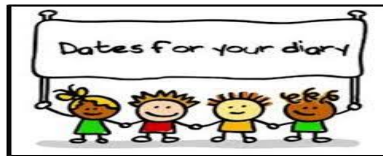


Mossvale ELCC & Primary School
Parent Newsletter
20th November 2020
Believe and you will achieve.



HOLIDAYS: School will be closed on **Monday 30th November** for St. Andrew's Day
HEAD TEACHER PARENT AND PUPIL ASSEMBLY FRIDAY 20th NOVEMBER.

CHRISTMAS AT MOSSVALE: We will be having our Christmas Fayre remotely this year and you will get more information soon. EYC and P1 Nativity or Christmas celebrations will go ahead as we will be filming them and sharing them with you virtually so you and your child do not miss out on these special events. We will also have our trip to the Pantomime by staying in school and watching it online but get those Christmas jumpers ready! **This will be Friday 4th December.**

NURSERY CHRISTMAS PARTY THURSDAY 17th DECEMBER.

School closes for Christmas Break on Friday 18th December at 2.30 pm.

CHILDREN IN NEED- HOUSE CAPTAINS PROJECT

Thank you to everyone who took part in our Fundraiser for Children In Need helping us raise £266.86. This was a great team effort and we are delighted to be able to donate this amount to such a good cause.



LEARNING AT MOSSVALE MARKETERS THIS WEEK

As you will have heard the school is being taken over by a new business. Mossvale Marketers named by Evan in P6 will be opening for business on Monday 23rd November. Pupils from Monday become employees of this new enterprise and staff will take on managing director roles. Children will learn all about setting up a business, producing goods, advertising products, managing budgets and selling their products through this 2 week enterprising learning project. All their Literacy, Numeracy and other curricular areas will be taught through this real life context. Tier 4 may be here and shops are closed but your Christmas shopping worries are taken care of by Mossvale Marketers. In line with all non essential shops we are not able to open for business but we will be advertising and selling online. Get involved and let us help you with your shopping woes. A little hint, the class that makes the most profit get to keep their money to treat themselves so help your chosen classes out by

recommending them to all your friends and family. A huge thanks to the Bank of Parent Council for issuing the £30 loans for each new business to help get them started. Keep checking Seesaw and Twitter for updates and we will let you know about the website when it is ready.

Exciting times and brilliant learning opportunities moulding our next entrepreneurs! The Nursery are also taking part but they will also still have their Fun Friday getting ready for Christmas. Ho Ho Ho!

This will be happening every Friday to provide real positivity in our difficult times.

PARENT COUNCIL

Thank you to this amazing group for funding our Business Projects, supplying snacks for our Christmas Pantomime afternoon and providing the whole school with a fun Christmas. We have discussed with the group that our focus next term is going to be a focus on Reading and developing children's comprehension skills. They very kindly are going to support us to buy new resources such as audio books, sets of novels and classroom materials to support this. What an amazing group! You can get involved virtually from the comfort of your own home and there isn't even any pressure on you to contribute. This is a great way to find out about the school plans and how your children are being supported. Please get involved!

CURRICULUM RATIONALE

I hope you have managed to tune in to my assembly this week and please do not judge that I have my Christmas Tree up! You will have heard about our Curriculum Rationale and we really hope you will feedback to us on this. Ms Bain is setting up a poll that will be emailed to you as we would love your feedback. This rationale captures what we deliver as a school, what makes us special and what we hope all our children will experience and learn in their time with us. We want to ensure we take everyone's views into account and make a rationale that is truly Mossvale Primary.

Have a very safe weekend.

Mrs Jane Houston, Head Teacher

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