** BUSHFIELD ROAD INFANTS**

**NEWSLETTER – DECEMBER 2019**

**TOY APPEAL**

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**MILK MONEY - TOTAL FOR HALF TERM = £7.56 or £1.35/week.**

Milk will commence on Wednesday 8th Jan 2020. Please make cheques for milk payable to North Lincolnshire Council. Just a reminder that milk money will only be accepted on the first morning of the school week or the first day back to school if your child has been absent.

**CHRISTMAS EVENTS**

All our Christmas Events can be found in our Latest News Section on our school website. [www.bushfieldinfants.co.uk](http://www.bushfieldinfants.co.uk).

**READING AND PHONICS SUPPORT**

Can we remind you that there is reading and phonics support for parents available to download from the Parents/Carers section of our website together with expectations for Year 1 and year 2. Please take a look.

**BIRTHDAY CAKES**

Please ensure when you bring in Birthday cakes for your child please can they be individual cakes or ready sliced.

**LOCAL – COMMUNTIY**

Please be respectful to home owners when parking around the school area by not parking across resident’s driveways.

Also please be aware that dogs are NOT allowed onto the school grounds under any circumstances.

PARENTAL/ADULT RESPONSIBILITY

Please would parents/adults be aware that it is their duty to supervise their children on the playground in the morning, before school is opened at 8.55am.

Please help by ensuring the children stay off the grass, the activity trail and garden areas and encourage them to play sensibly whilst waiting to come into school.

**PANTOMIME**

After Christmas we have a theatre company coming to the school on Thursday 16th January. They will be performing ‘Aladdin the pantomime’. The school is funding the performance. It is a great opportunity for the children to experience a live performance.

**CHRISTMAS CARD POST BOX**

The Christmas post box will be situated in school for Christmas card collection from Monday 2nd December. Please ensure that the children’s name and the class Teacher’s name is written on the front of the envelope. Thank you.

**Wishing you all a very merry Christmas and look forward to seeing you all in the New Year.**

 **Please see reverse for Diary dates.**

**Dates to remember**

Wednesday 4th December - 10.00am **Christingle Service at St Lawrences Church.**

Thursday 5th December - 2.30pm **Christmas Fair in the school hall.**

Monday 16th December - 1.15pm **Christmas Party. (Children still require their lunch.) More details to follow.**

Tuesday 17th December **Christmas Lunch. More info to follow for pack up children.**

**Thursday** **19th December – 3.15pm** **School closes.**

**CHRISTMAS CONCERT DATES**

Tuesday 10th December - 9.15am **Christmas concert for**

**Miss Sharp’s and Miss Buccieri’s parents.**

Wednesday 11th December - 1.45pm **Christmas concert for**

 **Miss Miller’s and Mrs Drayton’s parents.**

Thursday12th December-1.45pm **Christmas concert for Mrs Turnbull’s/Mrs Kostryca’s and**

 **Mrs Davie’s parents.**

**NOTE the concert is exactly the same on all three days –**

**Would parents please only attend 1 performance due to limited space.**

Please remember, that if you take photographs or videos of your child at the Xmas concerts, they must **NOT** be posted on social networking sites. Thank you.

**School opens at 8.55am Tuesday 7th January 2020.**

 **BUSHFIELD ROAD INFANTS NURSERY**

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**STAY & PLAY**

Thank you for coming to our stay and play sessions. We hope you enjoyed spending time in school. We are planning another session in the New Year.

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Tuesday 3rd December - 9.15am Christmas songs

Wednesday 4th December - 10.15am-12.45pm Santa Trip

Thursday 5th December - 2.30pm Christmas Fair

Tuesday 17th December - 9.15 – 11.15am Christmas party

Tuesday 17th December - 12.00pm Christmas dinner

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**MINI KICKS**

The children are really enjoying our mini kicks session and we will be continuing our sessions in January. If your child doesn’t attend Nursery on a Tuesday then you are welcome to bring them in for the first session. You will need to bring them to the main school entrance for 9.15am and wait for the session to finish at 9.45am.

**CLOTHING**

As the weather is getting colder, please make sure that your child has a suitable coat in school as we access our outdoor area every day. Hats and gloves are also welcome. Please make sure your child’s clothing is named, especially jumpers and cardigans.

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**DINNER MONEY REMINDER**

**Please note that all dinner money needs to be paid in advance.**

Full time children’s dinner money needs to be paid on Monday mornings. If you are paying for the term, please bring in the money on the first day your child is in Nursery. If parents chose to pay weekly, dinner money needs to be paid on the first day your child is in. If dinner money is not received on those days your child will need to bring in a packed lunch for the rest of the week. **Please make sure you put money in a securely sealed named money bag or envelope. Thank you.**

Dinner money for half term is from Tuesday 7th January 2020 – Friday 14th February 2020 which totals to 6 weeks.

**Days Cost Weeks Total**

1 £2.30 x 6 £13.80

2 £4.60 x 6 £27.60

3 £6.90 x 6 £41.40

4 £9.20 x 6 £55.20

5 £11.50 x 6 £69.00

Please make cheques payable to North Lincolnshire Council.

**NURSERY CLOSING AND OPEN TIMES**

Nursery will close at 3.00pm on Thursday 19th December 2019 and will open at 9.00am on Tuesday 7th January 2020.