



Newsletter - December 2013

Dear Parents

As Christmas rapidly approaches here is the final reminder for Christmas events.

Monday 9th December- Pantomime- Durham Gala Theatre "Robin Hood & Babes in the Wood"- (8.30-1.00) for morning children. **NO AFTERNOON NURSERY. Uniforms must be worn.**

Tuesday 10th December- Concert Dress Rehearsals
Children will be videoed for DVD.

Wednesday 11th December- Concert for families
All children to be collected by 10.45 (unless staying for lunch) for morning children & 2.15 for afternoon children.

Thursday 12th December- Christmas Lunch- Children coming for lunch need to arrive at 11.15.

Friday 13th December- Pantomime- Durham Gala Theatre "Robin Hood & Babes in the Wood"- (8.30-1.00) for afternoon children. **NO MORNING NURSERY. Uniforms must be worn.**

Thursday 19th December- Christmas Parties
8.45-11.15 & 12.30- 3.00
Lunchclub and Childcare still available. No uniforms.

Friday 20th December- Magic John Entertains/ Picnic
All children need to come to nursery 8.45-11.15 for Magic John to entertain them. This will be followed by a giant picnic.
All children need to be collected between 11.00 & 11.15.

Thank you to all who handed in sponsor money. We raised £1094.50 a fantastic amount.

Together with our Early Learners we raised £103.38 for Children in Need. Thank you again.

Christmas Beanies (£1 each) for St Benedict's Hospice are on sale from Mrs Marshall.

Christmas Cards- Please send only 1 Christmas card in, this will be displayed in nursery. Please do not send cards for all children.

School Forms- Have you completed your child's application form for school next year? Without this form your child may not get a place at the school of your choice. Applications must be made by 15th January 2014.

Staff Changes- At the end of this term Mrs Findlay is leaving to take up a new post as Assistant Headteacher at Hotspurr Primary School in Newcastle. We hope she enjoys her new job & wish her all the best for the future. As soon as Mrs Findlay's replacement is appointed I will let you know.

We are also looking to recruit a new caretaker. If anyone is interested in this post, application forms will be available from the school office after Christmas.

Nursery Closes Friday 20th December & re-opens 6th January.

On behalf of the staff may I wish you all a Happy Christmas & a Good New Year.

Thank you

Carole Scott

