

Headlines

We all returned after half-term to rather chilly weather, so we are asking that the children are dressed appropriately. They are looking very smart in their winter uniforms and Year 6, in particular, are very proud of their new Collingwood prefect ties. As the colder weather sets in, we do have the school hats and scarves available to buy and pick up from the office.

Regardless of the weather, all the pupils are certainly out and about. It was great to see 3A carrying some 'experimental archaeology' as part of their Stone Age topic as they dug for flints in the gardens and then chipped away at them to make their own flint tools! Today, we have 4A heading down to Battle Abbey as part of their '1066' History studies - they are fully equipped with their shields and ready for combat! Also 5A and 6A have been out today at the Saatchi Gallery for an art workshop. At Collingwood, we know that these memorable trips and 'hands on' activities really help to bring the learning alive for the children.

Next Friday, Years 1 to 6 will be walking down to the war memorial in Carshalton as part of our Remembrance commemorations. Do look at the newsletter piece for more details as parents are very welcome to join us. In the meantime, I would like to wish you all the best for the week ahead and I will see many of at the upcoming Parents Evenings.



Mr Leigh Hardie, Head

Celebration Assembly

Stars of the Week



Kindergarten	Alayna	Drama	Hannah & Anjola
Reception	Jeyshaan	DT	Frankie
Year 1	Macy	Music	Stewart
Year 2	Ilyas	MFL	Ryan
Year 3	Rafael	Swimming	Amelia L
Year 4	Hania	Art	James We
Year 5	Caeden	Sports	Harry B
Year 6	Ioannis	House	Nelson
5 Star Badge	Ioannis		
10 Star Badge	Talulla, Christian, Stewart, Arjunan, Sophie, Luca, Piper, Ethan, Annabelle, Jake, Ben, Harry H, Scarlett, Adam, Daisy		
Tree of Virtue Leaves:	Kushbu and Daisy		



Thought
of the
WEEK..

There is no LIFT to success.
You have to take the stairs



What do we mean by 'success'? Who can be successful?

In this saying, is the lift going up or down? How do we know?

Do we usually want to take a lift rather than stairs?

What is the advantage of taking the stairs even if it is not quicker or easier?



CHRISTMAS FAIR

The PTA are working very hard behind the scenes on the Christmas Fair (**Saturday 1st December**) and need your support to help make the event a success. As well as volunteering your time, they will be asking for your generous support with the following:

Friday 16th November – Chocolate donations: Boxes, bars, tins, individual novelty chocolate, etc

Friday 23rd November - Wrapped jars: Any size jar filled with something nice for the children to win (eg sweets, small toys, crayons), and then wrapped Christmas style so the contents are a surprise! **Christmas Crackers:** The children can make these using kitchen roll tubes, stuffed with tissue paper, sweets, toys, then wrapped with xmas paper, and tied at each end with colourful ribbon.

w/c Monday 26th November: Donations of good condition toys and DVDs.

Thursday 29th November - Bottles for Tombola: Children can bring in a bottle of alcohol and in return can wear mufti.

Friday 30th November - Home-made cakes: A very popular addition at the Fair, even more if they are Christmas-themed.

If you are able to help with the Fair – setting and tidying away or by running a stall – please get in touch with the PTA via the School Office.

Remembrance Day



Next Friday, 9th November, we will observe our own two minute silence to commemorate Remembrance Day. We believe that it is an important day in the British calendar and we teach the children the importance of remembering all those people who have fought in wars for this country's freedom. The children from Years 1 to 6 will walk to the Carshalton War Memorial on Honeywood Walk. We aim to be there for 11.00am when we will lay a wreath and give a short presentation before the silence. We would also like all the children to wear a poppy for the day. These can now be obtained at school with a donation to the Royal British Legion.

Any parents who would like to join us at the memorial are also very welcome. If you do not wish your child to take part in this event. please advise the School Office



BBC

Children in Need

Children in Need this year will be run by 6A. They will be organising differentiated activities for all children throughout the school including house grouped fun in the afternoon. Donations will be collected in the morning and children will be allowed to dress up - theme pending!

School Photographs

The proofs have been sent home with your child. Please place your order direct with Bentley Photographic online at www.bentleypics.com. They offer a free delivery service to the school for orders placed by **18th November**.

