FAIRLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL



Pound Avenue Stevenage Hertfordshire SG1 3IA

CHRISTMAS 2019 AT FAIRLANDS!

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There is a huge amount happening in the coming weeks over the Christmas period. Please find below all the relevant details:

Christmas Post Box

The Post Boxes will be out from <u>Monday 25th November</u> for children to post their cards. Please encourage your child to use the box rather than handing them out individually. It's always helpful to write the name **and** class of the person you are sending to!

Year 2 Christmas Journey

On <u>Monday 2nd & Tuesday 3rd December</u>, Year 2 will be walking to St Andrews & George's Church to experience a presentation about the Christmas Story.

Reception Christmas Performances
<u>Tuesday 3rd December 2.15pm</u>
<u>Wednesday 4th December 9.30am</u>

KS1 Christmas Performances
Year 1: Thursday 5th December 2.15pm & Friday 6th December 9.30am
Year 2: Tuesday 10th December 9.30am & 5pm

Key Stage 2 Carol Concerts
Tuesday 10th December: Year 3 at 11.00am, Year 4 at 2.15pm

Once again, we are invited to have intimate Carol Concerts for Key Stage 2 children at **Holy Trinity Church**, at the bottom of Pound Avenue. Space is very limited, so please get there early to guarantee a seat!

Pantomime Visit!

Wednesday 11th December: Years R; Years 3 & 4; Poplar, Spruce and Willow Thursday 12th December: Nursery; Years 1 & 2; Walnut, Whitebeam and Pine

The whole school are walking to the Gordon Craig Theatre to see Beauty and the Beast on these days – 'Oh yes they are!'

Christmas Present Room
Friday 13th December: Conkers PM, Year 1, 3, 4, 5 & 6
Monday 16th December: Acorns, Conkers AM, Reception & Year 2

Year 5/6 Carol Singing and Enterprise Fair Monday 16th December: 5.00pm - 6.00pm YEAR 5/6 PLAYGROUND

Children from Years 5 & 6 will come together in the Year 5/6 playground to sing Christmas Carols and perform their own Christmas Songs! All children must be accompanied by an adult. Do bring some money with you, as our Friends of Fairlands will be serving refreshments during this event. In addition, products that the children have created this term will be on sale, as well as games and activities for them to enjoy.

Enterprise Fair

Years 2, 3 and 4 Monday 16th December 2.30pm – 4.00pm UPPER HALL Nursery, Reception & Year 1 Tuesday 17th December from 2.30pm – 4.00pm LOWER HALL Parents/Carers are invited to collect their children from class at 2.30pm on these days and take them to the hall. Products that the children have created this term will be on sale, as well as games and activities for them to enjoy.

Nursery Christmas Activity Day Wednesday 18th December 9.30am & 1.30pm

Years 4, 5 & 6 Talent Show Wednesday 18th December 2.15pm

Each year group will hold auditions prior to this event. The top three acts from each year group will enter this Talent Show Final, performing their talent to a panel of judges and an audience of their peers.

Christmas Party Lunches/Christmas Jumper Day Wednesday 18th December: Years 3 to 6. Thursday 19th December: Nursery, Reception, Years 1 & 2

As usual, the school will hold Christmas Party Lunches on these days. There will be a traditional roast dinner, with a vegetarian option, crackers and music! Children are invited to wear their Christmas Jumpers on the day of their Christmas lunch.

Whole School Christmas Celebration Friday 20th December at 9.30am, 10.15am & 11.00am

Children across Nursery to Year 6 will come together to enjoy a festive celebration, with songs and performances from year groups and a Christmas Story around the tree, followed by our magical Christmas 'circle of light'. This is for children only, as we would not be able to fit any parents in, unfortunately!

Friday 20th December - End of Term

After all that, we will be having a big tidy up and ending school early at 2.15pm.

Please try to come along to as many events as you can. Thank you in advance for all your support.

May I take this opportunity to wish you all a **VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!**



Robert Staples HEADTEACHER