



RIVERLEY
PRIMARY

Weekly Update

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Dear Riverley Families,

I hope you are all well as I share my weekly update with you.

Family Consultations

It was lovely to see so many of you during our Family Consultation meetings. If you couldn't attend, please re-arrange a more suitable time with your child's class teacher. Just a reminder about our open door approach, you never need to wait until Family Consultation sessions to see your child's books – please feel free to drop in at a time that is convenient for you and the class teacher.

The Book Fayre

A big thank you to all of you who purchased a book during the book fayre and a special mention of gratitude goes to our family members who have given so generously of their time to run this.

Christmas Fayre

And as one Riverley Family Association events comes to an end, another is on the horizon. Building on the success of last year's Christmas Fayre, you will have noticed that we are hosting our 2nd celebration on **Thursday 1 December from 15:25 – 17:00**. If your child attends tea-time club, and you want to send them with some money in an envelope, we will ensure that they have time to go out and take a look around. **There will be no activity clubs or tuition on Thursday 1st December.**

We are looking for donations of **cakes, toys, games books and teddy bears** for children to sell on the day so if you have any, please send with your child. We ask that all toys, games and books are in good condition that that all ingredients in cakes are clearly labelled.

The Winter Recital

We look forward to welcoming you to our Winter Recital in the Great Hall at **14:15 on Tuesday 29 November**.

Congratulations

Well done to our Year 5 and 6 girls and boys who came 1st and 3rd respectively in the GST Southern World Cup Competition on Thursday in Gillingham. Exceptional football skills were displayed during the tournament and all footballers should be very proud of themselves.

Looking forward to seeing you at some of our event next week.

With very best wishes,

Sabrina Reilly
Head of School

| Dates to Remember | |
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| Monday 28 November –Friday 9 December | Swimming in the London Aquatics Centre for Year 4 Thank you to all of our family volunteers! |
| Tuesday 29 November | Year 5 and 6 Girls Football Waltham Forest Tournament (selected chn) Winter Recital at 14:15 - all welcome! |
| Thursday 1 December | No activity clubs – due to Christmas Fayre Cedar Class Orienteering Trip to Hampstead Heath <i>(it has been rescheduled due to staffing issues at their centre which has meant a tight turnaround)</i> Christmas Fayre – 15:25 – 17:00 (No activity clubs or tuition – tea-time operates as normal) All welcome! |
| Friday 2 December | Juniper Class Orienteering Trip to Hampstead Heath <i>(it has been rescheduled due to staffing issues at their centre which has meant a tight turnaround)</i> Choir trip to Ely Cathedral (selected chn) Year 3 and 4 Athletics Competition (selected children) |
| Monday 5 December | Year 1 Family Drop in to classes at 09:00 |
| Tuesday 6 December | Boccia and Curling Competition (selected chn) |
| Wednesday 7 December | Years 4 – 6 Christmas Show – all welcome! |
| Thursday 8 December | Christmas Jumper and Dinner Day A free Christmas Dinner will be provided to all children ! |
| Friday 9 December | Nursery Christmas Show – 10: 00 (all Nursery children) Reception – Nativity – 14:15 Families welcome! GST Year 5 and 6 Basketball Hub Games (selected children) |
| Wednesday 14 December | R, Year 1, 2 and 3 – Christmas Show - all welcome! GST Virtual Spelling Bee Final – Year 5 and 6 Finalists |
| Friday 16 December | Candlelit Carols in the Great Hall at 09:15 - all welcome! Christmas Holidays begin School closes at 14:00 – no tea-time club. |
| Wednesday 4 January | Children return to School for the beginning of the Spring term |