Willows
Tuesday	2pm – Nursery, Reception, Y1 and Y2 Christmas Play performance
Wednesday	10am – Nursery, Reception, Y1 and Y2 Christmas Play performance 1pm – 5pm; Whole school visit to Mansfield Palace Theatre to watch the Pantomime.
Thursday	AM – Year 4 Fencing at Graves Leisure Centre PM – Reception and Year 1 Christmas Film afternoon 3.15pm – 5pm; Year 2 to Year 6 Christmas Film night
Friday	

Week beginning Monday 18 th December	
Monday	
Tuesday	2pm & 6pm; KS2 Christmas Performance
Wednesday	PM – Christmas Parties in class
Thursday	2pm – Community singing Christmas songs on the playground. Hot chocolate will be sold cash only
Friday	No school – INSET Day



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Important Dates

Autumn 2023

- Mon 4th to Weds 6th December
- Fri 8th Dec
- Tues 12th Dec, 2pm
- Weds 13th Dec, 10am
- Weds 13th Dec
- Thurs 14th Dec
- Thurs 14th Dec
- Tues 19th Dec
- Weds 20th Dec
- Thursday 21st Dec
- **Fri 22nd Dec**
- **Mon 25th Dec – Sun 7th Jan**

Year 6 Dobroyd Castle residential visit
 Christmas Dinner
 Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 Christmas Play
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 Afternoon visit to Mansfield Palace Theatre Pantomime
 Year 4 fencing morning at Graves leisure centre
 Film night after school for Years 2 – 6
 2pm & 6pm KS2 Christmas play
 Christmas Parties
 2pm community carol singing on the playground
INSET Day – school closed to children
Christmas Holiday

Spring 2024

- Mon 8th January 2024
- Mon 22nd Jan
- Mon 5th February
- Fri 9th February
- Tues 13th & Thurs 15th Feb
- **Week beg Mon 19th Feb**
- Mon 26th Feb
- Mon 26th Feb
- Thurs 7th March
- Thurs 14th March
- Fri 15th March
- Weds 20th March
- Weds 27th March
- **Mon 1st April – Sun 14th Apr**

Back to school
 Year 5 dodgeball at Graves Leisure Centre
 Year 3 Hockey at Graves Leisure Centre
 Young Voices at Sheffield Arena
 3.30 – 6pm, Parents Evening
Half term holiday
 Back to school
 SEN sports festival at Graves leisure Centre
 World Book Day
 Year 2 & 4 Dance Festival at The Winding Wheel
 Comic Relief / Red Nose Day / Norbriggs Has talent
 Football team at Staveley Miners
 KS2 Cross Country
Easter Holiday



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Summer 2024

- Mon 15th Apr
- Thurs 18th Apr
- Weds 1st May
- **Mon 6th May**
- **Week beg Mon 13th May**
- **Mon 27th May – Sun 2nd June**
- Mon 3rd June
- Week beg Mon 3rd June
- Week beg Mon 10th June
- Mon 17th June
- Thurs 27th June
- Mon 1st July
- Tues 2nd July
- Weds 3rd July
- Week beg Mon 8th July
- Tues 16th July
- Tues 16th July
- Weds 17th July
- Weds 17th July
- Thurs 18th July
- Fri 19th July
- **Mon 22nd, Tues 23rd July**

Back to School

Year 4 sports summer at Sheffield Institute of Sport

Year 3 Tag Rugby at Chesterfield Panthers Ground

Bank Holiday – School closed

Year 6 SATs week – all Year 6 children must be in school all week, do not book a holiday this week

Half Term Holiday

Back to School

Year 4 multiplication check

Year 1 phonic screen check

Y5 Water Polo at Graves Leisure Centre

Summer Fair after school

Year 2 & 6 sports summit at Sheffield Institute of Sport

Children visit new classes, Y6 visit secondary school

Y6 second transition day

Sports Week

Year 5 Tag Rugby at Mount St Mary's

Year 6 leavers performance

Year 4 cricket at Mount St Mary's

Year 6 leavers meal

Year 6 Olympics at Mount St Mary's

Last day of school

INSET Days – school closed to children

Autumn 2024

- Weds 4th September
- Thursday 5th September

INSET day – school closed to children

Back to School



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