

BEMERTON ST JOHN C.E.AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOL
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Wednesday 15th November 2017

Dear Parent / Guardian,

Children-in-Need

The school will not be collecting money for Children in Need on Friday. This is because the School Council chooses which charities the school will support as a whole for an academic year. Last year they chose Stars Appeal as the local charity and Cancer Research, focusing on Children with Cancer as their national charity.

Parking

Please keep the staff carpark entrance clear at all times. Recently, cars have been parked on the zigzag lines blocking the entrance. This is for emergency vehicles as well as staff getting into work.

Uniform

Please ensure you child has appropriate shoes that follow the school policy of black shoes and not trainers or boots. However, please provide trainers, which you are happy to get muddy, for your child for the PE sessions on the school field.



Christmas Dinner

This year Christmas Dinner will take place on 19th December. Please ensure you order your child's lunch (even if they receive a free lunch) on the flyer before 16th December. Just pop them into the black post box by the office.

New Governors

The school is delighted to announce the appointment of three new governors, they are:

Mrs Nicola Summerill
Mrs Sarah Burley
Mrs Lindsey Beldham

Foundation Governor
Foundation Governor
Parent Governor

Christmas Movie Night

Fancy late night shopping without the kids? FOB's are arranging a Movie night for Thursday 30th November, 5.30-7.45pm, priced at £4.00 per child. If paying online, ensure you pay against the correct choice of movie between Santa Claus or Home Alone. As Home Alone is a PG film, you will be asked for your consent.

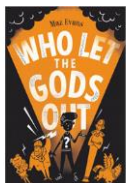
Dogs on Playground

Please note that all dogs/puppies, no matter how cute or small, are not allowed in the school grounds. Please keep them the other side of the fence.

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Maz Evans

The KS2 children had a visit from the author Maz Evans on Tuesday. It was a very enjoyable experience and we have received some very positive feedback from both parents and children.

Nut Free School

There seems to be some confusion amongst parents, therefore we wish to clarify our no nut policy. Please check your child's bars in their lunchboxes and do not put anything in that actually contains nuts or says "may contain peanuts". The process when your child has a bar that says "may contain peanuts" is that they are not allowed to open it but are given another desert option/piece of fruit. The parent will then be contacted to explain this. We are grateful to everyone for helping us keep all of our children safe. We do have pupils who have life threatening allergies to peanuts.

Choir at City Hall

Our Choir is participating in the Small School Carol Concert on 4th December at the City Hall. Parents of children taking part can come and pay for their ticket in the office.

Netball

Mrs Howell took a team of netballers to a tournament in Broadchalke School on Tuesday. The children played incredibly well and won two of their matches – congratulations.

Lunchtime Clubs

Next week, we are starting lunchtime clubs: Sports Skills on Tuesdays' Stretch and Relax on Wednesdays and Multiskills on Thursdays. If your child would like to participate in any of these clubs, they are allowed to wear the following if they choose:

Club	Clothing/Shoes
Multi Skills & Sports Skills	Trainers
Stretch & Relax	Tracksuit bottoms or leggings

These clubs are free to the children and they can choose whether to join in or enjoy another activity during lunchtime.

Yours sincerely
Mr Richards