



## Newsletter 28<sup>th</sup> November 2019

### Book Fair

Thank you so much for your support of the book fair. We had lots of customers and your purchases raised £401.95. This gave us £181.17 to spend, which we used to buy 37 books for our school.

### Non-uniform Day

Don't forget that tomorrow the children can come in their own clothes in exchange for items to go in the Christmas hampers, which will be used as the prizes for the raffle.

Items we would like you to donate are:

Reception – chocolates

Class 1 – biscuits or crackers

Class 2 – jams/preserves/chutneys

Class 3 - bottles

Thank you so much for your help with this.

### Performance Costumes

Please ensure all costumes are named and are in named bags. These need to be in school by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December.

Thank you for your help with this.

Year Group	Role	Costume
Reception	Woodland animals	Black leggings or joggers. Black t-shirt. School will make masks.
Year 1	Performers	Black leggings or joggers. Black t-shirt. School will make hats.
Year 2	Scientists	Black leggings or joggers. White shirt. School to provide lab coats.
Year 3 and 4	Choir	Sandon school uniform.
Year 5 and 6	Various	A message will go out on dojo today.

### Club Cancellations


Parents will be informed via the School Gateway (email) when clubs are cancelled. Please use the School Gateway App if you wish to see if a club is running or not.

## Under 9s Multi Skills Festival

Our children from Class 2 who went to the multi skills festival at Highfield school, had great fun and represented our school well, showing good sportsmanship.



### Assemblies this week:

Monday	We continued talking about the curriculum and we focused on geography today. We discussed the seven continents and talked about their size and the amount of people who live there.
Tuesday	Mrs Lucas re-read this book reminding us that nobody is good at everything, but everyone is good at something. 
Wednesday	Singing assembly
Thursday	Singing assembly
Friday	Celebration Assembly - Parents invited

### Congratulations to:

#### Stars of the Week

Reception: Lucy

Class 1: Luke

Class 2: Nell

Class 3: Charlie

#### Writers of the week

Reception: Holly

Class 1: Izzie. A

Class 2: Lydia

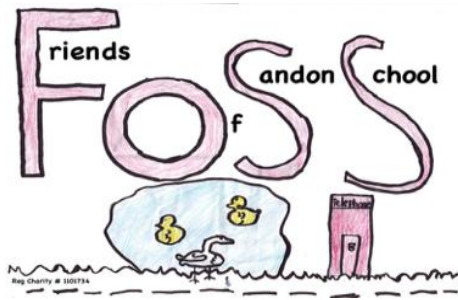
Class 3: Jamie

#### Sports Person of the Week

Florence

#### Swimmer of the week

Olly



We have a busy few weeks ahead in the run up to Christmas, kicking off with our Christmas Jumper Sale this Friday school. Come along a find a bargain, and get prepared for Christmas Jumper Day and the rest of December. All we ask for is a token donation to FOSS.

Have you seen the amazing school tea-towel?. They would make brilliant Christmas presents for the grandparents! Get your order form in before the end of the school day on Monday 2nd December.

Are you still using Easyfundraising?, or have you not started yet?. If you are buying anything online please think about trying it out. One of our parents travels a lot for work and books all his airport parking though easyfundraising, raising a few pounds for FOSS each time. Another parent needed to buy a new washing machine this week - by going through easyfundraising they got an extra £10 for FOSS. And everything that FOSS makes goes towards supporting all of our children and enhancing their education.

<http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/fossbuntingford>

If you want to get in touch with FOSS about anything at all, just drop us an email at [foss.sandon@gmail.com](mailto:foss.sandon@gmail.com).

## Diary Dates

### November

- Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> : Rapid Fire Cricket at Fearnhill  
Friday 29<sup>th</sup> : Christmas Jumper Sale  
: Non uniform day in return for a Christmas raffle item

### December

- Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> : Trip to Panto at Hertford Theatre (1pm – 4.30pm)  
Friday 6<sup>th</sup> : Mums' and Dads' Stall for pupils  
Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> : Village Christmas Market  
Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> : 3.45pm to 5.45pm - U11 Zone Basketball at Knights Templar  
Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> : 2pm – Whole School Performance to family and friends  
: 6pm – Whole School Performance to family and friends  
Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> : 6pm – Whole School Performance to family and friends  
Friday 13<sup>th</sup> : Christmas Jumper Day  
Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> : Nativity at the Church – 9.30am (changed from 19<sup>th</sup> Dec)  
Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> : Christmas Dinner Day  
Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> : Governors' meeting – 7.30pm  
Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> : Christmas Movie Night (3.15pm – 4.30pm)  
Friday 20<sup>th</sup> : Carols for the village  
: End of Term (1pm finish)

## Spring Term Dates

### January

- Monday 6<sup>th</sup> : Inset Day  
Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> : First Day of Spring Term  
Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> : Governor Meeting 7.30pm  
Friday 31<sup>st</sup> : Celebration Assembly

### February

- Monday 10<sup>th</sup> : 10<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup>, Science Week  
Friday 14<sup>th</sup> : Valentines Disco  
: Last Day of Half Term  
Thurs 27<sup>th</sup> : FOSS AGM  
Friday 28<sup>th</sup> : Celebration Assembly

### March

- Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> : Parents' Evening  
Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> : Parents' Evening  
Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> : World Book Day  
Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> : FOSS Bingo Evening  
Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> : Village Market  
Friday 27<sup>th</sup> : Celebration Assembly  
: Grow £1 launch day

Please see the school website for more dates throughout the year [www.sandon.herts.sch.uk](http://www.sandon.herts.sch.uk)