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**St Ninian’s Nursery newsletter**

**Term 2 Part 2 2015/16**

**Term 1 2014/15**

**Open Day:** We were so pleased to see so many parents and relatives at our Open Day last Thursday. It was a huge success and it means so much to the children to be able to show off their learning. Thank you to everyone who gave us very valuable feedback. Mrs Anderson is in the process of writing to thank you all. Thank you for your support.

**Deferment to Primary One:** If your child has a November, December, January or February birthday then you have the option to defer their entry to Primary One. Mrs Carruthers is happy to speak to anyone who feels they are unsure about whether to send their child to Primary One in August 2016. Pam Abraham our Educational Visitor has also offered to assess children on their readiness for school. If you would like to speak to either Mrs Carruthers or Pam pop along to **Tea & Toast on Tuesday 15th December 2015 at 9am**.

![C:\Users\Sophie\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\GYLA0LY7\MC900155076[1].wmf]()**Christmas Show:** Our nursery children will be participating in the school show this year. The costumes will be provided so all the children need is a woolly hat and a scarf. They should arrive at nursery on **Wednesday 16th December at 12.15pm**. There is **no morning session on this date**. The afternoon session will be from 12.15 to 3pm. In the evening, nursery children should arrive at 5.15pm so they can get ready for the show.

![C:\Users\Sophie\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\24LCWB34\MC900022952[1].wmf]()When the nursery children are finished performing (afternoon and evening), they can be collected from the nursery to be taken home.

**Christmas Parties:** The nursery will be having a big Christmas party on **Thursday 17th December. There will be no morning session that day**. All children should arrive in their party clothes at 12 noon and be collected at 2.30pm. Parents can come along at 1.45pm to see our special visitor!

![C:\Users\Sophie\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\U6KQ6DLB\MC900232107[1].wmf]()**New Starts:** Mrs Carruthers and Mrs Anderson have been making home visits to the children who will join us in the new term. We look forward to welcoming the grown-ups and children for a little play on Monday 14th December from 10.30 to 11.30am.

**Indoor Shoes:** Could you please ensure your child has a pair of indoor plimsolls to wear? As the outdoor area is very muddy at the moment it is very important for the children to have clean, dry shoes to change into.

**Parent Notice Board**: We have a new question on your notice board. Please ‘Post-it’ your ideas.

**Suggestions**: If you would like to leave a comment or suggest an idea, please post it in our Suggestions Box in our Parent Zone.

**P.T.A. and Parent Council**: Please keep checking our notice board for the next date for our meeting. We would love to see you there.

**Summary of dates for your diary**:

Wednesday 16th December - Christmas Show (no am session)

Thursday 17th December 12-2.30pm - Christmas Party (no am session)

Wednesday 23rd December – Tuesday 5th January – School Holidays

Children return to school on Wednesday 6th January 2016.

Thank you for your support this term.

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