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Somerville Nursery and Somerville Primary Schools
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NEWSLETTER TO PARENTS 13th January 2017

DATES FOR THE DIARY

- **Tuesday 17th January:** Year 1 Pet day.
- **Wednesday 18th January:** Foundation 2 visit to Spaceport.
- **Wednesday 18th January:** Art day for Year 4 children.
- **Wednesday 18th January afternoon:** Parents Lego workshop in the school hall.
- **Thursday 19th January:** Chester Zoo talk for Year 2 children.
- **Thursday 19th January:** Science workshop day for Year 6.
- **From 23rd January:** Clubs start this week.
- **25th January:** Fundraising Bingo for Ellie Mai-Get your tickets now.
- **Parents' Evenings:** Week of 13th February. More information to follow.
- **Friday 17th February:** School closes for half term.
- **Monday 27th February:** Children return to school.

Happy New Year!

Happy New Year and welcome back to school! We trust that you all had a restful and peaceful Christmas Holiday and that you have all made and are keeping your New Year's resolutions. The year has started with the promise of wintry showers and some colder weather. Please be mindful of this over the coming weeks and ensure the children have their jumpers, coats, hats and gloves where possible. If the weather conditions worsened enough for the school to have to be fully or partially closed we would notify parents via text message, place a message on the school & Wirral website and we would also inform local radio stations. Please make sure if you have a smartphone or iPhone to download the school spider app. This will ensure that you receive notifications from school directly to your phone.

Lateness

Please remember to arrive at school on time. Lateness does not give your child the best start to the day. It also means that your child misses out on valuable information during the start of the lesson. Does the example of *being late for school, help your child arrive on time for work later in life?*

Be on time, be in school for 5 to 9!

***NEW YEAR, new resolution,
be in school on time!***

Reading is the key to learning.

Thank you to all those who were able to make the reading event on Tuesday evening, we had so many positive comments from parents and carers. It was lovely to share our books with so many of you. Keep on reading!

Please park with care!

Please remember to park with due care and attention when dropping children off in the morning. A number of parents and carers have mentioned cars stopping outside the gates to drop children off and one car mounting the pavement. We want all children to feel safe on their way to and from school. If you drive to school please be mindful of other road and pavement users. We have asked the local Police and Police Community Support Officers to support the school in putting our children's safety first.

BINGO Night fundraiser

Letters have been sent home tonight to promote our school fundraiser on **Wednesday 25th January** in aid of Ellie Mai.

Don't be disappointed, get your tickets now!