

Weekly Update
27th November



Ysgol Feithrin Fairoak

Dear Parents

We are really pleased with the way the photographs went on Thursday and we hope you are happy with the results.

Please fill in the form that is attached to your proofs and return it to the Nursery in the envelope provided with the correct payment by Wednesday 6th December. Prices start as low as £6.00. The photographs will be returned before we break up for Christmas.

THIS WEEK

The **ICT workshop** will take place on Thursday this week (30th). It will start at the beginning of your usual Nursery session and run for approximately 1 hour but you are free to leave earlier if you need to.

The **Fete** will be held this **Saturday (2nd)** from 10 a.m. until 12 noon. Please pop in to support this fund raising event. The back gate from Lord Street will open at 10 a.m. Any donations of books, toys, bric-a-brac, children's clothes and raffle prizes. Cakes should be brought to Nursery on Friday 1st December or on the morning of the fete. We will also be hosting private contributors including hair accessories; henna hands; crafts and cards; with more to be confirmed. Refreshments will also be available.

Raffle Tickets – if you have any outstanding raffle tickets please return them by Friday as the raffle will be drawn on Saturday at the Fete. Prizes include a Christmas Hamper and a meal for two at The Victoria Arms, Caerleon Road.

DON'T FORGET – school is closed next Monday for INSET training!

PARENTAL CONSULTATIONS

Appointments continue this week. Please ask at Reception if you need to change the appointment you have been given.

Our **Parent/Toddler** groups runs Tuesday afternoon from 12.45 p.m. or **Friday** morning from 9.15 a.m. Parents/toddlers/babies are welcome to stay for as long or short a time as they wish.

FUTURE EVENTS

Workshop Dates

Welsh Workshop – Tuesday 5th December 9.15 – 10.15 a.m. or 12.45 to 1.45 p.m.

Expressive Arts – Monday 11th December - 9.15 - 10.15 a.m. or 12.45 to 1.45 p.m.

Workshop Evening – Monday 11th December – 5.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m.

Other events this term

The trip to Malpas Court Mansion House will take place on Thursday 14th December. We have asked for £2.50 for each child towards the cost of the Malpas Trip (full cost £9.00 per child). A small number of volunteers will be needed to accompany us on the buses. **Please make sure you return your form as soon as possible.**

The Concerts will take place at Duckpool Road Church on Tuesday 19th December at 10.30 a.m. or 2 p.m. Children will be asked to wear Christmas Jumpers/Dresses or seasonal headbands/hats. They will not need dressing up this year.

We are still in discussions with the Nursing Homes but hope these visits will take place on Wednesday 20th December. We are hoping that the morning children will sing for the residents at Caerleon Nursing Home with the afternoon children singing for Summerhill Nursing Home. We will actually meet at the Nursing Home therefore a parent or appropriate adult will need to attend.

The Christmas Parties will be held on Thursday 21st December as part of the normal session – this is not a family engagement event.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Maindee Village Christmas Market – Saturday 2nd December 2 until 6 p.m. Maindee Car Park. Lights will be switched on at 5 p.m.

End of Term

School will finish on Friday 22nd for the holidays and resume Monday 8th January.

NEEDED

Brushes, combs, styling heads, straighteners or hairdryers (not working!) – anything that we can use in a role play hairdressing salon. Children will NOT be doing each other's hair, only the adults or the styling heads!

Reminders:

Please remember:

Donations of £1 per week and fruit

Label all your child's clothing

Let us know if your child will not be attending or someone else will be picking up your child. Our telephone number is: 01633 259415

Please check the notice boards in the cloakroom for regular updates

Please ensure your child brings a coat to Nursery everyday as we go outside in all weather

Please help yourself to the free school uniform on the rail in Sunbeams cloakroom