

# Hartford Primary School

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Dear Parents and Families

## PTA Update

### Year 6 Cake Sale – Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December

It's Year 6's turn to sell their delicious cakes and treats this week. Please send in homemade or shop-bought cakes etc (nut and kiwi fruit free please) with children in the morning. The cake sale will take place in the small hall after school and the Year 6 Celebration Assembly. All profits will be spent on Year 6 classes. Please come along to support if you can.

### Film Nights – KS2 on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December and KS1 on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December

Both nights are now sold out. KS2 parent helpers have been contacted and we will be in touch with parents required to help at the KS1 night soon. Thank you.

### Christmas Fair – Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December, 6.00 - 8.00pm

We still need volunteers to help on the stalls – please visit the office to put your name down for a half-hour slot or email [hartfordprimarypta@gmail.com](mailto:hartfordprimarypta@gmail.com). Thanks for your help.

### Special Raffle – Win a shirt signed by Sir Bobby Charlton!

Letters were sent home with children last week about an extra raffle we are having for the chance to win a framed England polo shirt signed by Sir Bobby Charlton. We will be displaying the shirt at the Year 6 cake sale and tickets, priced at £5 each, will be available for sale at the cake sale.

There will also be a number of other opportunities to purchase tickets:

- At the school front gate on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup>
- After the KS2 Film Night on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup>
- From the office.

Tickets will also be available to buy on the night of the fair before the lucky winner is drawn towards the end of the night. We have attached the letter for your reference.

## Christmas Cards

We are expecting to receive the Christmas cards from Arts Projects for Schools this week and they will therefore be sent home early next week at the latest.

## Year 5 Ukulele

Advance notice that our Year 5 children have been invited to play their ukuleles at a Carol Concert with Hartford High School to be held at St John's Church on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> December. Children will need to be at the church for 6.30 pm and the concert takes place between 7.00 – 8.00pm. Further details will be sent out later this week.

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## Beth Tweddle

Ten of our Year 5 children had the very exciting opportunity to meet Beth Tweddle yesterday whilst she was visiting Comberbach Primary School for a Sports Community Innovation event – thanks to Mr Cooper for inviting us. Beth spoke to the children about her life as a gymnast and the importance of sport to promote a healthy lifestyle.



## Pupil Parliament

The 3rd Pupil Parliament meeting took place last week. Mrs Cade and Mrs Bushell are really enjoying hearing our pupil voice and we are gradually building an action plan of things to improve and things to celebrate as a school. The children said they loved Golden Table and PE with Mr Cairns. They also felt the children and teachers at Hartford Primary School had good manners. Ideas for improvement were to arrange for Year 6 to go swimming, more PENS outside if possible and Lego and Pogo sticks for play times.

## Christmas dates and times

Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	Year 6 Celebration Assembly - 2.45pm
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> December	KS2 Film Night
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 5 Celebration Assembly – 9.15am
	Non uniform day – Christmas themed! Donations for the Christmas Fair
	Christmas Fair 6.00pm – 8.00pm
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	EY Stay and Play and Christmas Celebration 9.00 – 10.15am
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	KS1 Film Night
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	KS1 Christmas performance in school – 9.15am
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Dinner
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> December	KS1 Christmas performance in school – 9.15am
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 3 and 5 Christmas Celebration St Johns Church - afternoon
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	KS1 Christmas performance in school – 2.00pm
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 4 and 6 Christmas Celebration St John’s Church - afternoon
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	KS1 Party – Bring party clothes to change into - lunch provided
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> December	KS2 Party – Bring party clothes to change into - lunch provided
	Y5 Ukulele/Hartford High School concert at St John’s Church - 6.30 for 7.00-8.00pm
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> December	Break up for Christmas holiday
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> January 2017	Spring Term starts

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**Readers of the week**

EYJD Alfie S and Harry L	1SM Freddie B and Thomas R	2RB Georgia P and Lucas W	3AP Orlaith G and Kenzie A	4NS Tilly L-R and Gemma C	5MH Katharine G and Joseph R	6CL Charlotte M and Christian S
EYKR Gracie H and Rose J	1NC Sebastiao C and Cole S	2SG Carys D and Alyssa F-T	3LM Alana W and Matthew R	4HR Louis P and Freddie C	5SH Ben W and Taryn B	6MW 18.11.16 Freyja D and Sam D  25.11.16 Tilly L-R and Lee S

**Celebration Assembly**

This week it's the turn of Year 6 to host their Celebration Assembly. Miss Wheeler, Mrs Cade and I look forward to seeing you on Friday at 2.45pm in the school hall; please enter via the front door and school office. Many thanks.

Kind regards

Miss M Fairweather

Headteacher

*Respect, Aspiration, Responsibility and Pride*

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**AMENDMENTS TO SCHOOL RECORDS**

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Class \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Please amend details for my child as follows (e.g. phone number, address, contact details):

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