

Camstradden Primary Countdown to Christmas



November 2022

Friday 25th November 2022

- Dress Down Day— Money raised will go to school funds and will be used for the pupils for Christmas Parties etc.
- Last day for Christmas Fair and House Hamper donations.

Monday 28th November 2022

• Glasgow City Council Sports Awards—Our school has been nominated for a Sports Award. Selected children and school staff will attend the Sports Awards this evening at the Emirates Arena. We are delighted to have been nominated for the prestigious award and will have everything crossed for a win on the night.

Tuesday 29th of November 2022

• Caledonian Club Showcase—The Caledonian Club from Glasgow Caledonian University have been working with the children in Primary 2a and Primary 2b to create digital books. The children loved being part of this project and have developed their learning in many different ways. Glasgow Caledonian University has now created the digital books and are looking to share these with our children and their families. Primary 2 Families have been invited to join us for the book launch in the assembly hall at 2pm on Tuesday 29th November.

December 2022

Thursday 1st December 2022

• Rescheduled Parents Evening—Parents who have previously been invited to a Parents Evening meeting on Thursday the 24th of November have been rescheduled to this evening.

EAL Parents Day—EAL Parents Afternoon—Families have been sent their appointment day/times via Groupcall Xpressions. Translators have been organised by the school for these appointments.

To raise money for our Christmas parties and celebrations at Camstradden Primary School we will be running a bonus ball at our Parents Evenings. Families will be given the opportunity to purchase a bonus ball number for £5 and will be in with a chance of winning up to £100. As a result of the rearranged Parents Evening the winner of the Bonus Ball will now be announced on Friday the 2nd of December 2022.

Wednesday 7th December (10.30-11.30am)

 Wellbeing Toolkit Parent Introduction—All parents/carers are invited to attend this information session about the Wellbeing Toolkit. Families will be given the chance to sign up to the 4 week training block.

Friday 9th December 2022 (1-3pm)

Christmas Fair—Our Christmas Fair starts at 1pm. All families are invited to our Christmas Fair.
From 1pm families can collect their children from class to explore the delights that will be on offer at this years Christmas Fair. We will have a variety of stalls for your to enjoy alongside our famous hot dog stand.

If you are interested in hosting a stall at our Christmas Fair please contact the school office. All stalls will be charged at £10. Money raised will go to School Funds.

• Christmas Jumper Day— Pupils are welcome to come to school wearing a Christmas jumper on this day. We do not want families to go to any unnecessary expense and as such children are welcome to dress down today instead of wearing a Christmas jumper.



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December 2022 (Continued)

Monday 12th December 2022

• HM Inspectors from Education Scotland will be visiting our school to conduct an inspection during the week commencing the 12th of December 2022. You can find out more about inspection, from the Inspection and review documentation pages of Education Scotland's website –

https://education.gov.scot/education-scotland/what-we-do/inspection-and-review

As part of the inspection, Inspectors gather the views of stakeholders via an online survey. This has been sent out to all families via Groupcall. I would like to encourage you to complete the survey. Inspectors will also be meeting with groups of parents during the inspection so to be part of that discussion you should complete the survey with additional links provided to indicate your interest in taking part. You should complete the survey by Friday the 2nd of December 2022 for one child or for each of your children in attendance. Thank you in advance for your continued support.

• Glasgow Derby Guess The Goal Competition Launch—Pupils will receive their entry form for this competition today. They will be sent home in school bags. All entry forms and money gathered should be handed back into school by <u>Wednesday the 21st of December</u>. Unfortunately we cannot accept any late entries. <u>Please note</u> this competition is voluntary and families do not need to participate. All money raised will go to School Funds which directly benefits our pupils.

Thursday 15th December 2022

 School Christmas Lunch—Menu information about this years Christmas Lunch is available for families to view on Parent Pay. All meal selections for Christmas Lunch must be made by the 29th of November 2022. The Christmas Lunch menu has also been uploaded to our school website for you to view.

Tuesday 20th December 2022

• Nativity/ Christmas Performance (for Parents) - Further information to follow.

Wednesday 21st December 2022

• Christmas Parties— Pupils should come to school dressed for Christmas Parties. There will be no facilities to change for Christmas Parties in school during the school day.

Thursday 22nd December 2022 (2.30pm)

• School closes for the Christmas Break at 2.30pm on Thursday 22nd December 2022. School will re-open at 9am on Wednesday the 4th January 2023.

We hope you have a fabulous Christmas Break and wish you all the very best for the New Year!

