

## Friday 1st December 2017 Newsletter

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#### Dates for your Diary.

Wednesday 6th December ~ Nasal Spray Flu Vaccine - am Wednesday 6th December ~ Choir singing at Memory Café

Thursday 7th December ~ Santa fun run Friday 8th December ~ Xmas fayre - 5.00pm

**Tuesday 12th December**  $\sim$  Foundation Stage Christmas Performance - 10.30am and Troon Speaks final at 2.00p.m.

Tuesday 12th December ~ Bags2School

Wednesday 13th December ~ Xmas Carol Concert 6.30pm - 7.30pm Thursday 14th December ~ Christmas Lunch for the children

Friday 15th December ~ Christmas Jumper Day
Friday 15th December ~ Christmas Community Lunch

Friday 15th December ~ All afterschool clubs finish for this term.

Tuesday 19th December ~ Lantern Parade 6.30pm

Wednesday 20th December ~ Children Break up for Christmas.

Monday 8th January ~ Children return to school.

#### Mathematicians of the Week!

Well done to the following children who received Maths certificates for their achievements in our celebration assembly on Friday:

Hedgehogs Evelyn

Beech Oakley Willow Jacob Hazel Maisie Oak Gabriel Maple Maya Holly Oscar

Keep up the good work!



There will be **NO Choir or Cross Country club on Monday 4th November** due to staff attending a MAT Staff meeting.

There will be no afterschool care on Friday 8th December due to the Christmas Fayre. Please arrange for children to be collected at 3.10pm. Thanks for your support.

#### Headteacher's Certificates for last week

Hedgehogs: Riley & Harrison.

Beech: Noah & Ethan.

Willow: Maisie & Samuel.

Hazel: Zach & Shaylah.

Oak: Patrick & Holly.

Maple: Ben & Imogen.

Holly: All of Holy Class & Mrs Trathen.

#### Handwriter of the Week!

Well done to the following children who received Hand Writing certificates for their achievements

in our celebration assembly on Friday:

Rec - Esme

Beech - Shenae

Willow - Reece

Hazel - Maisie

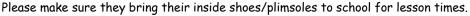
Oak - Jimmy Maple - Morgan

#### Christ<u>mas Lunch</u>

THURSDAY 7th December is the LAST day to order a Christmas lunch. If your child has not ordered a Christmas Lunch please ensure they bring a packed lunch on Thursday 14th December.

#### Winter Wear

Please make sure that children come to school with warm/waterproof clothing: coats, hats, scarves and gloves for playtimes and the journey to and from school. It may also be advisable for children to wear their wellies/waterproof shoes when walking in and going outside.





The Christmas Post box is now outside the office.

Please ensure envelopes have name and class of child on to ensure safe delivery.



#### House Point Cups

Please return all house point cups as soon as possible. These will be awarded in the final week of term to the child in each year group who has earned the most house points this term. Many thanks.



#### Christmas Fayre

We will be holding our Christmas Fayre on Friday 8th December 5.00pm - 7.00pm.

There will be a wide range of gift stalls, tombolas, raffles, turkey rolls, mince pies and cakes; Santa will be giving out gifts in his grotto; our school choir will be singing and the children only room will be open for parent present buying. Every Troon child will be given a



free raffle ticket for a special raffle but they must be in the school hall at 6.30p.m when the raffle will be drawn to claim their prize! Raffle tickets for other amazing prizes are now on sale for £1.00 a strip.

We are collecting chocolate, filled jars, bottles, toiletries, raffle prizes and unwanted new gifts for stalls. Thank you for your support.

4th December—Nearly New Monday (any gifts to recycle, raffle prizes)

8th December—Cakes/ Mince pies for the cake stall (we have some amazing parent bakers)

#### Bag 2 School

On the 12th December we are taking part in Bag 2 School again. This is a way of raising funds for the school by bagging up any unwanted textiles in good condition and bringing them to school. (Your child will have brought home a bag today.) So if you're thinking about having a clear out before Christmas please save all unwanted items and help us raise some money for school funds! If you fill your bag and have more textiles to dispose of please use a black bin bag. NB: The following good quality items are needed: Men's, Ladies and Children's clothing, Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around), Handbags, Hats, Bags, Scarves and ties, Jewellery, Lingerie, Belts and Soft toys. Last time we raised £155 - our aim is to raise over £200 this

Please do not return bags until 12th December as we are unable to store them. NB: We are unable to accept bedding, household linen, towels, curtains, school uniforms or corporate clothing.

#### School Carol Concert - Year 1-6

This year we will be having a whole school concert on Wednesday 13th December at Troon Methodist Chapel starting at 6.30p.m. Each class will be performing as will our school choir We are hoping that all children in Y1-6 will be able to attend. (NB If you have a child in reception who attends choir they are also welcome to join us) Children need to arrive in full school uniform at the chapel between 6.15and 6.25p.m to take their places with their class. Please do not arrive any earlier than 6.15p.m. There will be no tickets for the performance however there will be a collection during the Service - donations will be for school funds. The performance will finish at approximately 7.30p.m.

