

Coppetts Wood School Newsletter

School website: www.coppettswoodprimary.org.uk

Date: 18th December 2015

Dates for your diary

Date	Who?	What
5.1.16	Whole school	Terms starts for all children

BARNET NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

Are holding a Crime Prevention Evening at:

Friern Barnet Community Library

Date: Monday 4th January

Time: 19.15–21.00

There will be a giveaway of some crime prevention items at this meeting and a representative of the Neighbourhood Policing Team will be present.



Seasons Greetings
and best wishes
for the New Year from
all the staff and governors.

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you very much to all the parents who came to see our Year 4, 5 and 6 children perform in their Christmas show. They performed brilliantly in our Coppetts Wood version of 'A Christmas Carol'. If you didn't see it, think Charles Dickens meets Michael Jackson—a combination I never



would have thought possible! See on for some photos.

Thank you to all the parents who helped with Christmas Lunch and made it go so smoothly. We could not have done it without you.

After the Christmas Lunch, we went straight into Quizmas! The children from Year 1 to Year 6 went into their school council groups and took part in a Christmas themed quiz! The rounds varied from our own Coppetts Wood bushtucker trial (a disgusting taste test) to making a Christmas model and unravelling anagrams. It was great fun, drew on variety of skills and required a lot of

team work. The winning team was **PURPLE**.

A big thank you to Amanda and Julie for organising it.

The week has finished with parties and a pantomime for the children. What a busy week!

Thank you for all your support this term.

With best wishes

Sarah Deale Head teacher

Remember you can see colour copies of the newsletter on our website.



Attendance Awards!



Well done to Year 1 who won the Best Attendance with 99% and to Year 2 the Most Improved Award with 98.6% .

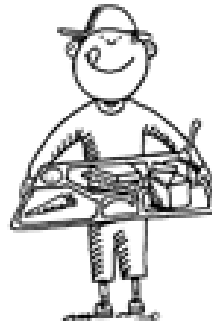
Whole school attendance is 96.9%

We are on target!



95.8%

School Lunch



Next week it is **Week 4.**

The menu is available on the website.

Winners of the Raffle and Guess the Number of Santas in the Jar were announced in assembly on Thursday.

Archie from Year 1 correctly guessed 100 Santas.

If you or your child won a raffle prize they will have either chosen a prize or we will contact you. We had a whole variety of prizes including lots of vouchers, children's books and a box of wine. Thank you to everyone who bought a ticket.

News from BEAT (Barnet Education Arts Trust)

If your child has a passion for Pop and Rock music, is 13yrs old or younger, enthusiastic and enjoys team work, we have the following vacancies in the Junior Pop group at East Barnet Music Centre:

- **Guitarists:** Grade 2 or equivalent. Knowledge of open chords, and ideally barre and power chords.
- **Bass Guitar:** Grade 2 or equivalent. Suitable for guitarist who has had some bass experience. Ideally, someone who has a bass to practise at home., though they could use a Music Centre bass initially.
- **Singer:** Confident singer, able to pitch with accuracy.

The class rehearses from 9am -10am and fees are £80 per term - 10 sessions. The first session next term is Saturday 9 January. Please note we only operate on Saturdays.

For further information or to sign up please contact Rita Porzi on 07773 893721.



Well done Years 4,5 and 6 for a fabulous production of 'A Christmas Carol'.



UNIFORM REMINDERS!

As the New Year approaches, it is often a time for buying new school uniform. We have noticed a few children not wearing the correct clothes so here is a quick reminder. We would be grateful if you could ensure the children are wearing the correct uniform when we return in January. Thank you very much.

Uniform Details

Bottoms - Grey pinafore, skirt or trousers. **These should be school trousers not leggings, jogging bottoms or tracksuit bottoms or jeans.**

Tops - White polo shirt or shirt/blouse

Green school sweatshirt with school logo

Footwear - Plain black flat shoes or plain black trainers

Plain, flat, black boots may be worn to school. 'Ugg' style boots and fashion boots are not allowed. Wellington boots may be worn to and from school during bad weather but shoes must be brought to school and worn during the school day.

White, black or grey socks

P.E. kit - Plain black school shorts, plain white t-shirt, plimsolls or trainers (in a P.E. bag).

Black leggings or black track suit bottoms can be worn if appropriate.

Headscarves— plain black or white

Jewellery- stud earrings only

Hair—All children are expected to tie hair up at all times, where it is long enough to do so. Some hair ornaments may need to be removed for P.E. on the grounds of health and safety.

No make-up or nail varnish may be worn during the school day. Similarly, temporary transfers or fake 'tattoos' are not permitted.

