

Sion Mills Integrated Primary School

December 2024 Edition

Dates for the diary



Milk Money £3 December payment due on School **Gateway App**

Saturday 30th November Sion Christmas Lights Switch On with school Choir

PTFA Meeting Monday 2nd December @ 7pm. **Everyone welcome**

Tuesday 10th Dec @ 6:30pm Wednesday 11th Dec@1:15 P1-3 A Stable Story

Thursday 12th Dec NSPCC Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Dinner



Friday 13th Dec@ 10am Nursery Nativity

Saturday 14th & Tuesday 17th Dec Nursery and P1 Open Day

Wednesday 18th @6:30pm Thursday 19th @6.30pm P4-P7 A Christmas Carol

Friday 20th @12:00 School closes for **Christmas Holidays**

Preparations for the upcoming shows are well underway, and we are looking forward to welcoming all our parents and extended families to the performances. We would also like to extend our sincere thanks to our parents for their support; making arrangements for pupils to attend extra rehearsals, sourcing costumes and purchasing tickets. All proceeds from the shows go towards our school funds which will be used to enhance provisions for all pupils. This is such a fun time of year and we have lots of exciting treats planned for the children over the coming weeks.

Mrs Kingh

focus for the month



Our school value of the month is SAFETY



Dark mornings, evenings and bad weather can make travelling conditions more challenging. To ensure everyone's safety we urge you to take more care when arriving and leaving the school grounds.



Our Digital Leaders are working hard in school reminding pupils of the importance of staying safe online. Check out their Online Safety newsletter on our school website.

With many pupils receiving new devices over Christmas, we would encourage all parents to research parental controls and settings.

Reminders



Our PTFA would like to invite all new members to join their next meeting on Monday 2nd Dec@ 7pm Please spread the word, everyone is welcome.



There is quite a lot of sickness at this time of year. We encourage parents to ensure pupils are fully recovered before their return to school. Please notify the school about absences using class Seesaw / or via the school office.



If your child has been requested to source a costume for the show, please ensure this is labelled before bringing in to school.

Together We Learn

Together We Grow

Together We Shine

Important information:



P1-P3 Nativity Performances: Night Show on Tuesday 10th December @7:00pm Matinee on Wednesday 11th December @1:30pm P4-P7 A Christmas Carol Performances: Wednesday 18th December @ 7:00pm Thursday 19th December @ 7:00pm



Tickets for both shows and our amazing 8 Hamper Draw are now on sale from the school office or through the class teacher. Please send money and clearly marked details in an envelope. Show ticket price £5pp. Raffle ticket price £1per ticket.



Open Days for Nursery and Primary 1 entry September 2025 now available for booking. Information available on school Facebook page or leaflets.



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

St Vincent De Paul provide food hampers for those in need. As a school community we recognise that more families than ever are facing hardship. We would like to request that you join us in supporting this cause by

donating non-perishable items to the collection boxes outside the school office.

Please reach out if there is anything we can support you with, we are here to help. Check us out on our school website and our school facebook Page for more information contact: info@sionmillsintegrated.strabane.ni.sch.uk

