

NORTHSTEAD NEWS

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Thank You



A big thank you to everyone who supported our Children in Need appeal. As a result of your wonderful generosity, we raised the magnificent sum of £1519.50



As the weather turns colder, please remember to include a sweatshirt and tracksuit bottoms in your child's PE kit.



Just a reminder that if you report your child absent with sickness or diarrhoea they need to be off school for 48 hours. If they return to school before this time, you will be asked to come and collect them.

Is your Child in Year 4 or above?

Would they like to learn a brass instrument?

Scarborough Music Hub are offering free Brass Lessons starting in January (Trumpet and Trombone).

This is strictly limited to the first 8 that apply on each instrument.



If you think your child might be interested, please call into the school office to collect a letter.

Parents Guide to Read Write Inc

If you have children in EYFS / Y1, please have a look at our parents guide on how the children are taught to read. It is on the website, and you can access it through the Parents tab—Home Learning.



Home Learning

Please find resources below.

Your child is learning to read with Read Write Inc. Phonics, a very popular and successful literacy programme.

This first booklet shows you how you can get your child off to a quick start.



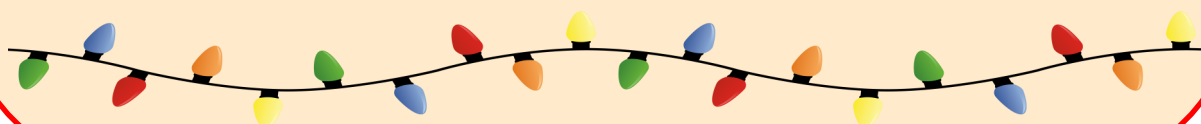
Moonlight and Song Procession—Friday 29th November

Our Year 4 children have been busy using their DT skills to produce some incredible lanterns for a special event.

On Friday 30th November, these lanterns will form part of the Moonlight and Song procession through Peasholm Park. Anyone wishing to join us, please meet at school at 4.45 pm where we will hand out lanterns and form our own procession down to the park .

All children **must** be accompanied by an adult, this is a family event so please feel free to bring everyone along! Parents are encouraged to get involved by wearing battery operated fairy lights on their clothes. Please note children will be your responsibility during this event.

The actual event begins at 5.30pm, and should last for about 45 minutes. Afterwards, you are then encouraged to stay and enter into the festive spirit at the Scarborough Sparkle event in the Open Air Theatre. There will be refreshment stalls, ice skating, rides and festive stalls to enjoy.



Winter Wonderland—Non Uniform Day—Friday 29th November

In return for wearing non-uniform on Friday 29th November, we are asking pupils to make a small donation for the Friends of Northstead School Winter Wonderland Christmas Fair, which will take place on Friday 6th December.

KS1 pupils: A small gift suitable for an adult (e.g. gloves, toiletries, mug, socks, chocolate orange).


KS2 pupils: A bottle for the Winter Wonderland bottle tombola.

Please send your child with their donation on non-uniform day, Friday 29th November.

If you are available to help FONS at the fair on the afternoon of Friday 6th December, please see Liz Hayes or leave your name at the office.







We need your help!

Please help us to collect tokens so that we can claim free books for our school. Tokens will be in The Sun newspaper between Saturday 23 November and Saturday 18 January.

We need 3500!

Please send them to the office or to Miss Palmer in class 4.

Thanks

Christmas Dates for your diaries

Christmas Performances (further details will follow nearer the time)

EYFS/Year 1	Tuesday 3 December	1:45pm
EYFS/Year 1	Thursday 5 December	10:00am
Year 2	Tuesday 3 December	10.00am
Year 2	Thursday 5 December	1.45pm

Non-Uniform Day in return for a donation for the Winter Wonderland Christmas Fair

All years	Friday 29th November	
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Winter Wonderland Christmas Fair

All years	Friday 6 December	
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Stephen Joseph Theatre


Year 6	Monday 9 December	
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School Christmas Dinner

All years	Wednesday 18 December	(there are no other options for dinner on this day)
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Christmas Concert

All welcome	Monday 16 December	6:00—7:15pm
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Library Competition

Design a Gingerbread House (Forms in Library)

KS1 and KS2 welcome to enter

Closing Date Thursday 12 December

GOOD LUCK!!!



Upcoming dates for your diary

Tuesday 26th November	Y4 Roman Rave
Friday 29th November	Non Uniform Day in return for a donation for the Christmas Fair
Friday 29th November	Moonlight and Song—Lantern Procession Year 4
Tuesday 3rd December	10am Year 2 Christmas Performance 1.45pm EYFS / Year 1 Christmas Performance
Thursday 5th December	10am EYFS / Year 1 Christmas Performance 1.45pm Year 2 Christmas Performance
Friday 6th December	School Christmas Fair
Monday 9th December	Y6 Trip to Stephen Joseph Theatre
Monday 16th December	Christmas Concert 6:00pm—7:15pm
Friday 20th December	School Finishes at 3:00pm