Winter Uniform

It is lovely to see our children looking so smart in their winter uniform. As the weather is turning colder, please ensure your child has their school coat with them, particularly on a Monday when KS1 and KS2 walk to and from Westcroft for swimming. We sell a school ski woolly hat and Collingwood scarves. Please note that gloves should be navy blue or black

SUTTON NIGHT WATCH

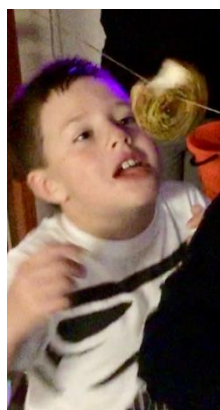
CHRISTMAS
SHOEBOX APPEAL

Don't forget to bring in your Sutton Nightwatch Christmas shoebox by **Friday 16th November**. Suggested are details at the back of the newsletter. We do hope you will be able to support this worthwhile charity.

This week at Collingwood



Y3 tried the ancient art of "flint knapping" – digging for flint using a deer antler then uncovering the flint using stones



Our Autumn Disco was a fantastic evening with great fun had by all!



Come along and join our exciting new breakfast club – Love Theatre Arts!



Puddle jumping!



Well done Kushbu & Daisy



Y4 ready for Battle!



Reception pumpkin decorating

Key dates

Tuesday 6 th November	Netball Tournament Parent Consultations – Reception, Year 1, 3 and 5
Wednesday 7th November	PTA Meeting 6.30pm
Thursday 8 th November	Open Morning 10.30-11.30am
Friday 9 th November	6A Assembly – Remembrance (NOTE 8.50am start) Walk to Carshalton War Memorial – 10.40am
Monday 12 th November	Parent Consultations – Kindergarten, Year 2, 4 & 6
Friday 16 th November	4A Assembly (NOTE 8.50am start) Children in Need PTA Chocolate Donations Sutton Night Watch Shoebox collection
Sunday 18th November	Deadline for ordering School photographs from Bentley Photographic
Monday 19 th November	Bag2School Collection
Friday 23 rd November	3A Assembly (NOTE 8.50am start) Sutton Music Service Choir Competition (time tbc) PTA wrapped jars & cracker donations
Thursday 29th November	PTA Bottle donations – Mufti day
Friday 30 th November	5A Assembly (NOTE 8.50am start) Choir to Sing at Lloyds TSB, Wallington 11am PTA cake donations
Saturday 1 st December	Christmas Fair
Thursday 6 th December	Christmas Production – Reception and KS1 2pm KS2 Drama Presentation 4pm
Friday 7 th December	DanceKids Assembly 8.50am Christmas Production – Reception and KS1 2pm KS2 Choir to sing at St Nicholas Centre 10.15-10.45am
Monday 10 th December	Last swim for Years 1 to 6
Wednesday 12 th December	Reception, 1A & 2A Trip to London Zoo
Thursday 13 th December	Carol Service 5.30pm

Red - denotes new date

Future term dates:**Spring Term 2019**

Tuesday 8th January to Friday 29th March 2019

Half Term: Monday 18th February to Friday 22nd February inclusive

Summer Term 2019

Wednesday 24th April to Tuesday 9th July 2019

Half Term: Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May



SUTTON NIGHT WATCH

CHRISTMAS SHOEBOX APPEAL

★ Help us make Christmas a little brighter for those who need it most
Fill a shoebox with useful items and small gifts for the homeless ★



1 FIND AN EMPTY SHOEBOX



2 WRAP IN CHRISTMAS PAPER

Please wrap the box and lid separately and label clearly whether for a man or woman



3 FILL IT WITH USEFUL GIFTS

Suggested items to include:

Hat, gloves, scarf, boxers
socks (thermal if poss),
shampoo, comb,
shower gel/body wash,
toothbrush, toothpaste,
deodorant, lip balm,
razors, tissues/wet wipes,
torch (pref wind up type)
note pad, pens, pencils,
chocolate, sweets, cereal bars,
Christmas card

4 DROP OFF YOUR SHOEBOX TO

Secombe Theatre - Gibson Road entrance between 7.30pm & 9pm
on either Monday, Wednesday or Friday

OR

Byrnes Pie Mash & Eel House, 5 Ross Parade, Wallington, SM6 8QG

PLEASE DROP OFF BY 1ST WEEK OF DECEMBER



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