



Haxby Road News

Monday 8 December 2014

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Happy Advent to you all...

Christmas is on its way and school is like a busy Santa's Workshop. Everyone is working like crazy in school preparing for our Christmas Fair on Friday and our plays and celebrations next week. As always, I have been blown away with how hard the children and staff are working to ensure everyone has a wonderful time celebrating in school.

The children are singing beautifully and performing like stars one minute then scurrying around creating reindeer food and bird feeders as part of their science week activities the next. Adults are singing merrily preparing for our end of term celebration assembly while planning trips, visits and even more exciting activities What a talented bunch here at Haxby Road!! I feel like Mrs Claus, Ho ho ho...

CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY FOR SAVE THE CHILDREN

FRIDAY 12 DECEMBER

Please wear Christmas Jumpers and make a donation to

Save the Children

Thank you!

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Save the Children
CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY

Christmas Fair



FRIDAY 12 DECEMBER 2014

2-4PM CANTEEN



Cake Stall—Santa—Bag-a-Treat—Raffle—Brick-a-Brac—Bag a bottle! - Tombola

Please could each child donate one bar of chocolate towards the tombola

Please send any unwanted gift bags, bottle bags, and any donations of toys, games, books, cakes, homebaking etc.

If you would like to help run a stall please contact the school office.

Raffle tickets available from the school office.





Thank you to all for raising a massive £504.07 for Children in Need on our SuperHero Day!

Toy Appeal



Minster FM Toy Appeal

Please could you help by buying an extra toy with your Christmas shopping this year. We are collecting donations for the Minster FM Toy Appeal—lets put a smile on every child's face this year.

Merry Christmas!

Jayde Langan, Year 5

Fundraising

Thank you for all your fundraising efforts this year. Since September we have raised £354.63!

Car Parking

Please be aware Parents and Carers must not use the staff car park or the disabled parking bays, for dropping off and collecting children, unless you have a disabled child. The Car Park will be patrolled at these times.



Vacancy

Cleaner

We are looking to recruit an enthusiastic, hard-working individual to join our cleaning team.

Experience is preferred however full training will be given.

10 Hours per week: To be arranged to fall within Mon-Fri 4pm – 7pm pm, however some negotiation is possible.

Salary Grade 1 (£6.31-£6.68 per hour)

Please contact Mrs Morton at the school office for further details

Vacancy

Relief Cleaner

We are looking to recruit an enthusiastic, hard-working individual to join our cleaning team on a casual basis.

Experience is preferred however full training will be given.

Hours: To be arranged to fall within Mon-Fri 4pm – 7 pm however some negotiation is possible.

Salary Grade 1 £6.46 - £6.83 per hour

(The Living Wage Supplement is appropriate for this post)

Please contact Mrs Morton at the school office for further details

Christmas Fair with Father Christmas

Bell Farm Social Hall
13 December 2014
11am—2pm

Tombola—Stalls—Food—Gifts
All funds towards saving Bell Farm Hall

Cinema @ The Folk Hall

We are delighted to announce the launch of New Earswick's very own community cinema on

Saturday 20 December
with the sing-a-long version of **Frozen**
Matinee 2pm and Evening viewing 7.30pm

Tickets on sale at the Folk Hall
Family ticket (2 adults 2 children) £5.00
Adults £3.00, Children £1.50, and under Fives free

Applications for Free School Meals

A free school meals form is attached to the newsletter. Please fill in this form if you think you might be eligible. Even if you choose not to take up school meals or your child is in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 and does not pay for meals, do please still complete the form. If you would like support to complete the form please pop in and speak to Sharon Hood or Karen Doyle who will be happy to help.

An early visit from Father Christmas...

The children in Early Years have been lucky enough to have a surprise early visit from Father Christmas. Last Monday, we heard a clatter on the roof followed by a 'ho, ho, ho' and then Father Christmas arrived in Early Years with a sack full of advent calendars kindly donated to school by GAP at McArthur Glen. The children were able to chat with Father Christmas and tell him about their school play before receiving a lovely calendar to take home. What a treat !!!

Dates for your diary

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| Monday 8 December | EYFS visit Santa—Monks Cross |
| Tuesday 9 December | EYFS visit Santa - Monks Cross |
| Wednesday 10 December | Year One visit Santa—Monks Cross |
| Thursday 11 December | Year Two visit Santa—Monks Cross |
| Thursday 11 December | Year 6 at Huntington Secondary School Annual Awards Concert at York Barbican : Choir to sing |
| Friday 12 December | Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Fair 2pm |
| Saturday 13 December | School Choir : The Ice Factor, York Designer Outlet, Carol Singing |
| Sunday 14 December | School Choir : Annual Community Carol Concert at York Barbican 2.30pm |
| Tuesday 16 December | 9.15am Speech and Language Centre Christmas Play 10.15am Early Years Christmas Play 11.00am KS1 Nativity 2.15pm Early Years Christmas Play |
| Wednesday 17 December | 9.15am Elves & Shoemaker Puppet Show for EYFS and KS1 10.30am Pinnochio Puppet Show for KS2 Christmas Party afternoon |
| Thursday 18 December | Christmas Dinner |
| Thursday 18 December | School Choir : Lantern of Light at Monks Cross 6pm |
| Friday 19 December | 9.30am Christmas Service at St Thomas Church, Lowther Street 1.30pm Celebration Assembly (including Staff Choir) |
| Friday 19 December | School closes for Christmas Holidays 2pm |
| Monday 5 January | SCHOOL TRAINING DAY—SCHOOL CLOSED |
| Tuesday 6 January | SCHOOL OPEN—SPRING TERM |
| Monday 19 January | School Choir : Young Voices at Sheffield Arena |