SCHOOL NEWS

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Just a reminder that our collection for the Mission Christmas Toy appeal will be taking place on Tuesday 8th December. If you wish to donate, please bring an unwrapped toy, suitable for 0-18 years, to the school entrance on the morning of the 8th.

Spring Term Clubs

Please find a list below of the clubs which will be available for booking for next term. All the clubs will run for the full term and we would like parents to commit to the full term booking. This is to make it easier for parents who need to arrange other childcare during the week. Please note that Lego club will be available for Year 4 children after the February half term on Wednesdays and the outdoor clubs we have run this term will recommence after February also. We will send out booking details for these nearer the time. A letter will be coming home very shortly with booking details and permission slips for the Spring term. We will send out a text when the online booking becomes live.

Day	Club	Led by	Year Groups	No of weeks	Cost
Monday	No Clubs				
Tuesday	Karate	P. Ferris	KS2	10	£40
Wednesday	Gymnastics	Life Leisure	KS1/2	10	£40
	Chess	Mr Jardine	Y5&6	10	No charge
Thursday 8.15am	Choir	Mrs Beddows	Y2,3,4,5,6	10	No charge
Thursday 3.15pm	Badminton	Life Leisure	Y3/4	10	£40
Friday	Street Dance	Dancing Days	KS2	9 (due to Frid	£36 Good ay)





Nativities



We have a busy fortnight ahead with all year groups putting on a performance. The PTA have very kindly offered to serve coffee and mince pies at the following times:

Thurs 10th RR/N 2pm After the show

Fri 11th RG/N 10am Before the show

Tues 15th Y1/2 2pm After the show

Y3/4 6pm Before the show

Wed 16th Y1/2 2pm After the show

Whilst there isn't a charge for this, we would appreciate a donation toward the refreshments and ticket to the show.

The PTA will also be selling raffle tickets for all the performances so bring some extra money if you would like to have a chance of winning either a pamper hamper, food hamper or children's hamper. The raffle will be drawn during the last week of term.



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Easy Fundraising!

Don't forget to sign up to the Easyfundraising website to help earn funds for the PTA whilst doing your Christmas shopping. I am amazed at the range of websites that are part of this initiative - it is their way of donating to charitable organisations such as the PTA.

It is very easy to use - once you have signed up, I suggest you agree to downloading the icon reminder as this will pop up onto your screen everytime you use a relevant website. It also appears on your google searches. One click will then raise the funds. The website gives information about how much has been raised so far. I am currently top of the leaderboard as a result of my Christmas shopping (!) and

would really like someone to knock me off the top spot!! Follow the link below to sign up:

http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/etchellsps

Christmas Fair Chocolate Hamper!!

Entry to the fair tonight will be £1 for a family. You will be given a programme containing a map of the stalls and other details There will be a raffle ticket attached to each programme which will be entered into the draw after the raffle for a chance to win a magnificent chocolate hamper. This was very kindly donated by our retiring chair of the PTA, Mel Pilkington. Many thanks to her for such a generous donation.

I look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at the fair tonight: 5 - 7pm.

Kind regards,

Cathy Beddows and the Etchells staff