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Dear families of St. Peter's,

STAFFING

I am delighted to inform you that Mrs Green will continue to teach at St. Peter's throughout the rest of this academic year. Her role will change slightly as Miss Blakey will be returning from her maternity leave to teach Class 2 on Wednesday, Thursday and Fridays, from January. Mrs Green will spend 4 mornings per week teaching whole year groups or small groups in Classes 1, 2 and 3.

PARKING

I would like to thank the majority of our families for parking with consideration at the start and end of the school day. I appreciate that I go on about it but my sole aim is to keep the children safe.



If you park where you shouldn't, drive excessively fast or mount the pavement when parking your vehicle, you are acting inconsiderately and are likely to cause an accident. Please be mindful that it could be your child who is injured one day! Whilst we expect families to arrive at school on time, we do not expect this to be at the expense of other people's safety. Please leave sufficient time to get to school and avoid acting dangerously if you are unable to park where you would like to!



PLAY EQUIPMENT

Please do not think that the PTFA's fundraising events have been in vain: I am just trying to get several quotes for equipment that will best suit our needs. We have been quoted £10,000 for an embankment slide, which I'm sure you'll agree is an obscene amount of money. The children would like a slide more than anything else but I do think we need to consider the option of purchasing some sort of climbing equipment that incorporates a slide so that we get more for our money!

FILM NIGHT

Thank you so much to those of you who supported the PTFA's film night on Wednesday – it raised a whopping £220. Fantastic. Hopefully, the children enjoyed themselves too. Many thanks to the PTFA for organising the event.



NATIVITY PERFORMANCES 8th and 10th DECEMBER

- The performances will begin at 1:30 pm. We will open the school gate at 1:15 pm. Please enter the school through the door at the back of the school.
- Please let us know if someone in your party needs wheelchair access and somewhere accessible to sit.
- Please turn phones onto silent and leave the hall if an accompanying small person starts to make a din. This is out of respect for the performing children and the rest of the audience.
- Please ensure that any photographs that you may take are not uploaded onto any social media platform. If this happens, there will be an immediate ban on photography at school events.



PANTOMIME ON TUESDAY 9th December

- The coaches will leave school at 8 am prompt so please make sure that you bring your child(ren) to school before that time so that we can get everyone seated and belted up.
- Dress code: Christmas jumper / sparkly top / princess dress, with school uniform on lower half – unless you're wearing a princess dress! Please send a coat as we have to walk from the coach to the theatre.
- Packed lunch (nut-free please) and a drink. Please do not send fizzy-pop or any packaging that requires being opened with scissors – we won't have any.
- The show will start at 10:15 am and runs for 2 hours and 20 minutes, which includes an interval.
- We will be eating lunch at about 12:45 am and leaving Nottingham at approximately 1:30 pm. We should be back at school at approximately 2:30 pm. Please collect your children, where possible, at this time. School will close at 3:30 pm and there will be **NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB ON THAT DAY!**
- Nursery will be closed on Tuesday!



WEBSITE

We are having a new website which may go some way to explain why the current one isn't very up to date. Apologies for this. I am working hard to get the new one 'live' ASAP but my significant lack of IT skills mean that it's taking much longer than it ought to. It's because I'm old!

Dates for your diary:

Please find a list of upcoming dates that you may find useful. I suggest you stick inside a kitchen cupboard as it's quite large to go on the fridge.

If you have any questions about upcoming events, please do not hesitate to speak to myself or one of the class teachers.

Thank you in anticipation of your continued support.

Best wishes,



Yvonne Reeson
Head teacher

