

SANDWOOD NEWS



November/December 2023
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Dear Families

Our Primary 1 children are performing 'The Night before Christmas' on Wednesday 13th December for families of children in the houses Scots Pine and Rowan and Thursday 14th December for families of children in the houses Willow and Lime. We invite 2 adults per P1 child into our hall on these days at 1:45pm. Two tickets will be issued to each child in P1.

National Christmas Jumper Day is Thursday 7th December. Children may wear Christmas Jumpers, anything else festive, or their own clothes to school on this day. If you wish to donate anything to the charity running this event this year (Save the Children) there will be collection boxes available in your child's classroom.

I would like to thank our Dinner Ladies for looking after us all year round and in particular for providing us with a delicious Christmas Lunch, which we are all looking forward to on 7th December. Thanks also to our Janitor and cleaners for keeping our school 'spic and span' and our School Crossing Patrol Officers for keeping all the boys and girls safe when crossing the roads. Finally thank you to our teaching staff, support for learning workers, clerical staff and Caroline our Quarriers worker.

School will close at 2.30pm on Friday 22nd December and will re-open on Monday 8th January. I would like to take this opportunity in advance to wish you a very peaceful and enjoyable Christmas and hope that you all have a very Happy New Year.

As always, if you require any further information please don't hesitate to contact me. Keep up to date with school events on our app, website, Twitter page and Sandwood Parents' Facebook page.

Kind Regards
Fiona Donnelly
Headteacher



FUEL ZONE



On **Thursday 7th December** our Fuel Zone will be holding its Christmas Lunch for all staff and pupils. Pupils will be asked to order their lunch in advance to ensure everyone gets their choice. (Please show your child the menu so they are aware of the choices when asked by their teacher)

WINTER WEATHER

We aim to have pupils outdoors as often as possible. Please assist us with this by ensuring your child has appropriate clothing for our 'lovely' Scottish weather. We hold a small stock of clothes for when pupils require a change. Please return any clothes lent to pupils in order for us to maintain this stock.



CHRISTMAS FAYRE

We will hold our Christmas Fayre on Thursday 30th November at 3.15pm – 4.45pm. There will be the usual stalls of children's crafts, a Christmas Cafe, Santa's' Grotto and much more. Look out for the poster for more information! The cost is 50p for adults (children free)



PANTOMIME

On Thursday 23rd November the Hopscotch Theatre Company will perform the pantomime 'Cinderella' at our school. We are really looking forward to watching this.....
"Oh no we're not".... "Oh yes we are!"



- P1a:** Monday 18th December
- P1b:** Monday 18th December
- P2:** Thursday 7th December
- P2/3:** Thursday 7th December
- P3:** Monday 11th December
- P4:** Monday 11th December
- P4/5:** Tuesday 19th December
- P5:** Tuesday 19th December
- P6a:** Wednesday 20th December
- P6b:** Wednesday 20th December
- P7a:** Thursday 21st December
- P7b:** Thursday 21st December



HEAD LICE

Following a few outbreaks of Head Lice in school we recommend that you check your child's hair regularly and treat accordingly. See link for further information.
www.nhs.uk



PARENT COUNCIL

It's not too late if you wish to join our Parent Council just let us know. Contact either the school or the Parent Council email address if you wish further information or to offer your help.
sandwoodparents@hotmail.co.uk

Thursday 7th December



Mandarin & Pineapple Cocktail



*Roast Turkey with Gravy
Chipolata Sausage
Roast Potatoes*

Carrots



*Steak Pie
Roast Potatoes
Carrots*



*Quorn Fillet with Gravy (V)
Roast Potatoes
Carrots*



*Ice-cream Tub
Selection of Fruit*



Milk & Water

Halal

Mandarin & Pineapple Cocktail



*Halal Roast Turkey with Gravy
Roast Potatoes*

Carrots



*Halal Lamb Pie
Roast Potatoes
Carrots*



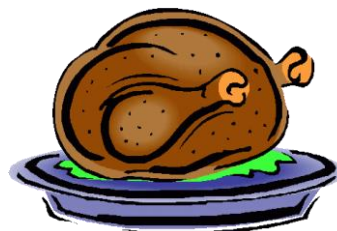
*Quorn Fillet with Gravy (V)
Roast Potatoes
Carrots*



*Ice-cream Tub
Selection of Fruit*



Milk & Water



Sandwood Stars



CONGRATULATIONS!



