



## Newsletter 5 – 15<sup>th</sup> December 2017

Dear Parents & Carers

### Christmas Performances

The Christmas performances were very well attended this year. I was especially proud of all the children who took part. Thank you to all the parents who helped make costumes and rehearsed lines with children. We hope that the e-safety talk was helpful. Continuing the theme of **keeping our children safe** we have invited the NSPCC to come into school on the 8<sup>th</sup> January. You should have all received a letter via email yesterday.

### Choir Concert for the Women's Institute

The choir walked or should I say swam to and from Chipping Sodbury Town hall on Wednesday to give a concert for the WI. It was very well received and the WI (in true WI tradition) gave each child a hand crocheted snowflake decoration as well as a generous £50 donation towards the school's chosen charity Macmillan Cancer Support. A big thank you to all the parents who walked with us in the deluge.

### Christmas carol service

A big thank you to all the volunteers who helped us walk the children to the church today. Without your help and your singing it would not be possible. The collection raised £63.95. It is always a great way to end the term and it was especially nice to see Mrs Smith, our senior lunch-break supervisor, who has been absent from school due to illness.

### Christmas Parties and Christmas Jumper day Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December

Children should wear their Christmas jumpers to school on Monday. They don't have to wear school uniform with their jumper if they don't want to. We will be raising money for Save the Children, accordingly children should bring a donation. Christmas jumpers can be created just by attaching tinsel or similar to an ordinary jumper/ sweatshirt or tee-shirt, they do not have to be bought specially.

### Christmas Tree Festival in St Mary's

I hope that some of you had an opportunity to admire Broadway's Christmas tree on the right hand side of the church. The Christmas Tree Festival will be running over the Christmas holiday period and you are most welcome to visit the church.

### New members of staff

We are pleased to welcome two new members of staff to Broadway. Mrs Claire Williams is hanging up her Lunch break Supervisor tabard to join Mrs Fineman and Ms Wood in the office. She will be replacing Mrs Boskett who was working as an administrative assistant on Fridays. As you know Mrs Mundy will be going on maternity leave at the beginning of January. Mrs Howells will be seconded to the role of HLTA in Reception and as a result we have appointed Miss Hope Wilcox as a second TA.

Stay and Write w/b 8<sup>th</sup> January 2018

Both Year 1 and Year 2 are holding Stay and Write Sessions for parents to come into school and share writing lessons with their children. See dates below for details.

Year 1: Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> 1.45- 2.45 pm; Friday 12<sup>th</sup> 9.00-10.00 am.

Year 2: Monday 8<sup>th</sup> 1.45- 2.45 pm; Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> 9.00-10.00am.

It only remains for me to wish you and your families a very merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from all the staff at Broadway.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Juliet Lambert

## Working Together...

### Broadway Infant School - Diary Dates

Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Last day of Term 2
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas parties
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> January 2018	First day of Term 3
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> January 2018 1.45pm-2.45pm	Y2 Stay and Write
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> January 2018 1.45pm-2.45pm	Y1 Stay and Write
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> January 2018 9.00am-10.00am	Y2 Stay and Write
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> January 2018 9.00am-10.00am	Y1 Stay and Write
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> January 2018 – 5.30pm	Full Board of Governors Meeting
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> January 2018	Y1 trip to John Moore Museum (more information to follow)
Sunday 21 <sup>st</sup> January 10.00am to 4.00pm	Craft at Broadway
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> February 2018	Skip2Bfit workshop
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February 2018	Last day of Term 3
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February 2018	First day of Term 4
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup> February 10.00am to 4.00pm	Craft at Broadway
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> March	World Book Day
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> March 2.00pm-2.45pm	YR Stay and Play
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> March 2018	Mini Me Yoga workshops
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> March 2018 9.00am -9.45am	YR Stay and Play
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> March 2018	Parent evening
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> March 2018	Parent evening
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 2 – Science Day at University of West of England
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup> March 10.00am to 4.00pm	Craft at Broadway
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> March 2018	Last day of Term 4
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March 2018	INSET Day
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March 2018	INSET Day
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> April 2018	First day of Term 5
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> April 2018	Pro kick challenge
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> April	INSET Day
Sunday 22nd April 10.00am to 4.00pm	Craft at Broadway
Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> May 2018	SATS Testing Period commences
Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> May 10.00am to 4.00pm	Craft at Broadway

Broadway Infant School do not endorse any leaflets /information that is sent to parents & carers from other companies via our school.

Monday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2018 - 5.30pm  
Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018  
Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2018  
Monday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2018  
Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June 10.00am to 4.00pm  
Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 5.30pm  
Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> July 10.00am to 4.00pm  
Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Full Board of Governors Meeting  
Last day of Term 5  
First day of Term 6  
PHONICS Screening Checks (all week)  
Craft at Broadway  
Full Board of Governors Meeting  
Craft at Broadway  
Last day of Term 6