



## Newsletter 5 Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> November

Hi all,  
Hope you all had a relaxing half term and are feeling excited about this terms activities. We are full steam ahead preparing for the Winter Festival and wanted to share the progress and some key dates with you all.

Beforehand a quick catch up;  
Film Night – a fantastic response yet again and the children loved it. As I am sure you know we experienced more technical issues but Mrs Fordham managed to keep the children entertained brilliantly whilst we sorted them. We are thrilled to tell you all that a new projector and screen has now been fitted in the hall. Obviously upgrades like this come with a price and this has only been made possible through the continuous fundraising and hard work over the years. This investment from FOM's really benefits everybody at the School immensely. Roll on the next film night!

### **Onto the Winter Festival ..... Key dates**

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> November** - Raffle tickets come home. Please ask family and friends to buy tickets. All unsold tickets to be returned to the office prior to the 21<sup>st</sup> November. The office will hold extra books, please ask if you require.

### **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November - Non-Uniform Day.**

An own clothes day in aid of donations to the adult tombola (Beer, wine and soft drinks donations please) and the chocolate tombola (donation of anything sweet please!)

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November** - All children will leave today with details of the FOM's Plastic Pot challenge and their pots to fill. For those new parents, this consists of filling their plastic pot with whatever they wish.

All pots are sold for £1 at the Winter Festival. This was a roaring success last year and all children embraced the idea. We hope to have the same response this year. Details of the challenge will be sent shortly by parent mail or with the pots.

### **Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> November - Winter Festival 2-5pm**

We hope to see you all there. Please spread the word as much as possible.

**Donations:** We would love, cuddly toys, nearly news toys and books. Wine, beer, choc & sweets for tombola.

**Cakes & Home-made Mince Pies:**  
More details to follow

**We would love to borrow:** Fairy Lights, Extension Leads, (please make sure everything is named)

**Helping Hands please:** We would still love additional helping hands with setting up, clearing up, and covering some stalls. If you are not yet involved and can offer some help, then please either speak to your class rep or drop me an email.

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### **Santa Grotto - Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December from 4 pm**

More information to follow shortly...

The FOM's page on the website is regularly updated, please keep checking for updates.

Thanks you for your continued support and we look forward to see you on the 21<sup>st</sup>.

Best Wishes, Katie, Sue and Lisa x