

Hunsdon JMI School

A very warm welcome back to school! Hopefully you've all enjoyed the lovely long half term holiday and are full of vim and vigour and ready for Autumn Term Part Deux!

RE DAY – Thursday 2nd November - John Hardwick representing Barnabas in School will be working with all the children on a themed PHSE day entitled 'Who am I?' The children will be fully hands-on exploring different religions throughout the day.

FIREWORKS – Saturday 4th November 5:00pm - Don't forget to purchase your tickets for this much anticipated annual event, forms are readily available from the office.

YEAR 3 SPORTSHALL FESTIVAL – Monday 6th November – Our Year 3s will be spending the afternoon taking part in a festival of sport at Wodson Park.

VOCABULARY PARADE DAY - Wednesday 8th November –The theme for this day is **Vocabulary** and we are asking you to help your child discover an interesting word that they (with your help) can turn into a costume. The day will be filled with activities centred round language and promises to be a lot of fun. *Please remember to bring in a £1 to help support the Dalit children.*

ANTI BULLYING WEEK – W/B 13th November – The children will be partaking in anti-bullying lessons throughout the week, covering the different aspects of bullying and emphasising the ways that the children can deal with incidents if they should meet them. A highlight of the week includes a workshop and performance by Altru Theatre!

NETBALL TOURNAMENT – Thursday 16th November 3.45 onwards – Our intrepid Netball team will be demonstrating their skills at Wodson Park in a friendly tournament involving 12 schools.

OAK CLASS ICE SKATING @VAN HAGES – 27th November - Oak Class will be ice skating at Van Hage's in Great Amwell again this year. More details about the trip will follow but most importantly, the penguins, bananas and hot chocolates are ready and waiting!

CHRISTMAS MARKET – 1st December 2.30pm to 5.00pm – Make a note of the date and come along and join in the fun.

CHRISTMAS PANTOMINE – Wednesday 6th December – This year the whole school will be travelling to the Playhouse Theatre in Harlow to watch Peter Pan. We'll be sticking together so that there'll be no *lost-boys!*

EARLY FINISH – Thursday 7th December 2pm – School will be closing earlier than usual today for a special Governor and Staff event. If you anticipate difficulties in picking your child/ren up there will be a crèche available but could please notify the office in advance.


BREAKFAST WITH SANTA – Friday 8th December - Join Santa from 8.00 to 9.00am on Friday 4th December for breakfast! Ask at The Ducklings for further details.

KS1 AND EYFS CHRISTMAS PRODUCTION - We're all looking forward to this year's performances which will take place at **2pm on Monday 11th December** and **7pm on Tuesday 12th December**.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH AND CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY – Wednesday 13th December –
Who can resist a Christmas jumper? Especially when you can wear it whilst singing Christmas songs and eating Christmas lunch!

END OF TERM – Tuesday 19th December - Our final assembly will be at 1.30pm and the term ends at 2.30pm.

Yours sincerely



Mr J Millward
Head teacher

Autumn 2nd Half Term 2017

November 2017

2 nd November		RE Day 'Who Am I?' with a visit from Barnabas
4 th November	5pm	Fireworks Night at Hunsdon
6 th November	1.30 – 3.00pm	Year 3 Sportshall Athletics Festival
8 th November		Vocabulary Parade Day – Whole school topic day
13 th November		Anti-Bullying Week
16 th November	3.45pm	Netball Tournament
17 th November		Children in Need Day & Anti Bullying performance
27 th November	11.00 – 11.50am	Oak class Ice Skating trip to Van Hages

December 2017

1 st December	2.30 – 5.00pm	Christmas Market
6 th December	1.30 – 4.30pm	Whole school Pantomime Trip
7 th December	2.00pm	Early finish (<i>although crèche will be available</i>)
8 th December	8.00-9.00am	Ducklings 'Breakfast with Santa'
11 th December	2.00pm	Reception and KS1 Nativity Performance
12 th December	7.00pm	Reception and KS1 Nativity Performance
13 th December		Christmas lunch
14 th December	pm	Cedar Class Christmas party
15 th December	pm	Ash Class Christmas party
18 th December	pm	Reception and KS1 Christmas party
19 th December	1.30pm	Autumn Term Final Assembly
19 th December	2.30pm	<i>End of term</i>