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NEWSLETTER

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Please remember that this Friday, 1st December we are holding a drop in morning for all Parents/Carers of Courtland School. It will run from 8.30am-9.15am. This will be an opportunity to see your child's work. It would be lovely to see as many of you there as possible.

Please support our Christmas Fair on the 9th December. Please read the PTA message below as we really need your help and support.

Please also see below the urgent message from Miss Wakefield regarding Friday's performance at the Mill Hill Christmas Market.

Miss Lisa Walker

*This half term our SEAL theme is: Getting on and Falling out
Thought Of The Week:*

"No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted"

*Congratulations to Ibrahim Abdul Kadir, Anda Ocheja, Sahib Sahota, Zaky Aziz, Nuveena Subasingha, Maryam Khan and Aisha Abdullahi who were recorded in the **Golden Book** for their outstanding work.*

Congratulations to Ishan Chag who achieved his Swimming Challenge Certificate, Saffron Sahota who achieved her Junior Swimmer Certificate, Poppy Sahota who achieved her God Survival Swimming Certificate and Karina Vagjiani who achieved her 50metres Swimming Certificate.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

The school photographer returned to school today to take sibling photos. Proofs have been sent home today and should be returned with the orders to the School Office by Monday 4th December at the latest.

MILL HILL CHRISTMAS MARKET - Urgent

This Friday, 1st December, Miss Wakefield is taking the choir members to perform at Mill Hill Christmas Market between 2:30-3:00pm. If you have not returned your slip to say whether the Infant Choir can attend please do so tomorrow as at the moment there are not enough children to enable the infant choir to participate.

CHRISTMAS POST BOX

The Christmas Post box will be outside the office for your children's cards from Monday 4th December. Please make sure that they have the **full name and class** of the recipient on the envelope so they can be delivered correctly. Last posting day is **Friday 15th December**.

PTA NEWS

We are all looking forward to Courtland's annual Christmas Fair and hope to see you all there. A massive amount of effort has been made to make the fair very special; however some Year groups are still struggling to fill their volunteer list. Please make every effort to donate 1 hour of your time to the children and school if you have not already done so.

We would like to thank all our sponsors for the raffle prizes:

- Amazon Echo donated by Martyn Gerard
- Polaroid Snap Touch donated by Advanced Tutorial Collage, Watford Way
- Microsoft Surface donated by London College of Business
- 2x30 min massages at Siam Sanctuary
- Family tickets to Windsor castle
- Family tickets to Roald Dahl museum
- 3 free days at multi-sport camp at Elms
- 2 vouchers for Flip Out, Brent Cross
- 4 complementary frozen yogurts at Yogopink
- 2 Family entries for FarmYard Bushey
- 5 free entries for Topsy Turvy, Brent Cross
- Small hamper with tea, chocolates and candle from Waitrose
- Bath salts and Bath gel from Waitrose
- Gift from Tzifira

Please return your raffle tickets to the PTA box.

We look forward to seeing you at The Fair!

THE GREAT COURTLAND CHRISTMAS BAKE OFF

There will be a competition for the best baked cake at The Fair (adult entry) and a competition for the best baked cupcakes (children's entry). Cupcakes are to be Christmas themed and cakes should follow the theme of a celebration. Cupcake boxes will be supplied for the cupcakes and a 10" board will be supplied for the adult entry cake. Entry forms must be in school by Monday 4th December and your bakes should be brought to the Fair on the day, by 9.30am. All cakes will then be auctioned on the day. So come on Courtland, get your rolling pins out put on your aprons and bake. Entry forms available from the school office. Entry cost is £5.00 per entry.

PTA MUFTI DAY

On Friday 8th December children can wear their own clothes to school in return for bringing in an item for the mufti tombola. This can be any new item ie: candles, toiletries or other unwanted gifts.

INFANT PRODUCTION TICKET REQUESTS

If you haven't put your ticket requests in yet please see your Class Teaching Assistants as they will be issuing tickets on Monday