P1a :-

Rosie McGimpsey – started Rainbows.
Poppy Murdoch – learned how to do a handstand.
Esme McEwan – learned how to do a cartwheel handstand and crab.

P1b :-

Seren Watson – got a badge for looking after animals.
Julia Robinson – has started dancing classes.
Luca McConnell – has started a gymnastics club.
Brooke Clark – learned how to do the splits.

P2:-

Emma Sim – won a certificate at gymnastics.
Cooper Linton – received a certificate for scoring in the top corner at football.
Harlow Delaney – got a certificate at swimming.

P2/3:-

Khadijah Shezad - won 5 karate medals.

P3:

Isla Brennan – won a dancing trophy and can now do a backflip over someone's shoulder.
Mason Douglas – won a medal at Taekwondo.
Harry Docherty – won a medal at Taekwondo.
Owen Mullen – won a medal at Taekwondo.
Grace Henderson – won Ballroom Dancing medals.
Bethany Clark – moved up a level in gymnastics
Daryl Robertson – is now a new colour belt in karate.
Kacey Bruff – can now do a front flip.
Cora Barclay - has mastered a backwards roll.

P4:-

Noah Thomson – is now a yellow belt in karate.
Callum Warnock – is starting a basketball club.
Caleb O'Neill - is now a yellow belt in karate.
Harper McLelland – has learned how to do a back flip on a trampoline.
Harper Delaney - has learned how to do a front flip on a trampoline.
Max Piggott - has learned how to do a side flip.
Ethan MacKay - has learned how to do a hand spring.
Sophia Glatley - has learned how to do a front flip.
Ethan McLeod – learned a new karate move.
Ruby Frew – can now do an Aero (cartwheel with no hands).
Miss McKay – has new recipe for French Onion soup.

P4/5:-

Ayla Crompton – received a medal for participating in a Taekwondo competition.
James Gillespie – was Trainer of the Week at football.
Mathew Robinson – has been scouted for Partick Thistle F.C.
Mikey Gardiner – won an award at football for working hard.

P5:-

Olivia Gordon – came 15th in a Sumdog competition.
Catherine Zheng – came 22nd in a Sumdog competition.
Harris Knox – received a medal and an award for joining a football club.
Samuel Begg – won a football trophy on presentation night.
Mia Taylor – won a gymnastics trophy.
Alexander White – football team got their biggest lead in a match (7-2).

P6a:-

Mya McCreddie – won 2nd place at the Glasgow International dance Championships
Kayci Foster – performed a gymnastics routine in Edinburgh.
Harlie Neeson – is releasing a Christmas song.
Amelia McAlinden – is releasing a Christmas song.

P6b:-

Ana Sava – won 2 golds and 1 silver at a Taekwondo competition.
Lilly Cameron – won 1 silver at a Taekwondo competition. Lilly also made scrunchies, pins and bracelets and sold them at a church
Aryia Watson – performed at an acting festival.
Abdul Mansoor – has been practising boxing with dad and improving.
Oscar Given – joined Ralston Football Club.

P7a:-

Charlie O'Hara – joined St Mirren Football Academy.
Zoey Skelly – moved up 3 levels in cheer.

P7b:-

Ebony Binnie – received a silver medal for ballet.
Violet Begg – took part in a gymnastics competition.
Ava Gibson – took part in an artistic roller skating competition.

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