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NUTFIELD CHURCH (C OF E) PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents and Carers,

Poppy Appeal

Thank you to everyone involved in supporting the British Legion's Poppy Appeal this year. We really appreciate you all making donations thank you. Our school raised £269.55. Thank you to Mrs Cox and the children in her class who helped her each day. I'm sure you will agree they did a super job.

Operation Christmas Child

Thank you to all the families who took part in Operation Christmas Child. Operation Christmas Child is one of the charities we support as part of our termly 'Love Projects.' Operation Christmas Child is a project of Samaritan's Purse, a Christian international relief organisation. Through Operation Christmas Child, Samaritan's Purse aims to provide children affected by war, poverty, natural disaster or famine with shoeboxes filled with small toys, hygiene items, and school supplies. As a school we managed to collect 40 boxes.

Year 1 Phonics and Year 2 SATS Meetings

Thank you to our Year 1 and Year 2 parents and carers, who attended our information evenings last week. It was lovely to see so many of you in school. If you would like a copy of the notes/handouts please let the teachers know.

Sparkfish Christmas Journey

Year 2 have completed their Sparkfish Christmas Journey yesterday. Mrs Cordey said that children were very well behaved. Sparkfish run entirely on a voluntary basis and each year we contribute some money to support them. Thank you to those of you who sent in monies as requested in Mrs Cordey's letter. If you would like to further support the charity. Please click on the link: <https://sparkfish.org.uk/>

Parent and Carer Evenings

We are looking forward to see you at our Parent and Carer Evenings next week. Meetings will take place with your child's class teacher and will be held in their classroom. Please do contact the school office if you would like any help with booking an appointment.

Bags 2 School – A message from the PTFA

This is just a reminder that your child came home with a Bag 2 School leaflet yesterday. This is a collection for recycled clothes and other items, which are then donated to a company who weigh them. This in turn raises money for the PTFA. Last time we did this, we raised an amazing £168. Please return your bags (remember that this year they will not be supplying the bags, you can use your own) on Monday 28th November at your morning drop off, where you will be directed by a volunteer. Someone will be there to help. Please do not return before this date as there is no storage space in school for the bags. Please also note that you cannot put school uniform in the bags. If you look at the Bag 2 School website, you will find a list of accepted items, or follow the link here <https://bag2school.com/what-we-collect>

Brand new iPads

Nutfield Church Primary School is very pleased to announce the first roll out of its brand new collection of iPads purchased using funds raised by our amazing PTFA. Here are some pictures of our Year 5 children logging in to Times Table Rock Stars using our new iPads. As you can see, they all look very excited about using them for the first time today. May we take this opportunity to offer a huge thanks to our incredible, dedicated PTFA team who always work tirelessly to raise much needed funds for our wonderful school. Link to pictures: <https://nutfieldchurchprimary.co.uk/brand-new-ipads>

Christmas Jumper Day

Thursday 8th December will be Christmas Jumper Day. Please can the children donate £1. During the afternoon, all classes will be coming together for 'Reading Buddies'. For new parents, this is an opportunity for children to get together with another year group and share a favourite story. So please can children bring in their favourite Winter or Christmas themed story to share.

Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper

Christmas lunch will be on Wednesday 14th December. If your child normally has a packed lunch and would like to have a Christmas lunch, please do let the school office know. The children will be allowed to wear a festive top, this can be a Christmas jumper of any sort, made or purchased – feel free to be as creative as you like.

Nativity

Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 have been working hard to learn songs and lines ready for their performance of 'Hosanna Rock!', our Christmas Nativity. There will be three performances, which will take place on Monday 5th (dress rehearsal), Tuesday 6th, and Wednesday 7th December 202. Each performance will start at 2pm. Performances will be held in the school hall with the main performance (Tuesday 6th and Wednesday 7th) held for adults only. However, for those with babies or toddlers, you are still welcome to come along to the dress rehearsal on Monday 5th. Details about how to book for a space with your younger child or to book for the Nativities on 6th or 7th will be sent out on Monday.

Christmas Fair and Santa's Grotto – A message from the PTFA

The Christmas Fair will be taking place on Thursday 1st December from 3.15pm-5.30pm in the School Hall. Please come along and support the event – it is all about the children having fun (flyer attached)! Furthermore, our Santa's Grotto returns bigger and better than ever before! The Grotto will be based outside, so please dress warmly. Tickets can be bought online at www.pta-events.co.uk/nutfield where you can pick a time slot. If you are unable to access the booking system online, please contact your Class Angel who will be able to advise you of an alternative. If your chosen slot is full and you cannot make another time, please contact your Class Angel. This event is also open to siblings of children in the school. The ticket price of £4.00 includes a story with Santa and a gift. Please note, availability is strictly on a first come, first served basis. Once tickets are sold out, we cannot issue anymore due to time constraints on the day of the Fair and closing time of the Grotto. Please see the flyer attached for more information.

