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HEADTEACHER'S NOTES

Friday 11th January 2019

Dear Parents/Carers

I would like to wish a Happy New Year to all our children, parents and Governors of our school. I hope you all had a fantastic Christmas and a great New Year.

We truly value all the support from our amazing PTA. Their next meeting is on **Wednesday 16th January at 3.15pm**. I'd like to encourage as many parents as possible to pop along. It's a great way of meeting other parents and being part of Team SJB. Children can attend our afterschool club during the meeting.

Free School Meals- IMPORTANT: If you think your child may be entitled to receive free school meals, please apply at <http://www.cumbria.gov.uk/childrenservices/schoolsandlearning/freeschoolmeals.asp>

It takes just a few minutes but is extremely important as school gets extra funding to benefit YOUR child. Please speak to Miss Robinson (SENCO), Mrs Harris (Family Worker) or Mrs Jordan (Office Manager) in confidence if you require any further information.

Best wishes,
Miss Helen Pemberton
Headteacher

WHAT'S ON AT SJB?

Monday 14 th January	3.15-4.15 Keysteps 123 gymnastics (Mrs Parker)
Tuesday 15 th January	3.15-4.00 Choir KSI (Miss Sadler)
Wednesday 16 th January	3.15-4.00 Choir KS2 (Miss Sadler) 3.15-4.15 Cricket Club (Mr Maher)
Thursday 17 th January	3.15-4.00 Chatter books (Mrs Fletcher)
Friday 18 th January	3.15-4.15 Multi-sports (Mr Maher) 3.15-4.30 Music Festival (Mrs Fletcher)

Snippets

PTA 100 Club 2019 - If you would like to join the club, the deadline is Friday 18th January. Application forms are available from the entrance hall in school.

Water Bottles

Every child is encouraged to bring a water bottle into school. Water bottles may be purchased at the school office £2.50. Children may drink their water (no juice please) at any time except during assembly and are encouraged to drink more after exercise.

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Dates for Diaries – Spring Term

Mon 14 th Jan	Yr3 & Yr4 Swimming 3.15-4.15 Keysteps I23 gymnastics	Thurs 31 st Jan	3.15-4.00 Chatterbooks Year 5 Robinwood Residential
Tues 15 th Jan	3.15-4.00 Choir KSI	Fri 1 st Feb	3.15 – 4.15 Yr5 and Yr6 Multi Sports 3.15 – 4.30 Music Festival Year 5 Robinwood Residential
Weds 16 th Jan	3.15-4.00 Choir KS2 3.15-4.15 Cricket 3.15-4.15 PTA Meeting	Mon 4 th Feb	Yr3 & Yr4 Swimming 3.15-4.15 Keysteps I23 gymnastics
Thurs 17 th Jan	3.15-4.00 Chatterbooks	Wed 6 th Feb	Yr2 & Yr5 Dance Platform (pm)
Fri 18 th Jan	3.15 – 4.15 Yr5 and Yr6 Multi Sports 3.15 – 4.30 Music Festival	Thurs 7 th Feb	3.15-4.00 Chatterbooks
Mon 21 st Jan	Yr3 & Yr4 Swimming 3.15-4.15 Keysteps I23 gymnastics	Fri 8 th Feb	Yr5 and Yr6 Multi Sports 3.15pm-4.15pm
Tues 22 nd Jan	3.15-4.00 Choir KSI	Mon 11 th Feb	Cyclewise all week Yr5 Yr3 & Yr4 Swimming
Weds 23 rd Jan	Yr2 & Yr5 Dance Platform (pm) 3.15-4.00 Choir KS2 3.15-4.15 Cricket	Tue 12 th Feb	Key steps gym UVHS 1-3pm 9am KS2 Celebration assembly
Thurs 24 th Jan	Indoor cricket at Furness College (Mr Maher) 3.15-4.00 Chatterbooks	Wed 13 th Feb	Yr2 & Yr5 Dance Platform 1-2.30pm
Fri 25 th Jan	3.15 – 4.15 Yr5 and Yr6 Multi Sports 3.15 – 4.30 Music Festival PTA 100 Club draw	Thurs 14 th Feb	3.15-4.00 Chatterbooks
Mon 28 th Jan	Yr3 & Yr4 Swimming 3.15-4.15 Keysteps I23 gymnastics	Fri 15 th Feb	9am KSI Celebration assembly (PTA 100 Club Draw) Yr5 & Yr6 Football tournament at Ulverston leisure centre 12-2.30 3.15-4.15 Yr5 and Yr6 Multi Sports
Tues 29 th Jan	3.15-4.00 Choir KSI	Mon 18 th - Fri 22 nd Feb	Half Term
Weds 30 th Jan	Yr2 & Yr 5 Dance Platform rehearsal (pm) 3.15-4.00 Choir KS2 3.15-4.15 Cricket Year 5 Robinwood Residential	MORE DATES TO FOLLOW SOON	

MEET OUR GOVERNOR OF THE WEEK



Mr Mark Wilson (Local Authority Governor)

My first connections with SJB were as a Teacher Rep in the 70's when it was a very different school indeed. Now I am pleased to help serve the School as a Governor. My working life moved on from schools to a role as a Senior Carer and now to be an elected member for the area. My Governor role is as a member of the Evaluation and Curriculum Committee and as an "Adopted Governor" by Year 6 to whom I wish to commit my full support.