

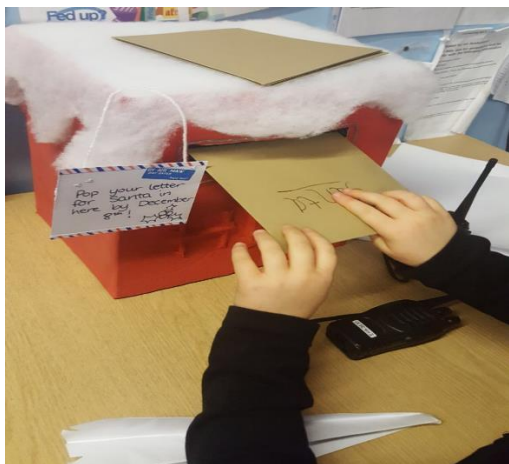


NEWSLETTER Term 3 January 2018

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Happy New Year. We hope you all had a wonderful break.

Some of the children wrote a letter to Santa and posted it in our special post box. They even received a reply which was very exciting!



The Christmas disco on the last week of term was full of fun, games and dancing. We were even lucky enough to get a visit from Santa Clause.



Recently, we made the most of the snow and spent a day sledging. Great fun was had by all and most of us even managed to stay dry!



New equipment We have new toys and outdoor equipment, including FIFA 18 for the x-box and more Lego. Donations of unwanted toys are always welcome as well as bit and bobs for junk modelling. Thank you to those who have already donated.

Congratulations As many of you will already know, Jennifer is leaving to undertake an exciting new position as Unit Manager of St. Clare's after school care. We wish her all the best in her new role, although we will miss her loads (especially her baking activities!).

Celebrations

This coming term is packed with fun celebrations including Robert Burns Day, Shrove Tuesday, Chinese New Year, Mother's Day and Easter. We will have a Burns supper and Chinese food to introduce children to new tastes.

Parents Information

The Allergy Awareness Show is back at Glasgow's SECC in March. This is a free and informative event. Staff and parents attended this event last year and found it to be a very helpful and a fun day out with plenty of tasters. If you are interested, please speak to the unit Manager or google for further information.

TRAINING

Staff have recently updated training and will continue with personal development throughout the year. Training before summer will include Child Protection, First Aid, Food Hygiene and Infection Control.

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This term we will focus on Achieving. The children will be supported in setting a personal goal for the term and working towards achieving it.



School Holidays

The after school care will be closed on Monday 12th February and will reopen on Thursday 15th February. We will be closed for Easter on Friday 30th March and will reopen on Monday 16th April.

Please remember if you require Easter, Summer or October school holiday cover, the staff work at T.A.S.C. in St Ninians Primary school, and they can accommodate your child. You can access their holiday programme at www.tascafterschoolcare.org.uk

Fees

Please refer to our fee policy ensuring fees are kept up to date and are 2 weeks in advance. Please do not hesitate to see the unit manager should you have any queries regarding fees. Please avoid staff having to ask you to abide by the policy.

Inspection We are yet again delighted to announce the finding from the recent Care Inspection which were as follows:

Quality of care and support
5 - Very Good

Quality of environment
5 - Very Good

Quality of staffing
5 - Very Good

Quality of management and leadership-
5 - Very Good

Please click on this link for a more detailed look at the report.

<http://www.careinspectorate.com/index.php/care-services>

Please remember to join us on FACEBOOK. Also check out our website on www.happylittlepeopleafterschoolcare.org.uk where you can be kept up to date with all the latest information and dates for your diary.

Cheryl