Children who attend Ark and Christmas Fair

Ark will be open as usual on the day of the Christmas Fair, for those children who usually attend on a Thursday. We regret that it will not be possible for Ark staff to accompany children to the Fair.

Camp 4 Champs Sports Multi-Skills Camp

Camp 4 Champs has teamed up with Carrington School, Redhill to run the sports multi-skills activity camp and are excited to be opening this Christmas (December: 20th, 21st, 22nd and 23rd) and running in various holidays throughout the year. They provide safe, inspiring and exciting multi-skills activity camps where kids aged 4-14 can have fun and make new friends. Your child will enjoy a range of adventurous, creative and lively activities in a sound and secure environment. Please see the flyer attached for more information.

Christmas Dance Camp

Inspire Academy of Dance run classes in Nutfield. A Christmas themed camp will run on Monday 19th December in Nutfield. Please see the flyer attached for more information.

What a lot of wonderful events to look forward to. I hope everyone has a great weekend.

Imogen Woods
Headteacher

DIARY DATES

| Autumn Term | |
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| Headteacher Tour | Wednesday 28 th November-10.00am |
| Bags to school collection | Monday 28 th November |
| Parent and Carer Evenings | Monday 28 th November 3.30pm-6.00pm |
| Parent and Carer Evenings | Tuesday 29 th November 3.30pm-6.00pm |
| Parent and Carer Evenings | Wednesday 30 th November 3.30pm-6.00pm |
| St. Andrew's Day | Wednesday 30 th November 2022 - blue shirt |
| Christmas Fair and Santa's Grotto | Thursday 1 st December 3.15pm-5.30pm (School Hall) |
| Nativity Dress Rehearsal | Monday 5 th December 2.00pm-3.00pm |
| Nativity Performance | Tuesday 6 th December 2.00pm-3.00pm |
| Choir Club | Tuesday 6 th December 3.15pm-4.15pm |
| Speech and Drama Club (Years 4, 5 and 6) | Wednesday 7 th December 3.15pm-4.15pm |
| Nativity Performance | Wednesday 7 th December 2.00pm-3.00pm |
| Christmas Jumper Day | Thursday 8 th December |
| Choir Club | Tuesday 13 th December 3.15pm-4.15pm |
| Christmas Concert | Wednesday 14 th December 6.00pm |
| Christmas Lunch & Christmas Jumpers | Wednesday 14 th December 12.00pm |
| Christmas Service at Christ Church | Thursday 15 th December 9.30am |
| Charity Ambassador's Book Sale | Friday 6 th January 3.15pm |
| Book Week | W/C 20 th February |
| Bishop's Lent Appeal Launch | W/C 20 th February |
| Bags 2 School | Wednesday 22 nd February |
| KS2 SATS meeting | Tuesday 28 th February 3.15pm – 4.15pm (Y6 classroom) |
| St. David's Day – yellow shirt | Wednesday 1 st March |
| Year 5 Springs Dance Company | Friday 3 rd March |
| St. Patrick's Day – green shirt | Friday 17 th March |
| SSA Parent and Carer Evenings | W/C 20 th March |
| World Poetry Day | Tuesday 21 st March |
| Parent and Carer Evening | Monday 27 th March |
| Parent and Carer Evening | Tuesday 28 th March |
| Parent and Carer Evening | Wednesday 29 th March |
| Easter Service Christ Church | Friday 31 st March – 9.30am |
| St. George's day – red shirt (23 rd April) | Monday 24 th April |
| Bags 2 School | Friday 5 th May |
| Inset Day | Monday 5 th June |
| Inset Day | Tuesday 6 th June |
| Year 6 (2022/23) residential meeting | Thursday 15 th June 3.15pm – 4pm (Y6 classroom) |
| Sparkfish Think Space | W/C 19 th June |
| Trinity Farm Blessing and Hopathon | Thursday 29 th June (9.30am blessing) |
| Sports Day | Friday 30 th June |
| Reports to Parents and Carers | Friday 30 th June |
| Art Exhibition Set Up | Monday 3 rd July |
| Art Exhibition | Tuesday 4 th July – 3.30pm -5.00pm |
| Art Exhibition | Wednesday 5 th July – 1.30pm-5.00pm |
| Open Evening | Wednesday 5 th July – 3.15pm-5.00pm |
| Year 6 Leavers' Party | Wednesday 19 th July |
| Music Concert | Friday 7 th July 2023 – 6.00pm -7.00pm |
| Reserve Sports Day | Monday 10 th July 2023 |
| Year 6 Production – dress rehearsal | Friday 14 th July 2023 – 2.00pm-3.00pm |
| Year 6 Production | Monday 17 th July 2023 – 6.00pm-7.00pm |
| Year 6 Production | Tuesday 18 th July 2023 – 6.00pm-7.00pm |
| Leavers' Service Christchurch | Friday 21 st July – 9.30am |