



P.T.A. Notice

Christmas Fair Fri 6th December 2019

Dates for Christmas Fair Donations / Dress Down Days

What to do?

Each year group is asked to organise a stall at the school's Christmas fair. They are asked to collect donations from school/purchase the items for their stall, set it up on the afternoon and arrange for the stall to be manned throughout the evening of the fair. Any monies will be repaid on delivery of receipts, please check with PTA before purchases are made, as some items may already be available. Also bear in mind, this money is for the children, so expenses should be kept as low as possible.

School Donation Stalls

On the run up to the Christmas Fair, dates are assigned as Donation Dates. This means that the whole school is asked if they are able to make a donation of a particular item to be used on a stall. All donations are taken into school on the morning of the donation date by the children. The responsible year group then collects the donations from each classroom by 9:10am, and stores the items until the fair on 6th December. In return for the donation the children are allowed to wear their own clothes for the day (Dress Down Day) on the day of donations.

What happens on the day of the Christmas Fair?

The year groups are asked to bring the items into school after 3.30pm on the 6th December, Christmas Fair Day and set up their stall ready for the start of the Christmas Fair. Each Year Group parents are asked to man their stall throughout the evening. Some choose to run a rota then everyone can enjoy the evening.

School Collections Dates / Dress Down Days

Items	Date	Year to Collect and Store
Bottle Stall (Anything in a bottle i.e., drinks, bubble bath, Tomato Sauce etc)	Fri 25th October	Year 1
Sweet Jars (A decorated jar containing wrapped sweets)	Fri 8th November	Reception
Tombola Donations (Any gift item, chocolate, food, bottles, good toys, games, cosmetics, etc)	Fri 15th November	Year 2
Hamper Donation (Wine, beer, sweets, chocolates, biscuits, jewellery, gift items, or anything to be found in a hamper)	Fri 22nd November	PTA
Selection Box (for Santa's grotto) (Standard children's selection box)	Fri 29th November	Year 6

Non Collection Date / Fair Stall Arrangement Only

Secret Santa	Year 3	Children's secret room where they can select a gift, wrap and take home for under the tree Christmas morning.
Craft Stall	Year 4	Create a craft stall of your choice with a Christmas theme, previous stalls have made Christmas cards, tree decorations etc.
Christmas Kitchen	Year 5	Serve Christmas delights such as Mulled Wine, Hot Chocolate with marshmallows, Mince pies, waffles.

If any further advice or help is needed, please contact the PTA at the next meeting (Thursday 13th November at 7pm in school), or come and see one of us in the playground or via the Newchurch PTA Facebook Page - we are always happy to help.

Many thanks for your continued support. It's greatly appreciated by your school and its teachers, but mainly your children, who get that additional equipment that the school budget doesn't stretch to, to aid their learning and develop their environment.