

**Book Fair (starts 16<sup>th</sup> November) and Story Share (18<sup>th</sup> November)**

We will be welcoming our School Book Fair on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November with lots of good quality books for sale. Ideal for Christmas presents! As part of our enjoyment and celebration of reading we are planning a 'Bring and Share a Story' Family event in which children and a family member will be able to bring a favourite story into class to read to a small group of children. This will take place on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November. There will be a morning session from 9-9.30am and an afternoon session from 2.30-3.00pm.

**Key Stage 2 Great Exhibition:** This will take place in our School Hall on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> November. The Key Stage children and staff will be setting up a 'Great Exhibition', - just like the Victorians, to celebrate and show case the work they have completed during their topic on the Victorians. Parents, carers and family members are welcome to come and visit the exhibition between 9.15 and 11.15am.

**Christmas Performances:** The Christmas Performances will be held during the week beginning 12<sup>th</sup> December. Please look out for dates and times of the performances on next week's Thursday Note.

**VSA News:** The VSA have been busy organising their next set of fundraising dates:

- Mufti day for Christmas Raffle prizes - Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November. In exchange for wearing their own clothes children bring in a treat for the Christmas Hamper prizes eg chocolates, Christmas goodies, bottles of spirits, beer or wine etc.
- Christmas Family Bingo - Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December at 6pm

**Cake Sales:** Apollo Class made £49.65 in their cake sale, well done Apollo Class. It is the turn of Mars Class this Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November. Please support your child's class by either making some cakes or bringing in shop made ones. Many thanks. It is the turn of Galaxy Class on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November and Milky Way Class on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December.

**Christmas Lunch:** We are offering a delicious Christmas lunch on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December. There will be roast turkey, pigs in blankets, roast potatoes and vegetables with a Roast Vegetable Parcel as the vegetarian option and a snowman ice cream for pudding. If you would like your child to have this meal and please order it by **Monday 28<sup>th</sup> November**. The cost of the meal is £2.40 if you pay for school meals.

**Flu Immunisations:** The School Nurse will be administering children in Years 1, 2 & 3 with their flu immunisation on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> November.

**Casual Lunchtime Supervisors:** We are still looking to add to our bank of casual lunchtime supervisors. If you are interested, please come to the School Office.

**Dates for your Diary**

- Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November - Mars Class Cake Sale
- Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November- Family Event- Share a Story 9-9.30am or 2.30-3.00pm
- Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> November - KS2 Great Exhibition from 9.15 to 11.15am
- Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November - Book Fair starts
- Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November - Book Fair ends
- Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2017- INSET day (school closed for children)
- Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2017 - First day of Spring term