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NEWSLETTER DATE 11th December

NUTFIELD CHURCH (C OF E) PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Jesus Christ
Philippians 4 v7

Dear Parents and Carers,

Community Carols

Community Carols will be held on **Thursday 17th December**. If you would like to come along, please contact Mrs Abellan on smsabellan@hotmail.com who will then reply to you with details of where to meet and to give you more information on the event.

Disco – 11th December

Our PTFA are holding two special discos today.

Foundation and KS1 – 4.00pm - 5.30pm

KS2 – 5.45pm - 7.15pm

The disco costs just £3 on the door which includes a packet of sweets. The children will also have the opportunity to buy glow sticks at 75p each, tattoos 50p and tuck shop sweets from 10p. Please make sure that you give your child some spending money!

Save the Children

All children can come in a **Christmas Jumper on Friday 18th December**. Please donate £1 (or more). It would be helpful if you could give your donations to your children to pass on to their class teachers, or leave in a named envelope and put in the letter box outside the office on the wall. Below, is a Christmas Jumper Day message from our organisers!

This year we are having a Christmas Jumper Day (to raise money for Save the Children). We feel strongly about the cause of our fundraising event. Around the country, many schools and work places are taking part. Last year Archie in Year 6 helped organise this event and the school raised a grand total of £143.50. This year thanks to our enthusiasm, we hope to smash that total!

From Ellie, Mille and Rachel (Year 6)

Offerings

Our offerings this week have been to support the work of the Renewed Hope Trust which supports the Winter Night Shelter in Redhill. Christ Church will be hosting again for six nights in January and February. The offering at the Christmas carol service will also be supporting this charity. For more information on the charity use the link provided <http://rhtes.org>

We're in the news!

Last week we were in the Surrey Mirror celebrating our recent School Improvement and the online version of the paper has a good article about our new kitchen (see link below).

<http://www.surreymirror.co.uk/Official-opening-new-kitchen-Nutfield-school/story-28071012-detail/story.html>

Universal Infant Free School Meals

Mrs Adams and her team are producing delicious healthy meals in our newly refurbished school kitchen. Our children in Years R, 1 and 2 have benefited from Universal Infant Free School Meals (UIFSM) since September 2014. There have been reports in the media that the Government have given consideration to stopping UIFSM as part of the strategy to reduce spending. There is an online petition calling the Government to continue with UIFSM (see link below). If you would like UIFSM to continue, please consider signing the petition.

<https://petition.parliament.uk/petitions/107913>

School Meals Spring Term 2016

For those children in KS2 school meals remain at £2.15 per day or £10.75 per weekly. If you pay weekly please ensure the school office receives the payment on a Monday morning. If you wish to pay to the February half term the total is £60.20. Cheques should be made payable to surrey county council. If you would like details of how to pay online, please contact the school office.

Is your child starting school in September 2016?

If your child was born between **1st September 2011 and 31st August 2012** you will need to apply for a school place by **15th January 2016**.

To apply on the internet, please go to www.surreycc.gov.uk/admissions.

Yours sincerely,

Imogen woods
Headteacher

DAIRY DATES

DATE	EVENT
Friday 11 th December	Year 2 – Spark Fish – Visit to Reigate Park Church for the Christmas Journey
Friday 11 th December	Parent Prayers in the Library (2.30pm – 3pm)
Friday 11 th December	PTFA Christmas Disco KS1 4.00 pm-5.30 pm KS2 (5.45 pm-7.15 pm)
Tuesday 15 th December	Christmas Service at Christ Church (9.30am)
Tuesday 15 th December	Christmas Lunch
Friday 18 th December	Christmas Jumper Day
Friday 18th December	END OF TERM (3.15pm finish)
Tuesday 5th January	INSET DAY
Wednesday 6th January	School Opens
Friday 8 th January	Adult Faith Team (2.00 - 3.30pm)
Monday 11 th January	Girls' Football Tournament, Oxted School Astro, 4.00pm
Tuesday 12 th January	PTFA Meeting at The Station Pub 7.30pm
Thursday 14 th January	Boys' Football Tournament, Oxted School Astro, 4.00pm
Friday 15 th January	Drama Workshop for Reception, Year 1 & Year 2
Tuesday 19 th January	Basketball Tournament Yrs 5 & 6 at Oxted School 4pm
Friday 22 nd January	Family Friday 2.15pm - 3pm - Years 1 & 2
Friday 29 th January	PTFA Quiz Night 7.30pm – 10.30pm (parents only)
Wednesday 3 rd February	Handball Festival Yrs 3 & 4 at Oxted School 4pm
Wednesday 10 th February	PTFA Cinema 3.15pm – 5.15pm (children Yrs R – 6)
Friday 12 th February	Year 3 Cake Sale & Second-hand Uniform Sale 3.15pm
Friday 12 th February	Break up for Half Term
Monday 22 nd February	School Opens
Friday 26 th February	Family Friday 2.15pm - 3pm - Years 3 & 4
Thursday 3 rd March	World Book Day (dress up as your favourite book character and donate £1 to Reading Rocks).
w/c Monday 14 th March	SPRING TERM CLUBS END
Wednesday 16 th March	Yr 5 Easter Experience – Reigate Park Church
Friday 18 th March	Year 4 Cake Sale & Second-hand Uniform Sale 3.15pm
Monday 21 st March	Parents Evening 1(3.30pm – 5.45pm)
Tuesday 22 nd March	Parents Evening 2 (3.30pm – 5.45pm)
Tuesday 22 nd March	Easter Service at Christ Church
Wednesday 23 rd March	Parents Evening 3 (3.30pm – 5.45pm)
Wednesday 23 rd March	Years 5 & 6 Samba Workshop (1.30pm – 3.05pm)
Thursday 24 th March	BREAK UP FOR EASTER
Monday 11 th April	INSET DAY
Tuesday 12 th April	School Opens
Friday 22 nd April	Year 5 Cake Sale & Second-hand Uniform Sale (3.15pm)
Monday 2 nd May	BANK HOLIDAY
9 th May – 11 th May	Year 4 residential trip to Beaulieu
Friday 20 th May	Year 6 Cake Sale & Second-hand Uniform Sale (3.15pm)
23 rd May – 27 th May	Year 6 residential trip to Barton Hall
Friday 27 th May	Break up for Half Term
Monday 6 th June	School Opens

15 th - 17 th June	Year 5 residential trip to Hindleap Warren
Friday 24 th June	Year R Cake Sale & Second-hand Uniform Sale (3.15pm)
Friday 24 th June	Family Friday 2.15pm - 3pm - Years 5 & 6
Saturday 25 th June	PTFA Summer Fair (12noon - 3pm)
Thursday 7 th July	SPORTS DAY (SAINSBURY'S ACTIVE MARK DAY) 1.00 – 3.15pm
11 th July – 15 th July	Expressive Arts Week
Monday 11 th July	Music Event Yrs 5 and 6 showcasing the samba drumming
Tuesday 12 th July	Dress Rehearsal for KS2 Production (1.30pm – 3pm)
Wednesday 13 th July	KS2 Production (6pm – 7.45pm)
Thursday 14 th July	KS2 Production (6pm – 7.45pm)
Friday 15 th July	Arts/Music Exhibition
Tuesday 19 th July	Year 6 Leaver's Service at Christ Church (9.30am)
Thursday 21 st July	Reserve Sports Day (1.00 – 3.15pm)
Friday 22 nd July	BREAK UP FOR SUMMER (3.15pm)