

FLSA Newsletter

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School
Association



It seems a long time ago that we were organising Christmas Activities for the children to enjoy, and also to raise funds for the FLSA at the same time.

The last week of last term was very busy with activities for the children, with them enjoying the Christmas Disco and Santa's Secret Shop. The weather at the time meant that the school and FLSA assistants had to change their plans at the last minute to fit everything in, but everyone was very accommodating and managed with minimal disruption to the activities. **THANK YOU** to everyone involved for making this possible.

The next year already has a great deal in the diary and we now start with the preparation work for the Annual Strawberry Fair. This is the main event of the fundraising calendar, and more details will follow after Easter. If anyone has any ideas for the Fair or wishes to help in any way, please see myself and I can start a list!

Thank you for your continued support. *Cassie*

Christmas Disco



The Christmas Disco was supported by most of the school children and they appeared to enjoy the evening.

Again the hot meals proved to be a success, as did the well stocked tuck shop!!

An excellent way to end the term for the children and raise more money to go into the fundraising kitty.



Santa's Secret Shop

My favourite event of the year is the Santa Secret Shop, (just for the sheer joy on the children's faces) and last years was no exception, The quality of gifts was once again of a high standard with plenty of choice and I hope you all enjoyed opening your special treats over the festive period.

Although this is not a major money fundraiser, it covers costs and most importantly allows the children to feel all grown up in saying thank you to those people that are important to them, **YOU**.

Easter Raffle

Once again, this year we shall be holding an Easter Raffle. A successful brainchild of the previous committees, this event has always proven to be popular.

On Thursday March 12th we shall be holding a non-uniform day and asking each child to bring in an item to contribute to the relevant hamper:

Nursery and Reception—Chocolate Delight (chocolate donations)

Year 1 and 2—Pampering Heaven (smellies and candles)

Year 3 and 4—Nibbles and Tipples (food and drink)

Easter hampers will then be produced when all items that have been donated.

Raffle tickets will be on sale from Monday 16th March, and need to be returned to the school office by Friday 27th March. The raffle will be drawn on Thursday 2nd April.

Date for your diary.....

The Strawberry Fair will be taking place on Friday June 19th from 3.15pm.

This year the children will be having a huge impact in the design and running of the fair. They will be the main event organisers before, during and after the event; enabling them to touch upon educational activities as well as gaining enthusiasm and pride in running the biggest fundraiser of the year.

Please keep the date free and support your children with this event; let them know of any ideas that you may have, and please help where possible. Thank you in advance.