



**CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAYS** this year will be on *Wednesday 13th December and Friday 15th December.*

Children are invited to wear normal school uniform but instead of a school jumper or cardigan, they can come dressed in their favourite Christmas jumper! This year we have decided to raise money for The Alzheimer's Society and are asking for donations of £1 which can be brought in on either day and given to the class teacher. This is not a compulsory event and those who don't want to wear a Christmas jumper should come to school in their normal school jumper or cardigan.



### Dates for your Diary



#### Wed 13th December

Pupil Christmas Lunch and party afternoon

Christmas Jumper Day

#### Thurs 14th December

Hampton College Christmas Concert 6pm

#### Fri 15th December

Christmas Jumper Day.

Donations in aid of Alzheimer's Society

#### Mon 18th December

End of Term

#### Thurs 4th January 2018

Start of spring term

#### Tues 9th January

Year 4 Parents Stibbington meeting 6.00pm - 7.00pm

#### Mon 12th—Fri 16th Feb

Half Term Week

#### Mon 19th February

Term starts

#### Tues 27th February

Class Photo Day

#### 28th Feb—1st March

Yr4 Stibbington residential Grp 1

#### 5th — 7th March

Yr4 Stibbington residential Grp 2

### Christmas Performances



Well done to all the children who have taken part in the performances so far. They really have been fantastic and thank you to the adults who have worked so hard to produce them. We still have the following to come:

**Mon 11th Dec — YEAR 3 - 9.15am/6.15pm**

**Tues 12th Dec — YEAR 4 - 9.15am/6.15pm**

As Swans are using the New Hall for the breakfast and after school club sessions, parents/carers will be asked to wait in the Old Hall (once you have dropped your children off). The Friends will be serving mulled wine and mince pies in return for a small donation (evening performances). Whilst in the Old Hall, you will be asked to sign in and will then be taken through to be seated in the New Hall as soon as it is available.

### 2017/18 Attendance

Figures From 5th Sept to 7th December 2017

Reception: 95.45%

Year One: 97.87%

Year Two: 97.42%

Year Three: 97.94%

Year Four: 97.92%

Year Five: 97.30%

Year Six: 97.04%

**Whole school attendance was: 97.30%**

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Look out for the Christmas post box which is now be available for children to post their cards in. Please remember to put the name and class on the envelope. Thank you!

**PARKING** - Please can we ask respectfully that parents/carers do not park across local resident's driveways or in private car parking bays. Also, please do not park in the Busy Bees Nursery Car Park as this is private property belonging to Busy Bees. Thank you for your cooperation with this matter.

## Midday Supervisor Vacancies

We have two vacancies for Midday Supervisor:

- 1) **Midday Supervisor - 1:1 support**
- 2) **Midday Supervisor**

For both vacancies - Hours are:

Monday to Friday 11.50am - 1.05 pm (term time only). Ideally 5 days but job share and flexible days would be considered for the right candidate.

The closing date for this post is 12.00pm on Thursday 4th January 2018 with interviews being held on Wednesday 10th January 2018.

The above post is subject to an enhanced DBS check and two appropriate references received prior to interview.

Application packs can be obtained from the school office 01733 296780 or email: office@hampton-hargate.peterborough.sch.uk or from the school website www.hampton-hargate.peterborough.sch.uk Please note that this school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.



## **The Friends of Hampton Hargate Primary School Christmas Fayre**

Thank you to everyone who came to the Christmas Fayre last Friday. I hope you will agree that it was a great event and lots of fun was had by all. A big thank you to all of the Friends, helpers and staff who organised and helped at the event. Thank you also to Miss Kinsey, Mrs Hayes and the school choir who kept us entertained and to the parents who donated for the cake stall.



**POWER DOWN!** We all enjoyed a really great Power Down day recently. It was a sea of Onesies, fluffy dressing gowns and pyjamas! The children all enjoyed their torchlight reading session in the afternoon. Thank you to everyone who entered the bling a bike/jacket competition –the winners will be announced shortly!!

**School Dinners** Please can you make sure that any outstanding money owed on dinner accounts is paid in full before the end of term. Thank you.

**2017/18 and 2018/19 Term Dates are available on our website.**

\*\*\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING CHANGES TO THE DINNER MENU \*\*\*\*\*

**Wednesday 13th December** - Christmas Dinner Day - pre order only

**Thursday 14th December**

Sausages and gravy or Quorn Sausages and gravy (v)

**OR** Filled Wrap

Creamed Potatoes, Garden peas, baby carrots

**Desserts:** Cheese and crackers, Fresh fruit, crispy cake

**Monday 18th December** - Same as current menu although apple crumble will be replaced with Chocolate brownie



## **In Fundraising News:**

Thank you to everyone who has donated to our recent fundraising events. With your help we have raised **£643.80** for Children in Need and **£155.70** for the Poppy Appeal. Thank you!



## **HEART FM SLEEPS TIL SANTA**

Heart FM came in to record the children singing 'Sleeps 'Til Santa' last week. It can be heard on Heart FM during the breakfast show on **Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> December** after 8.00am.

