Dear Kilmorie Families,

Christmas festivities have kicked off at Kilmorie with some wonderful singing from Reception and Year 1. Their enthusiasm was a joy to watch and left the audience feeling very upbeat. I am looking forward to many other performances over the next 2 weeks.

Last week we had 2 great class assemblies from Nora’s and Ellie’s classes. Class assemblies are an opportunity for the children to showcase their recent learning and entertain us with their many talents. Both classes certainly did this. Well done to them all!

Over the last couple of days the hall has been adorned with this year’s decorated hoops. The tradition is that every class decorates a hoop and this year’s theme is Peter Pan. They look very effective and give the school a festive feeling.

The Friends of Kilmorie Committee and volunteers are very busy preparing for the Christmas Fair next Saturday December 9th. I am sure it will be a great success as always because of their hard work and attention to detail. I look forward to seeing many of you there.

Best Wishes, Liz

CHILDREN’S CHRISTMAS MEAL Please note that due to an oversight the children’s Christmas meal will now take place on Friday 15th December. The deadline to book the meal was yesterday. Please make your payment on Parent Pay.

DINNER MONEY Please clear any outstanding dinner accounts via ParentPay before the end of term, 19th December 2017.

INDIVIDUAL PHOTOGRAPHS Your child should have brought home your photo orders last week. Late orders will be posted direct.

LOST PROPERTY There have been a few incidents of scooters which have gone missing from the scooter shed in the playground and usually this is because of human error as the wrong scooter has been picked up.

We would like to remind parents that the shed is not locked at any time of the day and items such as scooters, bicycles, etc., used for travel to and from school are brought onto the school premises or left unsecured are at the owner’s risk. We provide a space where these items can be left and suggest that as in any public areas, such items are secured with a lock, especially if it is brand new. The school is not responsible for any items that go missing. However, we will do our best to assist you in locating your belongings.

MISSING BICYCLE A brand new Avigo 20” BMX Spin Bike - black with red writing on trim, red handle bars and red pedals - last seen in the cycle shed 3 weeks ago. This belongs to Shannia in Year 5. Please can everyone check at home and if found, return it to school.

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ENRICHMENT CLUBS SPRING 2018

Our enrichment club lists for spring 2018 are now on display, and you should have received an email confirming all clubs your child has been offered. All fees are payable on parent pay (NB - fees are no longer payable directly to providers) and need to be paid by **MONDAY, 11th DECEMBER** to confirm your child’s place. Please speak to Jennie or Leanne in the office if you need support with parent pay or would like to arrange to pay a smaller deposit to confirm your child’s place.

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

- **Fri 1st December** 7pm: Music Concert
- **Mon 4th December** 9am-12pm: Friends Christmas Fair
- **Tues 5th Dec** 9-10.30am: Aladdin Panto for Early Phase
- **Tues 5th December** 7-8.30pm: Turning of the Year Concert (Year 5/6 Choir) Blackheath Halls
- **Wed 6th December** 9am-3pm: Friends Christmas Fair
- **Wed 6th December** 6-7pm: Arethusa Information Meeting for Y4 Parents
- **Wed 6th Dec** 10am: Infant Choir Performance
- **Thurs 7th Dec** AM: Year 1 Vision & Hearing Check
- **Thurs 7th Dec** 8.45-10.30am: (Nursery Parents’ Decorate The Christmas Tree Event)
- **Thurs 7th Dec** 9am-6pm: Friends Christmas Fair
- **Fri 8th Dec** 10am: Year 4 Christmas Performance
- **Fri 8th Dec** 3pm: African Music and Dance Performance
- **Fri 8th Dec** 9am-8pm: Friends Christmas Fair
- **Sat 9th Dec** 1.30-4.30pm: Kilmorie *Neverland* Christmas Fair
- **Mon 11th Dec** 2.30-3pm: Year 5/6 Christmas Performance
- **Thurs 14th Dec** 2.30-3pm: Year 2/3 Christmas Performance
- **Fri 15th Dec** 10-10.30am: Year 2/3 Christmas Performance
- **Fri 15th Dec** Lunchtime: Christmas Lunch
- **Fri 15th Dec** 8.45-9.15am: Reception Parents/Carers Drop (and Children’s Pyjama Day)
- **Tues 19th Dec** Reception Christmas Parties
- **Tues 19th Dec** Last day of this term
- **Tues 2nd Jan** Inset Day
- **Wed 3rd Jan** Children return to school

**SAFETY NEWS**

Another reminder for parents to review how their children are walking home, now that the nights are drawing in:

- **Try not to walk alone** – find a friend to walk with
- **Do not walk down a lane or unlit road** that isn’t busy with traffic or pedestrians for a short cut. Take a longer route which is safer
- **If approached by someone** and feel unsafe start to run, yell loudly and head towards where there are people e.g. shops
- **Safe places** include shops, schools, libraries, restaurants, take away shops, stations, bus stops where people are waiting
- **Speak to a known adult**, if concerned about safety
- **Do not walk around with headphones in** and a phone on display.
- **999 is the number to call to reach the Police in an emergency**

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**ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY 06/09/2017-01/12/2017**

It is important that children arrive at school by 8.55am the latest and attend the class at 98.15%? 

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**CONGRATULATIONS**

The attendance cup winners for last week were Alice’s class with 100%. This week’s winners are Nora’s class with 99.63%!

**FANTASTIC!!**