

# Somerville News

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**AIMING HIGH TOGETHER**

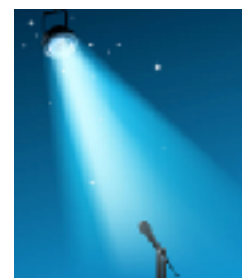


## RECEPTION NATIVITY

On Thursday our reception children started our Christmas programme of shows. The children have only been with us for a term and they put on the loveliest nativity for their grown ups. Thank you to all of the children who were so brave standing on the stage in front of a hall full of grown ups.

## AUDIO VISUAL

At Christmas we are always aware our school hall is very big space and it is sometimes difficult to hear your child speak if you are not sat near the front. It is also difficult, if you are not near the front to hear the beautiful singing from the choir. This week we have installed a new sound system with microphones for the children when acting and narrating and microphones that pick up the singing from the choir. We have also had installed a lighting system that will add atmosphere to all of our productions and events throughout the year. The system will be in use for our productions next week AND our BONKERS BINGO night! We are very conscious that we want to make these events as special and memorable as possible for our children and families.



## CHRISTMAS RAFFLE INFORMATION

Here at Somerville, we're getting in the festive spirit by hosting a magical Christmas raffle! Our busy elves have been making fantastic hampers and collecting vouchers! Chocolate, prosecco, gift sets, 'Bubbles World of Play' vouchers and much more could be won!

So how do you enter? All next week, we'll be selling raffle tickets in school for just £1 per ticket. Each child's name will be written on the back of their ticket to make extra sure no tickets go missing.

There will also be the chance to play 'Guess the Elf name'. It's just £1 to play and you could win a cuddly elf toy!

All of these activities will take place during the school day next week and raffle winners will be picked on Monday 16th December!

If you want to be in it to win it, you will need to send a pound or two to school with your child.

## GIRLS LIONESSE FOOTBALL COMPETITION

Congratulations to our Year 3,4 and 5 Girls Football team who won the first round of the Wirral Lionesses Competition this week on Tuesday. The support from our parents was strongly appreciated cheering the girls along too! We are looking forward to the next round.



## CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE...



- Year 1 - Nativity - Tuesday 10th December - 9.10am
- Year 2 - Christingle - Thursday 12th December - 2.10pm
- Year 3 - Hoity Toity Angel - Tuesday 17th December - 9.15am
- Year 4 - Carol Concert - Monday 16th - 9.10am
- Year 5 - Christingle - Thursday 19th December - 2.00pm
- Year 6 - Christingle - Thursday 19th December - 9.10am

Please be advised one ticket admits one person. Children are allowed two tickets per child. No more will be issued.



## CHRISTMAS EVENT NIGHT FOR THE CHILDREN

This year we will be holding a Christmas themed fund raising event. On Wednesday 18th December Reception, Y1, Y2 and Y3 will have a Christmas film night. For Years 4, 5 and 6 there will be a Christmas Bonkers Bingo night. Children will not be able to attend an event that is NOT for their year group.

These will be ticketed events for a small charge, payable by PARENT PAY. There will be a deadline for tickets. If you do not apply by the deadline for a ticket unfortunately your child will not be able to attend.

**DEADLINE FOR BUYING TICKETS IS MONDAY 9TH DECEMBER**

Please do not contact the school office after this date as they will not be able to allocate any more tickets.

## Whole school dates for the diary

**Monday 16th September** Clubs start and will finish the last week in November. **No clubs will run in December**

**Thursday 12th December** Christmas Jumper Day or own clothes

**Wednesday 18th December**  
Christmas Dinner Day and Christmas Movie Night  
- Christmas jumpers or own clothes

**Monday 23rd December - Friday 3rd January**  
School closed for Christmas holidays

**Tuesday 7th January** First day of term for pupils

## Reception dates for the diary

### Year 1 dates for the diary

**Friday 13th December**  
Trip to Greenacres Animal Farm

### Year 2 dates for the diary

### Year 3 dates for the diary

### Year 4 dates for the diary

### Year 5 dates for the diary

### Year 6 dates for the diary

**Monday 12th May - Thursday 15th May**  
SATs week