# **Hillcroft Bulletin**

13th Nov 2017



Christmas Fair – Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> December – 11.00am – 2.00pm

 Friday 1st December – Children are invited to wear their own clothes to school and donate the following:
 Reception and Nursery – Cakes for the cake stall

 Year 1 and Year 2 – Chocolate for the tombola
 Years 3 – 6 – Bottles for the bottle tombola

If you enjoy baking - we would welcome additional donations of cakes.

We are also collecting good quality soft toys, and good quality school uniform. Please hand any donations in to the school office.

Hillcroft Trends, the childrens clothes shop in the High Street, has kindly offered to sell the second hand uniform on our behalf, all proceeds will go to the Friends of Hillcroft. Hillcroft Trends will also be at the Christmas Fair with a selection of new childrens clothes and second hand uniform at reasonable prices.

### Playtimes

Do you have any dolls to recycle? We are looking for donations of dolls for the nursery and reception children to play with during lunch time play. We would also be grateful for donations of large tonka toy type trucks that the children can push along and use on the play road.

### **Action for Carers Surrey**

Surrey Young Carers works with young carers and their families and creates opportunities for young carers to socialise with other children and young people who are in a similar position. They work to reduce the impact of caring by providing support and opportunities. For more information see the links below.

www.surrey-youngcarers.org.uk www.actionforcarers.org.uk

### Attendance

This year we have been monitoring attendance each week and sharing the information with the children in assembly. The best attendance figures for the week before half term were:

Class	House	Year Group	Whole School
Birch / Acer and	Brunel	Year 6	
Hawthorn Class			
100%	99.15%	99.86%	97.24%

## Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	Open Morning for prospective parents 9.30am	
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> November	Space Camp	
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November	Brunel House Charity Day – Supporting the RSPCA – Donate £1.00 and have your face painted or a pet tattoo	
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> November	INSET Day	
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> November	Switching on the Cedar Tree Lights – meet at St Lawrences church at 5.15pm	
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> October	Back to school following half term	
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> December	Mufti Day – see list on previous page	
Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	Christmas Fair and Craft Market 11.00am – 2.00pm	
Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> December	Christingle – meet at St Mary's church at 3.50pm	
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	Nursery Christmas Carols – 10.15am and 2.00pm	
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	Reception Christmas Performance – information to follow Christmas Discos – information to follow	
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 1 Christmas Celebration Assembly 9.15am Year 1 Astrodome visit PM Year 2 Christmas celebration Assembly 2.00pm	
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Jumper Day Year 3 / 4 Songs around the Christmas Tree 9.15am Year 5 / 6 Songs around the Christmas Tree 2.30pm	
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> December	Last day of term – break up at 1.30pm	
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> January Back to school		