

# Sutton St James CP School

## Weekly Update

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### Reminders:

- ◆ Tues 7th Nov—Herons Ancient Greek day
- ◆ Fri 10th Nov—Remembrance Day Assembly
- ◆ Mon 13th Nov—Anti-bullying day
- ◆ Fri 17th Nov—Children in Need day
- ◆ Tues 28th Nov—Enterprise morning
- ◆ Fri 1st Dec—Christmas Fair—6-8pm
- ◆ Thurs 7th Dec—Carol Singing
- ◆ Mon 11th Dec—Christingle—6pm
- ◆ Tues 12th Dec—Pantomime visit
- ◆ Fri 15th Dec—Christmas Crafts and Lunch

### 2017/18 Term Dates

- Term 1—5th Sep—20th Oct
- Term 2—31st Oct—19th Dec
- Term 3—3rd Jan—9th Feb
- Term 4—19th Feb—28th March
- Term 5—16th April—25th May
- Term 6—4th June—20th Jul

### Harvest Festival!

On the final Friday of last term the children all walked to our local village hall to perform their Harvest Festival celebration. The children did an amazing job, singing lots of different songs and remembering the parts for their individual class performances, Wrens retold an adaptation of the story 'Pumpkin Soup', Swallows sang a song all about the Harvest, Owls performed a harvest rap and Herons recited a harvest performance poem. Thank you to all of the parents, grandparents and family members that came to the performance—it was great for the children to have such a big audience to perform to. We hope that you enjoyed it as much as we did!



### Comic / Cartoon Character Day!

Tuesday was a great start back to school with the children all dressing up as their favourite cartoon/comic character. We had all sorts of people in school including several super heroes, witches, cats, minions, a dinosaur, Wally and Dora the Explorer! The children all had a fantastic day and spent lots of time completing writing activities inspired by their costumes. Well done to everybody who made the effort to dress up - regardless of whether the costume was home-made or bought—you all looked fantastic!



### Celebration Assembly and Remembrance Assembly!

On Friday 10th November we will be having a Remembrance assembly at 9am which parents are invited to come to. Due to this being on the Friday, Celebration assembly has been moved next week to the Thursday morning at 9am. Once again, it would be great to see lots of you there to celebrate the good work and achievements of all of our classes.

**Children in Need Day** On Friday 17th November we will be having our Children in Need Day. This year we are asking the children to come in dressed in non-uniform including one piece of spotty clothing. We ask all children to bring in a donation of £1 to give to the charity for wearing non-uniform. We will also be running our house competition to cover Pudsey Bear with coins. Each house will have their own Pudsey to cover and the winners will be the house covering Pudsey with the most money.

### Herons—Ancient Greek Day

On Tuesday next week Herons class will be dressing up as Ancient Greeks and taking part in a inspired day to help them to learn all about Ancient Greek times. This will help to consolidate the learning that they have already done in school and also teach them new things. The children are looking forward to making bread in preparation for this event next week and to eating it along with a variety of other typical Ancient Greek foods.

