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SIR JOHN BARROW SCHOOL

WEEKLY SNIPPETS

HEADTEACHER'S NOTES

Friday 23rd November 2018

Dear Parent/Carers,

We are entering the festive season here at SJB. Children are beginning to rehearse Christmas performances and we are preparing for festive events.

The PTA, once again, are organising our Christmas Fayre. We are very grateful to them and hope you can join us on Friday 7th December, 3.15pm-5.00pm. If you are able to volunteer your help I know the PTA team are in need of further practical help on the day.

The choir have been particularly busy. They will be performing at the Christmas Brolly parade next Friday and will be performing at the Dickensian Festival this Sunday at 11.55am, Theatre Street.

Izzie Roberts, our PCSO, spoke to the children about Road Safety recently as part of Road Safety week. We want these messages to make a difference in practice as the safety of your children is paramount to us. **Please** talk to your children about crossing safely, riding scooters and bikes safely and generally being aware. In **addition please be a considerate and safe driver.** Please drive slowly and try to follow the voluntary one way system at the beginning and end of the school day. Please do not park on the zig zag lines, there is a reason they are there. Please do not drop your children off by stopping in the middle of the road, however tempting to save time. It only takes one careless act for a serious accident to happen.

The children are invited to take part in our annual road safety competition. Entries should be on an A4 sheet of paper and posted in the box in the office by Monday 3rd December 2018.

Miss Helen Pemberton
Headteacher

WHAT'S ON AT SJB?

Monday 26th November	Hockey Club has finished
Tuesday 27 th November	Football Club has finished 3.15pm – 4.15pm, Yrs 3,4,5,6 Drama Club (Mrs Fletcher)
Wednesday 28th November	3.15pm – 4.30pm, KS2 Cricket (Mr Maher) 3.15pm – 4.00pm, KS2 Choir (Miss Sadler)
Thursday 29 th November	3.15pm – 4.15pm, KS2 Drumming Club (Miss Sadler) Chatterbooks 3.15pm-4.00pm (Mrs Fletcher)
Friday 30 th November	3.15pm – 4.30pm, KS2 Multi-Sports (Mr Maher)

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PTA Non-Uniform Day – Friday 30th November.

Donations of items towards our Christmas Fayre welcome.

Nursery: Chocolate items

Reception: Good quality toys/pocket money prizes

Year 1: Biscuits

Year 2: Bottled items

Year 3: Bottled items

Year 4: Household items eg. cleaning products

Year 5: Men's/Women's toiletries

Year 6: Bottled items

Thank you, PTA

The Governors are hosting a Coffee and Chat on Friday 30th November, 8.45am to 9.45am. All welcome.

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DATES FOR DIARIES – AUTUMN TERM

Monday 29 October	Swimming Years 3 & 4	Wednesday 14 November	Matilda Group 2, Year 3 & 5
Tuesday 30 October	Olympian Visit – Louise Renwicks	Friday 16 November	Children in Need Non Uniform Day
Thursday 1 November	SJB Open Afternoon for new Reception/Nursery	Monday 19 November	Swimming Years 3 & 4
Friday 2 November	Police Commissioners Visit to SJB	Monday 19 to Friday 23 November	Road Safety Week
Friday 2 November	PTA Fundraising Disco	Monday 26 November	Swimming Years 3 & 4 (last one)
Monday 5 November	Swimming Years 3 & 4	Friday 30 November	8.45am – 9.45am Governors Coffee and Chat PTA Non Uniform Day PTA 100 Club Draw
Monday 5 November	Year 5 Brantwood Visit	Friday 7 December	PTA Christmas Fayre, 3.15pm – 5pm
Tuesday 6 November	R to Year 5 NHS Nasal Flu Programme	Tuesday 11 December	KS2 Celebration Assembly, 9am
Monday 12 November	Swimming Years 3 & 4	Wednesday 12 December	KS2 Christmas Performance, Ulverston Parish Church, 6pm
Monday 12 to Friday 16 November	Anti Bullying Week	Friday 14 December	KS1 Celebration Assembly, 9am Christmas Jumper Day
Tuesday 13 November	Shoe Box Appeal – Collection Day	Tuesday 18 December	EYFS, KS1 Christmas Performance, Methodist Church, 2pm and 5.30pm
Tuesday 13 November	Reception - NHS Audiology Tests	Friday 21 December	Last Day of Term

Monday 7 January 2019

Children return to school