# ST. STEPHEN'S NEWS FRIDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023

# **WHOLE SCHOOL**

### **KITCHEN NEWS**

Please see attached our lunch menu for next week.

## SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

**The closing date for ordering photographs is today at MIDNIGHT.** If you have not done it yet, don't panic, you can still view by scanning the QR code on your Proof and following the instructions. If by chance you have not received your Proof or it has been lost you can call Vancols Parent Line on 01206 273711, for class photos you will need the school number - 5160. For individual photographs you will need the pupil's admission number from the school database.

### **BOOK FAIR**

Our Christmas Book Fair is taking place in our Library today, Monday 20<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November. You can either come through the back of the Library which is just past Lion Class or come through the School Office. It is an ideal opportunity to purchase some books for Christmas!

## PRE-LOVED WINTER CLOTHING EVENT CONTINUED – Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November

We still have a large number of items still available from our event today and will therefore be holding this event again on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November from 3.15pm.

### **CHRISTMAS FAIR**

As you may know our Christmas Fair is on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December.

We would like to ask for your support in sending donations for the Christmas Tombola, which is always a really popular stall at the fair.

**On Friday 1**<sup>st</sup> **December** children can come in non school uniform and if they wish they can wear their Christmas jumper. We would ask for donations of the following items if possible on that day

- Bottles and chocolates
- Recycled unwanted gifts that are still unopened/as new

• Smellies (unopened please)

Thank you for your support. All funds raised will benefit our children.

#### FOOTBALLS

Just a reminder that footballs should not be brought into school from home. We have a number of suitable footballs that the children can use.

#### SECOND HAND UNIFORM

We do have a supply of second-hand uniform in the School Office, jumpers, cardigans, trousers and skirts. Please come and see us if this is something we can help you with.

#### **EMAILS THIS WEEK**

Please see below a list of correspondence that has been sent home via ParentMail this week in case you missed it:-

New school website	All Classes
Lancaster Model Health Questionnaire	Year 6

# **YEAR GROUPS**

#### YEAR 4

Just a reminder that Year 4 will be having Forest School again on Monday. All children should come to school in old clothes suitable for wearing in Forest School and normal shoes (wellington boots should be brought in a separate bag to be worn when they go to Forest School). They should also bring in their school uniform in a bag should they get muddy and need to change, this includes a change of socks too!

#### YEAR 6

### **OCELOT CLASS**

Ocelot Class are looking forward to welcoming their parents to their class assembly on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November at 9.10am (the assembly will be no more than 20 minutes).

### TERM DATES

Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> November	Book Fair in the Library (3.15pm – 4.15pm)
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> November	Book Fair in the Library (3.15pm – 4.15pm)

Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> November	Pre-Loved Winter Clothing Event (3.15pm)
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> November	Book Fair in the Library (3.15pm – 4.15pm)
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> November	Ocelot Class (Mr Andrews) Assembly (9.10am)
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November	Year 6 trip to The Beaney (Ocelot and Falcon)
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 6 trip to The Beaney (Lemur and Dolphin)
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Dinner Day (details to follow)
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> December	Bring a Tombola Prize/Christmas Jumper Day
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Fayre 3.15pm
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	Whole School Marlowe Theatre Pantomime Trip
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	Lower School Christmas Production 2pm
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> December	Last day of Term 2
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> December – Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> January	Christmas Holidays
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> January 2024	First day of Term 3