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St John's Community Primary School and Nursery



Weekly Newsletter 24th November 2023

Dear Parents,

On Saturday 2nd December we will be holding our annual Winter Wonderland at St John's school. This year in advance the children have all produced a portrait in a different style which will be displayed in our 'gallery' and may be purchased for a small amount on the day. (stuck for a gift from Grandma, Grandad, Auntie or Uncle- this would be perfect!)

We are also incredibly lucky to have been gifted a framed limited edition print and book by local artist Kieron Williamson with a retail value of £450. You can find more information about Kieron and his beautiful work at <https://kieronwilliamson.com>

A massive thank you to The Gallery Holt and to Kieron for this incredibly generous donation.

This gift will be displayed at Winter Wonderland and raffled off over the weekend so please ensure you also buy raffle tickets to be in with a chance of winning this beautiful print.

At the event we will also have Santa, hot and cold food for sale and drinks, craft stalls with things made by the children and our beautiful trees will be for sale all weekend.

We hope you are able to attend and bring the family to support this wonderful event and to get Christmas started in style!

Best wishes

Mrs Quinn

Dates for your Diary

November

30th—9am—Dyslexia Outreach
Coffee Morning

December

2nd—Winter Wonderland
12th /13th—EYFS & KS1 Production
14th—N & R Christmas Party
15th—1 & 2 Christmas Party
18th—3 & 4 Christmas Party
19th— 5 & 6 Christmas Party
20th—Christmas Jumper Day
20th—Last day of Term

January

4th—Children return to school
5th—Rec—Year 6 Pantomime at the
Theatre Royal, Norwich

February

5th—8th—Year 5 Bikeability
19th—23rd—Half Term
27th—Rec-Year 6 Class Group Photos

March

27th—Last day of Term

April

15th—Children return to school

May

6th—Bank Holiday
13th—SATs Week
13th—12.30pm -Nursery Group Photo
27th—31st Half Term

June

3rd—Children return to school
4th & 6th—Parents Evening
17th-21st —Year 6 Residential to
Hautbois Activity Centre

Swimming

Year 5 No swimming on Monday 27th November.

The heating pump is broken at the swimming pool. Broadland High are hoping it will be mended ready for next week.



SJSA

Thank you all so much for the many kind donations for the SJSA Shopping Event. Both days were a great success! The children and helpers all seemed to have a great time. Now all you have to do is wait until Christmas morning to find out what special gift you might receive...if YOU have been good!

Christmas tree selling is starting this weekend Saturday 25th & Sunday 26th November from 10am—2pm. Please come and support our school by buying your real tree from SJSA. We are still short of helpers, If you can spare an hour or two please come along and lend a hand. There may even be a bacon roll on the go if you are lucky!

Finally a big thank you to all those who have helped so far with SJSA seasonal events. Without you they could not happen.

House Points

Date	Bader	Cavell	Nelson	Sewell
03.11.23	267	198	173	237
10.11.23	193	196	177	248
17.11.23	134	83	118	157
24.11.23	96	92	97	118

Class Attendance

20th—24th November

Reception	74.63%
Year 1	86.85%
Year 2	93.04%
Year 3	88.34%
Year 4	93.43%
Year 5	89.01%
Year 6	97.14%

ST JOHN'S COMMUNITY PRIMARY & NURSERY SCHOOL

WINTER WONDERLAND

2ND DECEMBER 10AM TO 3PM



THE ST JOHN'S
ART GALLERY

PERSONAL MEET WITH
SANTA FROM 11AM



CHRISTMAS CRAFT
STALLS



CHRISTMAS TREES
FOR SALE



HOT FOOD & DRINKS, FACEPAINT & GLITTER BAR AND MORE!

WE WELCOME ALL CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES & FRIENDS TO THE ST JOHN'S
WINTER WONDERLAND ON SATURDAY 2ND DECEMBER,

NEW THIS YEAR IS THE ST JOHN'S ART GALLERY. EACH CHILD WILL HAVE THEIR MASTERPIECE ON
DISPLAY AND AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE ON THE DAY.

CHILDREN WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO MEET SANTA AND RECEIVE A GIFT FOR A SMALL CHARGE OF
£2.50 PAYABLE ON THE DAY,

ALL PROCEEDS TO SJSA
Charity No. 1044213



Parent /Carer Café

Dyslexia Focus

Would you like some ideas about how to help your child with reading and spelling from a specialist literacy and Dyslexia teacher?
Would you enjoy meeting other parents for a casual get together?
Then this **FREE** event is for you!

Date: Thursday 30th November 2023

Time: 9:00 am – 10:30 am

Place: St John's Primary: School hall

