

Dear Parents/Carers,

#### FOF CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Did you know that one of the prizes in the FOF Christmas raffle is an England rugby world cup shirt signed by the world cup squad? Tickets are £1. You have to be in it to win it.

# STAFFING UPDATE

Following a thorough interview process, the governors and I have appointed Amy Pearce as our new music specialist. Amy is an experienced primary school teacher and we look forward to her joining the Foxmoor team in January.

#### PUPIL PHOTOGRAPHS

Orders for photographs are being collected on Monday  $18^{th}$  November. Please ensure you return your completed forms by 9am on the  $18^{th}$ . Any orders after this date need to be made online.

#### FLU VACCINATIONS

Please ensure you have returned the flu vaccination permission form by Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> November. If your forms are not returned you will be contacted directly by the immunisation team.

#### FREE BOOKS FOR SCHOOL

The Sun newspaper is giving away free books to primary schools. We need to collect 3500 tokens before the deadline in January. Tokens will be printed in copies of The Sun and The Sun on Sunday between  $23^{rd}$  November 2019 and  $18^{th}$  January 2020. If you read either of these newspapers or know people that do then please send your tokens into school.

#### ARRIVAL AT SCHOOL

Please can you ensure that children are in school by 8.50am ready for registration at 8.55am.

#### **CLUBS**

Can I remind you that when children sign up to an after school or lunchtime club they are expected to either attend for the whole half or full term. Please ask your children to choose carefully when they are signing up for clubs.

#### LITTLE FOXES CAKE SALE

Little Foxes will be holding a cake sale on Friday  $22^{nd}$  November at 3pm on the top playground. If you would like to donate cakes these will be gratefully received at Little Foxes or the school office on Thursday  $21^{st}$  November or Friday  $22^{nd}$  November.

# KEEPING CHILDREN SAFE ONLINE

The Stroud Neighbourhood Policing Team are holding a free on-line safety event for parents on Saturday  $23^{rd}$  November at Stroud Subscription Rooms. Please see details below.

Richard Bridgewater Headteacher

#### **INFORMATION**

#### School and Governor Contact:

01453 757251

Facebook @foxmoorprimaryschool

#### Family Lives Helpline:

0808 800 2222

www.familylives.org

# Early Help Partnership Families First Plus Stroud:

01452 328130

www.glosfamiliesdirectory.org.uk

#### School Nurse Contact:

0300 421 8959

#### Early Years and Childcare:

0800 542 02 02

# Gloucestershire County Council:

www.gloucestershire.gov.uk

# Friends of Foxmoor (FOF)

Facebook @friendsoffoxmoorschool

Contact: Natalie Hombrado via the school office

#### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Please find below a list of current visits planned and some important dates. I hope you find it useful. Further dates will be added in subsequent newsletters.

| Autumn 2019               | Term 2  |
|---------------------------|---|
| 18 <sup>th</sup> November | Last swim for C5 and C8                         |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> November | Yr 3/4 and 5/6 Rugby Festival (times tbc)       |
| 29 <sup>th</sup> November | Non-uniform day for FOF tombola                 |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> December  | Christmas jumper day                            |
| 7 <sup>th</sup> December  | Christmas Bazaar 1.30pm-4.30pm                  |
| 9 <sup>th</sup> December  | Infant production dress rehearsal 1.30pm        |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> December | Infant production performance 1.30pm            |
| 11 <sup>th</sup> December | Infant production performance 6.00pm            |
| 11 <sup>th</sup> December | Flu vaccinations                                |
| 16 <sup>th</sup> December | Junior Christmas Concert at St Matthew's Church |
| 17 <sup>th</sup> December | Christmas party for classes 4, 5 and 6          |
| 18 <sup>th</sup> December | Christmas party for classes 1, 2 and 3          |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> December | Christmas party for classes 8, 9a and 9o        |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> December | Children break up                               |

| 20 <sup>th</sup> December | Inset Day  |
|---------------------------|--|
| Spring 2020               | Term 3   |
| 6 <sup>th</sup> January   | First day of Term 3  |
| 13 <sup>th</sup> January  | Swimming lessons for children in C6, Year 2 in C3 and C4               |
| 14 <sup>™</sup> February  | FOF Valentines Disco   |
| 14 <sup>th</sup> February | Last day of Term 3   |
| Spring 2020               | Term 4   |
| 24 <sup>th</sup> February | First day of Term 4  |
| 28 <sup>th</sup> March    | Foxmoor Park Run Takeover  |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> April     | FOF Easter Bingo   |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> April     | Last day of Term 4   |
| Summer 2020               | Term 5   |
| 20 <sup>th</sup> April    | First day of Term 5  |
| 8 <sup>th</sup> May       | May Day Bank Holiday (this has been moved by the government to Friday) |
| 11 <sup>th</sup> May      | KS2 SATs Week  |
| 17 <sup>th</sup> May      | Foxmoor Park Run Takeover  |
| 21st May                  | Last day of Term 5 for children  |
| 22 <sup>nd</sup> May      | Inset Day  |
| Summer 2020               | Term 6   |
| 1st June                  | First day of Term 6  |
| 6 <sup>th</sup> June      | FOF Summer Fair  |
| 8 <sup>th</sup> June      | Year 1 Phonics Screening Check Week                                    |
| 8 <sup>th</sup> June      | Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check - Open for three weeks              |
| 17 <sup>th</sup> July     | Last day of Term 6 for children  |
| 20 <sup>th</sup> July     | Inset Day  |

#### Stroud Neighbourhood Policing Team Host

# Keeping Young People Safe Online An Adult's Guide

# **Stroud Subscription Rooms**

Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 0900 – 1630

FREE information sessions about;

Sexting

**School-Beat** 

**Cyber Safety** 

The Effect of Online Pornography on Young People

Two FREE performances of;

# **Chelsea's Story**

A production by the Alter-Ego Theatre Company

Plus the chance to talk to various Partners & Support Services

For further information visit;



stroudnpt.eventbrite.com



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