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Dear Parents and Carers

Be Bright, Be Seen

With the winter nights drawing in, our Junior Road Safety Officers (JRSOs) are working hard to spread the 'Be Bright, Be Seen' message. They have arranged for Amy from SusTrans (whom the children know as Dr. Bike) to come to school on Monday 19 November to deliver a special assembly about the importance of staying safe. They will run competitions through the week and on Friday 23 November, we ask that everyone comes to school dressed as brightly as possible (no uniform) their challenge - **How Glow Can You Go?** To support this, the JRSOs are holding a pop-up glow shop! The shop will be open from Tuesday 20 November to Thursday 22 November – items are strictly limited and we are sure they'll sell out quickly. Our JRSOs will be sending a letter with more information later this week.

Children in Need

Friday 16 November is Children in Need. We are asking for donations of £1.00 for the children to come in a non-school uniform of their choice, as the theme is Do your thing! Raffles and guess the teddy competitions (priced 50p) will be held along with the much anticipated bake sale. All contributions will be very gratefully received. A letter was sent out on Friday 9 November regarding this.

Anti Bullying & World Philosophy Day

This week we are focusing on the anti-bullying message - 'choose respect' through work in class and during assemblies. On Thursday, we will be participating in World Philosophy Day by holding P4C sessions with an anti-bullying theme.

MPG Christmas Fayre - Thursday 22 November

MPG are also looking for more volunteers for the Christmas Fayre to help ensure the smooth running of the Fayre and the management of stalls. If you can be available 3pm until close at 5pm on Thursday 22 November, please drop them a line at mpg@mosborough.sheffield.sch.uk

MPG are asking for donations for the Christmas themed hampers that are raffled at the Christmas Fayre. There are no restrictions on the size of the item, all that they ask is that it is new and suitable to include in a Christmas themed hamper. Possible items include Christmas food, sweets or drinks (with a best before date after 23 November 2018), toiletries, Christmas baubles and decorations, candles or potpourri. The more inventive the better! Please ensure all items are brought to the school office by Wednesday 21 November.



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Farmers' Market – Friday 26 October

The Farmer's Market was a resounding success with high-end merchandise selling out in literally minutes! The range of goods on offer this year rivalled any artisan market and seemed to take a slight foodie theme with products including gourmet pizzas, handcrafted biscuits and for budding chefs, grow your own herb jars. We were delighted to have raised a record breaking £1,117.00 which will be sent to the Sheffield Cathedral Archer project and Save the Children, as decided by Pupil Parliament.

Diwali Evening

The children in Foundation, Y1 and Y2 held their first Festival of Lights on the evening of 8 November. The event was truly wonderful and it was great to see so many families coming back to school to join us for the evening – thank you to everyone who came along! There is a gallery of photographs from the event for you to view on the school app.

Armistice Day

On the morning of 12 November. Rev. Sue, along with Rev. Louise, led an assembly of reflection for the pupils. During the assembly, Pupil Parliament took a wreath on behalf of everyone at school to lay at the war memorial at St Mark's church. All donations to the Poppy Appeal have now been sent to the Royal British Legion and we will update you with our fundraising total once it has been confirmed.

Things to look out for

16 Nov.	Children in Need - Non-uniform , pyjama day
22 Nov.	MPG Christmas Fayre
23 Nov.	Be bright be seen - Non uniform , How glow can you go?!
30 Nov.	Y1 Street Life Museum visit
4 Dec.	Foundation Christmas performance - 2.00pm
5 Dec.	Foundation Christmas performance - 9.30am
7. Dec.	Carols by Treelight at St Mark's Church - 6.30pm
12 Dec.	KS1 Christmas performance - 2.00pm
13. Dec	KS1 Christmas performance - 9.30am & 5.30pm
13.Dec	Carol singing at Crystal Peaks - 6.00pm
14. Dec	Community Carol Concert at Joseph Stone Centre - 6.30pm
21. Dec.	Sparkle and Shine Christmas Jumper Day for Save the Children Final Day of Term

Our eagerly awaited festive planner will be sent out next week giving full details of all of the exciting events to come.

Kind Regards,

Martin Fallon