



## Sandhills Community Primary School

Dear parents and families,

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2019

The whole school had a lovely treat on Monday morning when Year 4 sang to us as a final rehearsal before their performance at Christchurch Cathedral on Wednesday. The children gave a wonderful performance on Wednesday, along with all of the other schools taking part in the project, and made us all very proud!

### Anti-bullying week 2019

*As part of our activities for anti-bullying week 2019, your child will be bringing home a whole-school piece of homework today. Their teacher will have explained the task, but in a nutshell, we would like them to complete their chosen poster frame with ways of making/keeping school a happier place for everyone. They can write and/or draw their ideas. Also, throughout the week there will be assemblies and activities for the children to take part in, along this year's theme of 'be the small change that makes a big difference.'*

Mrs Nash

### Children in Need 2019

*Next Friday (15th Nov) is Children in Need day 2019. The children are invited to bring £1 and wear something yellow with their school uniform. This could be a different t-shirt, socks, tie, shoes, etc. They will also receive a free ticket into our Pudsey raffle. There will also be chances to buy additional tickets throughout the week to be in with a chance of winning 1 of 20 Pudsey headbands or our star prize, a Pudsey Bear. Tickets are 20p each and are available in class and at the office before and after school, from Monday. The children will also be joining their Buddy Groups to complete some fun, Pudsey related activities during the afternoon.*

*Thank you for your support with these events, Mrs Nash*

### Christmas Fayre

"The Christmas Fayre is fast approaching (Saturday 7th December) if you'd like to help organise this year's event, please come along to the PTA meeting on Monday 11th November at 7pm in the staff room. If you or anyone you know would like a stall at this year's fayre, please get in contact by emailing [sandhillsschoolpta@gmail.com](mailto:sandhillsschoolpta@gmail.com). Don't forget to like the PTA Facebook page to keep up to date with PTA events. Thank you for your continued support. PTA"

### Celebration Assemblies

Don't forget that you are invited to join us for a cup of tea in the foyer from 2.20pm before Celebration Assembly.

Date	Class
Friday 8th Nov	2S
Friday 15th Nov	1S
Friday 22nd Nov	1P
Friday 29th Nov	6H
Friday 6th Dec	5G
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> Dec	No Assembly

Are you a local business looking to promote your business & sell your goods?  
Do you hand craft items perfect for christmas gifts?  
Would you like a stall at our Christmas Fayre?  
**Saturday 7th December 2019**  
**2-5pm**  
**Sandhills Primary School**  
Email: [sandhillsschoolpta@gmail.com](mailto:sandhillsschoolpta@gmail.com)  
for more information

### PTA Information & future events

#### Halloween disco photos

Unfortunately, we had some problems with our camera at the Halloween disco. If you paid for a photo that your child didn't receive there will be an opportunity for them to have another at the Summer disco at no additional cost.

#### Risinghurst & Sandhills Fireworks - Saturday 9th November

The PTA will be selling sweets, candy floss and lucky dip at this year's fireworks.

#### Parents evening - School jumper swap

Bring along any good quality school jumper/cardigan and swap it for another free of charge.

#### Christmas Wreath Making - Friday 29th November at 7.30pm

Be sure to book your place for this amazingly fun event by Friday 22nd November. You can book a space via

PayPal sandhillsschoolpta@gmail.com or by leaving £15 in an envelope with your name on at reception.

Christmas Fayre - Saturday 7th December 2-5pm

Watch this space for more information. 🎄

Remember to follow us on Facebook - Sandhills Primary School PTA.

We'd love to hear from you - If you'd like to help at any of our events or have an idea for an event, please email us via sandhillsschoolpta@gmail.com

Have a lovely weekend.

**Yours sincerely,  
Mrs Emma Coleman  
Headteacher**

### Diary Dates

<b>Risinghurst and Sandhills Fireworks</b>			Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> November
<b>Anti-Bullying Week</b>			11 <sup>th</sup> to 15 <sup>th</sup> November
<b>Parents Evenings</b>		4.30pm – 7.00pm	Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> November
		3.15pm to 5.00pm	Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> November
<b>Children in Need</b>			Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> November
<b>Year 6 Junior Citizens</b>		am	Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> November
<b>Year 4 Metro bank</b>		am	Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> November
<b>PTA Wreath making</b>		7:30pm	Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> November
<b>PTA Christmas Fayre</b>		2pm	Saturday 7 <sup>th</sup> December
<b>EYFS and KS1 Xmas Lunch</b>			Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> December
<b>Year 5 Medieval Day</b>			Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> December
<b>Panto Trip</b>		am	Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December
<b>KS2 Xmas performance</b>		2pm	Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December
<b>KS2 Xmas Lunch</b>			Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December
<b>KS2 Xmas performance</b>		6pm	Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December
<b>School Closes</b>			Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> December
<b>Christmas Holiday</b>			Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> Dec to Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> January
<b>INSET School Closed</b>			Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January
<b>School Reopens</b>			Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> January