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Weekly News

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Thank you so much to all the families who joined us at the Christmas Fair last Friday. It was a fantastic evening with lots of exciting stalls including cakes, cards, crafts, sweets and refreshments. The children seemed to thoroughly enjoy the kids-zone, where there was lots of activities for them to try such as craft making, face painting and games. I am sure you will all join me in thanking the Friends of Eastway for all their hard work and for raising money to support the school.



Christmas Dinner

You should all have received a letter earlier this week about the Christmas Dinner on Wednesday 13th December. Please can you ensure that you make any payments of £2.00 prior to this date.

Santa Sleigh

The Santa Sleigh was a great success again this year. It was so lovely to see so many of the families waving to Santa and such a memorable night. A huge thank you to the staff of Eastway for giving up their own time to support this valuable cause.

Christmas Performances

Just a reminder that F1 & F2's performances are on Tuesday 12th and Wednesday 13th at 9.15 am. We are sorry but we will have to limit the amount of grown-ups in the hall to ensure health and safety is adhered to so we will only be allowing 2 parents/carers per child. We ask that parents of **F1 come on Tuesday 12th** and parents of **F2 come on Wednesday 13th**. If any parents are unable to come on their allocated day please notify the office as there is some availability to swap. Unfortunately we are unable to provide crèche facilities during the performance.

Christmas Jumper Day

Don't forget Christmas Jumper day on Friday 15th December. Children and staff are welcome to take part if they would like to wear a Christmas jumper and make a donation to Save the Children.

Christmas Party Day

We would like to invite all children to join us for a Christmas Party on Wednesday 20th December. We would ask for a contribution for each child of £1.00 to go towards the party food. This is a non-uniform day for the children.

Parking

We have been having a growing number of complaints from local residents about dangerous and inconsiderate parking during school drop off and pick up times. So please could we ask that everyone is courteous to all our neighbours that surround the school when parking in the morning and afternoon. Thank you for your support.

Head Lice

Please could parents make every effort to treat head lice as there are children in school who have not been treated. We have received a number of complaints from unhappy parents who are spending a lot of money clearing their children, only to become reinfested when returning to school. If you need any support with this please contact the school office.

Mobile Phones in School



Please note that children are not permitted to have mobile phone on them at any time during the school day. If your child walks to school or will need to access a phone before or after school, we must be aware of this. Parents/ carers will need to sign a mobile phones in school agreement and children will need to hand them in to the school office every morning to be kept in the school safe until the end of the day.

Clubs

Please note that all clubs will finish next Friday 15th December. The new Spring Term clubs will start from Monday 15th January. We will send out a booking form next week.

Upcoming Dates

Tuesday 12 th December	9.15am	Christmas performance 1	Foundation 1 parents / carers
Tuesday 12 th December	6 pm	Christmas Carol Event	KS 2
Wednesday 13 th December	9.15am	Christmas performance 2	Foundation 2 parents / carers
Wednesday 13 th December	12pm	Christmas lunch	Foundation 2 - Year 6 pupils
Friday 15 th December	All Day	Christmas jumper day	All pupils who wish to take part
Tuesday 19 th December	9.15am	Christmas performance 1	Year 1 parents / carers
Wednesday 20 th December	9.15am	Christmas performance 2	Year 2 parents / carers
Wednesday 20 th December	All Day	Class Christmas Parties	All pupils
Thursday 21 st Decemeber	All Day	Bring your own toy to school	All pupils
Thursday 21 st December	3.15pm	School Closes for Christmas Holidays	
Monday 8 th January 2018		School Closed for pupil	INSET DAY
Tuesday 9 th January	8.50am	School Re-Opens for New Term	
Friday 12 th January		New Year School Disco	F1-Y2 3.30- 5 Y3-Y6 5.15- 6.30
Friday 16 th February	3.15pm	School Closes for Half Term	
Monday 26 th February	8.50am	School reopens after Half Term	
1 st March	All Day	World Book Day	All pupils who wish to take part
23 rd March	All Day	Sports Relief	All pupils who wish to take part
29 th March	9.15am	Easter Service	All pupils