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### Christmas Fair

Our Christmas fair will be on 11<sup>th</sup> December 2009, 6.00 - 7.30pm. Once again we will be holding some special days to collect items for the fair, these are as follows:-

#### **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> November**

Bring a bottle day (new and unopened).

Your child can come to school in non uniform on this day. We would like to ask that all children bring in a bottle of something for the fair (new and unopened).

#### **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December**

Big hair - bring something for the fair.

Your child can come to school with 'big hair' on this day; we would like to ask that they bring in something suitable for a prize/ tombola stall at the fair.

#### **Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> December**

Wear silly socks - bring some chocs.

For the final special day your child can come to school in silly socks, we would like to ask that all children bring in some chocolates for the fair.

This is one of the biggest fundraising days for our school and the children enjoy it. We really appreciate all of your help and support, thank you.

### Christmas Cards

Once again the time of year is approaching when we will all be sending and receiving lots of Christmas cards.

Together we all spend such a lot of money on Christmas cards each year and we thought that it would be a better idea to use this money to help those less fortunate than ourselves.



We would like to ask you to bring the money that you would normally spend on cards into the school office so that we can donate it to 'Oxfam Unwrapped'.

Oxfam Unwrapped will use the money to purchase useful essentials for life in deprived countries; gifts include items such as text books, trees, farmland and medicines. There are many more items that we could purchase; it just depends on how much is raised.

The children will enjoy helping to decide which gifts to purchase and it will be educational for them to discuss what these deprived countries will find useful and why it will be useful to them.

### Attendance and Class Points

This week's class points were awarded to Class 1.

Well done and keep up the good work.

The Class with the best attendance last week was Class 1.

The class with the best attendance so far this year is Class 5.

Well done.

#### Well Done

We would like to say well done to class 6 who took part in a music project with the Northern College of Music this week. The performance was fantastic!

#### Creative Junk Modelling

Please could you bring in any milk bottle tops, cereal boxes, yoghurt pots, kitchen roll tubes, plastic bottles, shoe boxes, catalogues or small boxes to school. The children use these items to make some very impressive models!

#### Year 3 Assembly

Parents of all children are invited to the Class 3 Diwali assembly on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November at 2.00pm.

Please do come along to support the children, you will be very welcome.

