

Milton St. John's CE Primary School

Newsletter

Monday 25 November

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NEW NEWSLETTER ITEMS

Christmas Fair

A polite reminder that School will close at 2.00pm this Thursday (28 Nov) to enable us to prepare for the Christmas Fair that will start at 4.30pm until 6.30pm.

(The Nursery session in the afternoon will remain open until 3.00pm for all children that attend on this day)

We are still welcoming any donations for the fair. We also welcome any donations from local businesses to use in our raffle! We are welcoming any of the following items...

Raffle prizes and Tombola prizes – have you any new, unwanted gifts?

Toys and Books – in good condition only please!

Handicrafts – Christmas gifts, garments etc.

Chocolate/bottle tombola prizes

Plus, on the morning of the Fair we will be collecting homemade cakes!

A big thank you to all of the children that have been busy decorating their cups for the fair. We are extending the deadline for the decorated cups as a number of children have told us they would still like to contribute. Therefore, the **deadline for the decorated cups is now 8.55am on the morning of the fair**, should any children wish to do this. They will then be judged on the day by the Arts Council.

We are also hoping that people will be able to donate any cakes and biscuits to sell on the day too. These can be brought into school on the morning of the fair also.

We hope to see you at the fair on Thursday!



Children In Need

We raised £225.69 for this great cause.
Thank you to all who donated.

After School Clubs

All after school clubs have finished now until after Christmas (**except for the Sports led clubs on Tuesdays and Fridays**). This will allow staff to prepare scenery and props etc for our Christmas performances.

PE lessons outside

Could parents please make sure that your child also has PE clothing that can be worn outside in their PE bags at all times, e.g tracksuit bottoms/tracksuit tops. The children will be doing their PE lessons outside in the fresh air if it is not raining to enable the children to rehearse for the Christmas shows in the hall.

PTA Fashion Show Friday 6 March 2020

Please save the date for the next Fashion Show at The Royal George, Greenfield! Back by popular demand! Tickets will go on sale in the New Year.

We **S**how respect. We are **H**onest. We **I**nclude others. We **N**ever give up. We seek **E**xcellence in all we do.

Donations of wool

If you have any oddments or balls of wool you could donate to Forest School we would be very grateful. Some of the children will be knitting snoods in the near future like this one:



UPDATED PREVIOUS NEWSLETTER ITEMS

Christmas Performances

Christmas Performances – Entry to the shows will be by ticket only

DATE	TIME	SHOW
Tuesday 10 December	9.30am	KS1 Show
Tuesday 10 December	1.30pm	KS2 Show
Wednesday 11 December	9.30am	EYFS Show
Wednesday 11 December	2.00pm	KS1 Show
Wednesday 11 December	3.30pm	KS2 Show
Thursday 12 December	9.30am	EYFS Show
Thursday 12 December	2.00pm	KS1 Show
Thursday 12 December	6.00pm	KS2 Show

Other Christmas Events at Milton St John's

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Monday 16 December	1.30pm	KS2 United Carol Service at St George's – Parents welcome
Tuesday 17 December	6.00pm	Christmas Musical Evening at Mossley Hollins (Mrs. Gerrard's class only)
Wednesday 18 December	Lunch time	Christmas Lunch (more details to follow)
Wednesday 18 December	9.15am	Yr. 1- 6 Christingle Assembly – Parents welcome
Thursday 19 December	9.15am	Church Service at St John's (Yr. 1-6) – Parents welcome

For information - EYFS: Nursery/Reception

KS1: Class 1 & 2

KS2: Class 3a/b, 4, 5 & 6

Diary Dates

Thursday 28 November

Christmas Fair

Friday 6 December

Class 3a and 3b Quarry Bank Mill Trip

Hartshead Inn

Secret Santa

Shhh don't tell the kids!

SANTA WILL BE VISITING
THE PUB ON SATURDAY
21ST DECEMBER BETWEEN
6 AND 8PM

 @HartsheadInn

**THE GREAT BRITISH
BAKE OFF**

APPLICATIONS ARE NOW OPEN!

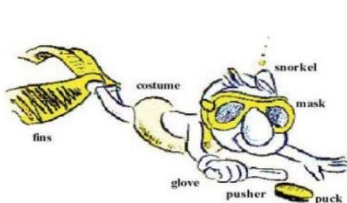
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APPLICATIONS CLOSE SUNDAY 5TH JANUARY 2020



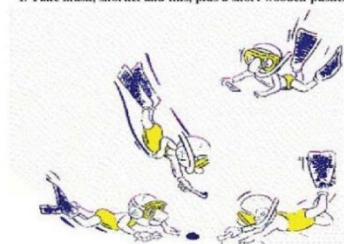
So what is **Underwater Hockey**
Think of hockey . . . then take it underwater!



1. Take mask, snorkel and fins, plus a short wooden pusher



2. Use the pusher to flick the puck to your teammates, and into your opponents' goal



3. The teamwork and strategy quickly follow ...



4. ... as do the gold medals!

So don't hang around!

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This month we remember those who have sacrificed so much for us. We pray for calm and peace to prevail over war and conflict.

