



"A Local School with a Global Perspective"



Shaftesbury Park Primary School

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An Ode to our Winter Fete

Next Wednesday is our **Winter Fete**,
And our staff and children just can't wait,



They've all been as busy as little elves,
Making **Gifts** for you themselves!



Impressive, I know, but that's not all!
We've lots and lots and lots of **Stalls!**



Irish Coffee, **Mulled Wine**, **Bric-a-Brac**,
Cakes and **Hot Food** on which to snack!



There's also a **Raffle** with lovely prizes,
Envelopes with special surprises!



Don't miss the carol singing and our **Tombola**,
Try some of our games or maybe visit **Santa?**



Hope to see you from 3:15 onwards!

Home-baked or faked?

We are in desperate need of donations for our Winter Fete cake stall. Home-baked or faked, any cake donations would be very much appreciated. Please drop them off on Wednesday morning. Many thanks!



We need your jumpers!

Do you have Christmas jumpers from previous years that are now too small? If so, please donate them to our Christmas Jumper Stall at the Winter Fete!

Pop along on the day to pick up a bargain in advance of this year's Christmas Jumper Day (the last day of term) in aid of Save the Children. Jumpers should be dropped off at the school office by Tuesday 6th December please and must be clean and in good condition. All proceeds will go to the school.

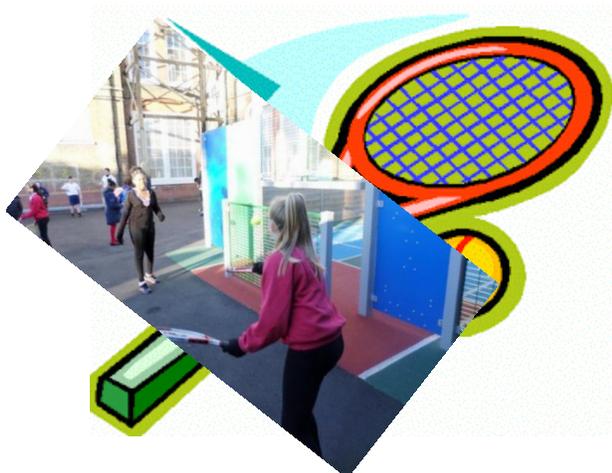


Open Morning



If your child is due to start Nursery in 2017, why not book to come along to our next Open Morning on Wednesday 7th November? All of our Open Mornings begin at 9:30am and include a presentation on how to apply, the chance to meet the teacher and the opportunity to ask any questions you may have.

For further information or to book a place, please contact the School Office.



Visit from the Wimbledon Junior Tennis Initiative

On Tuesday, classes in KS2, KS1 and Reception enjoyed a spot of tennis coaching, courtesy of the All England Tennis Club. Despite the chilly weather, it was lovely to see everyone outside trying so hard to put into practice what they were learning from the coaches Mark and Darren. We were all very impressed by your efforts, well done!

How green is *your* Christmas tree?

Your tree this year could help save lives in West Africa.

This year, our school Christmas tree has been donated by **The Christmas Forest**.

From 27th November, The Christmas Forest will be selling a fabulous selection of sustainably grown, freshly cut Christmas trees all handpicked for their quality.

Every single tree sold will fund the planting of a tree in the drylands of Africa, helping to restore the landscape as well as providing employment opportunities for some of the world's poorest people.



With five different varieties and a huge range of sizes, all displayed in a festive forest-like setting, as well as the chance to purchase holly, wreaths and mistletoe too, why not come and pick your perfect Christmas tree from our Christmas forest, enjoying an extra festive glow knowing your tree means life.



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<https://www.christmasforest.co.uk/>



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Rights of the Month highlighted in blue



Dates for the Diary

Next Week

Tuesday 6 th December	Autumn term Parents evening 2	Please book an appointment with your child's class teacher
Wednesday 7 th December	Nursery class 2017 open morning (meeting and tour of the school)	Prospective parents
Wednesday 7 th December	Winter fete at 3.30pm	Everybody welcome!

Next Week

Tuesday 13 th December	Autumn term Parent evening 3	Please book an appointment with your child's class teacher
Wednesday 14 th December	Children's Christmas lunch	-
Thursday 15 th December	KS1/2 Christmas performance at the Ascension Church - 2pm	Parents welcome
Friday 16 th December	FS Nativity for parents (in school) 9.30am	Parents welcome
Monday 19 th December	FS Nativity for parents (in school) 2pm	Parents welcome
Tuesday 20 th December	Christmas parties and Santa in the afternoon	-
Wednesday 21 st December	Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day Last day of term - 2pm finish	-

Article 14

Every child has the right to think and believe what they want and to practise their religion, as long as they are not stopping other people from enjoying their rights.