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## Autumn Term 2019

 19.11.19
 4W Class Assembly 9.05am

 26.11.19
 4FR Class Assembly 9.05am

- 02.12.19 Disco Rec & Nur 3.30pm-4.30pm
  03.12.19 Disco Yrs 4,5 & 6 3.30pm-4.30pm
  03.12.19 Yr2 Snowdome Trip
  04.12.19 Disco Yrs 2,3&4 3.30pm-4.30pm
  06.12.19 EYFS Nativity 2.00pm
  06.12.19 EYES Christmas Favra 2.00pm
- 06.12.19 EYFS Christmas Fayre 3.00pm
- 10.12.19 KS1 School Production 2.00pm
  11.12.19 KS1 School Production 2.00pm
  12.12.19 School Closed for VOTING DAY
  13.12.19 Christmas Jumper Day
  18.12.19 School Christmas Fayre 3.30pm
- 20.12.19 End of term 3.15pm

06.01.20Inset Day - Closed to pupils07.01.20School reopens to pupils at 8.45am



Well done Mrs Marshall and Mrs Wilkes' Class!



Dear Parents and Carers,

What a great week it has been for Netherbrook – we have won a football tournament AND a spelling tournament, all in 48 hours. A big well done must go to all pupils who took part, we are very proud of you and thank you to all of the staff who helped organise participation in these events.

We are now about to enter the busiest time of the year in school, so please take note of the diary dates and any other information that comes out from your child's class. The **Lower School Production** preparation is due to start on Monday, so please help your child learn their words if they have any and everyone should learn the songs too if possible.

We have our **FONS Christmas Discos** coming up soon. DJ 'Cat' Marshall will be providing the 'toons'. <sup>(C)</sup> Tickets will be on sale shortly. Please note down the pick up times and other arrangements for these events to help us organise them as well as possible.

The **FONS** would really like some additional members to join. It isn't too time intensive, but we do need some more support for a variety of roles such as organising and planning events but also simply helping to run them. The FONS group works to raise money and put on events to help all of the children in school enjoy their time here. Fresh members with ideas and suggestions would be very welcome. Please speak to Mrs Bowen in the office if you are interested.

Last night the School **Governors** met and discussed the outcomes of the Governor's surveys carried out on Parents' Evening. The survey revealled some interesting and positive ways in which the school can help parents support their children more at home. We will be looking into this over the next few weeks and launching some new ideas after Christmas. **Communication** was mentioned as both a strength and an area to improve. We will do this, but to help us out – please make sure you have downloaded the Schoollife app and regularly check the school website – If we have snow etc over the winter it is through these channels that information will be communicated most quickly.

Just a quick reminder to parents with younger children due to start school in September 2020 (if their birthday is between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2015 and 31<sup>st</sup> August 2016) that the deadline for **admissions applications** is **Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2020.** Please look at the Dudley admissions information on the Netherbrook website if you need further information – **Key Information/Policies and Documents/Admissions.** 

Have a great weekend. 🙂

Tommy O, Daisy C, Oliver T, Arham M, Amelia S, Matthew M, Demi-Mai L, Lily-Mae R, Abeera M, Owain B, & Megan K

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**Congratulations** to the football team who won the Brierley Hill and Dudley District, Under 11's 7 a side tournament on Monday evening at Thorns Collegiate Academy.

The team won all of their league matches and progressed to the semi-finals, where they beat Christchurch 4-1. In a tense final against Wrens Nest the team drew 1-1, so it went to a penalty shoot-out. Netherbrook scored all of their penalties and Josh H was the goalkeeping hero for saving one of theirs.

The football team will now represent Brierley Hill and Dudley in the West Midlands regional finals in February.



Well done to all of the team, we are, once again, really proud of the way you represent our school!

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