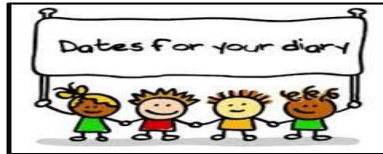


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#### **CHRISTMAS AT MOSSVALE:**

**NURSERY CHRISTMAS PARTY THURSDAY 17<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER.**

**CHRISTMAS CARDS** can be brought in week beginning 7<sup>th</sup> December until 11<sup>th</sup> December. These will then be issued by our P7 helpers next week.

**School closes for Christmas Break on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December at 2.30 pm for all and the planned date for re opening is still Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> January.**



#### **LEARNING AT MOSSVALE MARKETERS THIS WEEK**

We hope you have had fun browsing our Mossvale Marketers website and have been able to make all your purchases. Each business will track your order and have those packaged up ready to be shipped out next week. We thank you for your business and hope you visit our pop up shop again next year. The children have loved this experience and learned so much about running a business, money, team work and developed many skills for life. The website will close on Monday at 3 pm. We hope you love your new purchases.

#### **CURRICULUM RATIONALE**

Thank you to everyone who contributed to our whole school curriculum rationale and shared your thoughts about our school and what you hope it will allow your children to achieve. The children are being consulted this afternoon after their virtual assembly and once we have everyone's feedback we will be able to publish our Mossvale Curriculum Rationale.

#### **Mossvale ELCC**

We have been delighted to welcome back some of our children and some staff back. It has been so quiet without you and we missed you all. We look forward to hopefully seeing more of you back next week. As many of the children were not here for the Virtual Pantomime we have been given extended access next week for all that missed it to see it.

**Please I can just put a plea out again for safe driving around the school as there have been complaints from local residents. This is vital for also keeping all our children safe at drop off and pick up times.**

**THERE WILL BE A FINAL PUPIL AND PARENT ASSEMBLY ON SEESAW ON FRIDAY.**

Well it has been quite a baptism of fire taking on Mossvale and the first 2 terms have been very quick but I am delighted to be here. I want to say a huge thanks to all the staff for making me feel so welcome and taking on all my ideas, to the children for helping me settle in so quickly and to the Parents that I have managed to meet for taking time to get to know me. We all hope that as soon as possible into the new year we can return to a normal school life and open our doors again. I am so delighted to be here and ready to really hit the ground running next term. Our focus is going to be looking at how we teach literacy and reading in particular, assessing in numeracy and pupil leadership.

Enjoy a very happy and safe Christmas and send you all my very best wishes for a much better 2021. See you on 6<sup>th</sup> January!

Mrs Jane Houston, Head Teacher

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