#### School Choir visit to Illogan





A huge well done to our school choir who entertained a lovely group of senior citizens last Tuesday. Their singing was an absolute joy to hear and their manners were

absolutely amazing as always. The children then shared their books and had a good chat with their new found friends. Mrs Lamb, Miss Johns and Mrs Mills were very proud of you all.

Next week we will be visiting the Memory café and entertaining Alzheimer sufferers and their carers.





#### Special Christmas Lunch

On Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December (the day after the children's Xmas lunch) we will be providing a two course Xmas lunch for senior members of our community.

The lunch will be cooked by Mrs Moulton and our wonderful Chartwells kitchen staff and will be served by our brilliant Year 6 pupils. Guests can arrive from 1.30p.m and the meal will be served at 1.45p.m.



Our children/ choir will be providing some entertainment.

We are hoping to be able to provide this lunch free of charge and are requesting that parents donate £1.00 towards the cost. If every child in the school brought in £1.00 we would have £160.00 and would be able to provide a lunch for 60 older members of our village. If you would like to nominate an elderly resident to receive an invite please inform Mrs Mankee in the school office as soon as possible with their name and contact details.

#### Christmas Lunch - Wednesday 14th December

If your child would like a Christmas lunch it needs to be ordered by **Thursday 7th December**, please ensure money is in an envelope and has your child's name, class and "Christmas Lunch" on the front.

If your child requires the vegetarian option please indicate this on the front of the envelope. The cost of the lunch will be £2.30 and needs to be paid at the time of ordering

Please ask your child to give the envelope into their classroom - no money should be handed to the office.

If your child has a free school meal a lunch will automatically be ordered for them. You do not need to do anything unless your child does not require their free meal. Many thanks Mrs Moulton.



Farm Assured Roast Turkey
or
Vegetarian Yule Log
Traditional Sage & Onion Stuffing
Chipolata Sausage, Roast Gravy
Roast Potatoes

Fresh Farm Button Sprouts, Honey Roast Parsnips

Carrots & Peas



Festive Shortbread Biscuit with a Clementine

Christmas Sponge and Creamy Custard



Congratulations to Kira Yr6 & Lewis (Rec) who were the winner & runner up in the Coastline Christmas Card Competition.

Kira received a chocolate, a £30 voucher and a £100 voucher for Holly Class.

Lewis received chocolates and a £10 voucher.

Well done to all that entered we had some

great entries.



#### Summer festival

Thank you to those parents who have offered their support for this event which will take place on the 14th July 2018.

At the moment we still do not have enough volunteers to be marshalls on the day - if you are available on the day to help with marshalling the road closure or security on the school site then please get in touch with Mrs Lamb as soon as possible.

If we do not have any responses we will not be able to do our parade around the village on the day. Thank you for your support.





#### 21st November 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

As we are approaching the festive season we recognise that there is a lot for parents to remember so hope that this list of dates/information might be helpful!



Tuesday 28th November ~ Choir singing at Illogan (during school time)
Friday 1st December ~ Xmas Tree decorating service (See info below)
Wednesday 6th December ~ Choir singing at Memory Café (during school time)
Friday 8th December ~ Xmas fayre - 5.00- 7.00p.m. (Every child will be given a free raffle ticket for a special prize but must be in the hall to collect it at 6.30p.m on the day. There will also be our usual raffle with some amazing prizes - raffles will be sold next week)

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December ~ Choir and Messy Church attendees singing at Troon Xmas lights switch on at the Methodist Church at 5.30p.m straight after Messy Church

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December ~ Foundation Stage Xmas Performance - 10.30a.m Wednesday 13th December ~ Xmas Carol Concert 6.30pm - 7.30pm at Troon Methodist church (Please do not arrive any earlier than 6.15p.m)

Thursday 7th December ~ MAT Santa Fun Run (more details to follow)

Thursday 14th December ~ Christmas Lunch for the children

Friday 15th December ~ Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 15th December ~ Christmas Community Lunch

Tuesday 19th December ~ Lantern Parade 6.30pm (Year 5 have been invited to play in the Samba band – all other children are welcome to walk with our lantern in the parade. Children must be accompanied by an adult.)

Wednesday 20th December ~ Children Break up for Christmas at the normal time

Monday 8th January ~ Children return to school.

#### Decoration of our Christmas Tree

Please design and make a Christmas decoration for our school Christmas tree. It can be made from any materials as long as it is not too heavy or too big for the tree! (No bigger than 20 cm tall please) You need to make it so it can be hung from or attached to the tree in some way. You also need to name your decoration if you want it returned when the tree comes down. We will be decorating our tree on Friday 1st December at our Tree Decorating Service so make sure you bring in your decorations by then. Parents are welcome to come and join us for the service which begins at 9.15a.m in the school hall.







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2<sup>nd</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup> & 16th - 17th December

### FREE Christmas Festival

- Massive Charity Fundraising Grotto £5 per child
- Magical Laser Lights Tunnel
- Giant Snowglobe Selfies
- Christmas Market Shopping



LATE THURS SKOTTO OPENING THE SPM Thursday 7", 14" & 21" December

Talking Owl and Talking Postbox Giant Polar Bear

Stunning 6ft Nordman Christmas Trees



- CHRISTMAS TREES - GIFTS - DECORATIONS - CAFÉ - LIVE BANDS



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