



# St John Bosco RC Primary School Weekly Newsletter

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## Dear Parents and Families

### Non Uniform Day – thank you!

Thank you to everyone for your £1 contributions for non uniform day – the Family Pressie Stall has a super variety of £1 gifts for children to buy their family Christmas gifts thanks to your generosity today! ☺

### CHRISTMAS FAIR

**The Christmas Fair...** will take place in St John Bosco (school and nursery) on **Sunday 27th November from 1-4pm!** All tickets include tea/coffee/biscuits.

**‘Fast-Track Entry’...** if tickets have been purchased in advance, this will allow you ‘fast-track entry’ rather than having to queue. If you have paid for your tickets today, but have not received your tickets home with your child, these will be waiting for you in the ‘Fast-Track Queue’.

**Pay on the door...** Don’t worry if you haven’t got your tickets yet, you can pay on the door this Sunday: baby or OAP = FREE ; adult = £2 ; child + santa visit = £3.

**Tea Room...** in response to parental feedback and to ensure the smooth running of our tea room, we will be issuing **coloured tea tokens** with allocated time slots. These will be given to everyone at the entrance on arrival. It would be helpful if you could adhere to your appointed time slot to avoid congestion in the tea room.

**Stalls...** Please refer to the ‘Christmas Fair Stalls Sheet’ issued last week. If you are manning a stall for the first slot (1-2.30pm), it would be greatly appreciated if you could arrive early to collect your float and familiarise yourself with your stall, costings etc. If we have accidentally missed your name off the list of stalls, and you are still available to help, please do come and speak to a member of staff / parent council and we will allocate you a stall – there are plenty of jobs to do! **As always, many thanks for your continued help and support - we look forward to seeing everyone on Sunday!**

*Parent Council Committee* 

### Wednesday 30 Nov 2016 – SCHOOL CLOSED – HOLIDAY

A reminder that school and nursery will be **closed** on **Wednesday 30 November 2016** for the **St Andrew’s Day Holiday**. We re-open at 8.45 / 9.00am on Thursday 01 December 2016.

### Primary 4 Sacrament of Reconciliation

A reminder about the **P4 Sacrament of Reconciliation** next week: please arrive at church by **6.20pm**; pupils should wear school uniform. **Our Lady of Lourdes’ Church:** Mon 28 Nov, 6.30-7.15pm; **St John Bosco’s Church:** Tues 29 Nov, 6.30-7.15pm.

## Primary 1-3 Christmas Theatre Trips

**P2 + P3** will have the opportunity to attend the Citizens' Theatre in Glasgow to see 'Hansel and Gretel' on **Wednesday 07 December 2016**; **P1** will have the opportunity to see 'Simon's Magical Christmas Socks' on **Friday 09 December 2016** (also at the Citizens' Theatre). PLEASE SEE ATTACHED PERMISSION SLIP.

## What's on w/c 28 November 2016? School Meals Week 3

DAY	TIME	WHAT'S ON? WHO'S IN / OUT?
<b>Sunday 27 Nov 2016</b>	<b>1-4pm</b>	<b>Christmas Fair</b>
<b>Monday 28 Nov 2016</b>	9am <b>6.30pm</b>	Mr Stone – brass teacher for P7 <b>P4 Sacrament of Reconciliation, OLOL Church</b>
<b>Tuesday 29 Nov 2016</b>	<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>P4 Sacrament of Reconciliation, SJB Church</b>
<b>Wednesday 30 Nov 2016</b>	<b>HOLIDAY</b>	<b>School and nursery <u>closed</u> for the St Andrew's Day Holiday</b>
<b>Thursday 01 Dec 2016</b>	9-10.30am <i>All day</i>	Mr McFarlane (recorder teacher) for P5-7 <i>Lunchtime supervisor interviews</i>
<b>Friday 02 Dec 2016</b>	9.30am  11.15am	First Friday Mass at SJB Church for P4-7 (please ensure pupils are appropriately dressed) P3-7 Assembly with Mrs MacKechnie

*I look forward to seeing many of our children and families at the Christmas Fair on Sunday. With best wishes for the weekend ahead,*

*K MacKechnie*

Head Teacher