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**Friday 11th November 2016**

## ST NEOT NURSERY

As you will have read in this week's letter the Governing Board has taken the decision to open the Nursery from the beginning of January. We are very excited about this new opportunity and how it will help parents and children of St Neot and the surrounding area to have access to long term high quality childcare.

The existing Pre-school is taking all the toys and resources to Cardinham so we need to start from scratch. Do you have any toys or games at home that are suitable for under 5s that are in good condition and which you no longer need? If so we would be most grateful for them. We are looking for items such as dolls prams, outdoor sit and rides, jigsaws, farm and zoo animals, books, dressing up clothes etc. Thank you.

## WALKING ON WEDNESDAYS

We have decided to stop Walking on Wednesday until after February half term. This is due to inclement weather and imminent bridge repairs. Thank you to everyone who has taken part, this evidence will go towards our next healthy schools audit.

## TWO CHOIRS

On Tuesday the Loveny Male Voice Choir came in to sing with the choir after school club. They are rehearsing for the concert in the church on 15th December-ticket information will be available soon. The Male Voice Choir will be visiting us again in a couple of weeks' time.

## GOVERNOR NEWS

At this week's meeting of the Governing Board Mrs Dorothy Tamblyn was elected as Chair and Mr Ben Jones as Vice Chair.

## CHILDREN IN NEED FRIDAY 18TH NOVEMBER

Wear your PJs to school or wear something spotty.  
£1 per child, all proceeds to Children in Need.

### AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Cookery finishes on 14th November; IT and football finish on 21st November; Hockey finishes on 24th November; Badminton finishes on 7th December; There is no choir on 15th November but the club will continue until 1st December. Clubs will begin again in January.

**REMEMBRANCE** As it was such a lovely morning

we all walked down to the village war memorial. We read the names of the men who had given their lives for us and then held a minutes silence. We have had a display up in the hall all week and had a special assembly to explain what it was about. The Male Voice Choir were particularly impressed with the display. Thank you to everyone who bought poppies from school, we'll give you the total amount raised when we hear from the British Legion.



★ **CONGRATULATIONS** to Mrs Bunt who successfully  
★ passed her Wild Tribe assessment this week.  
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## WILD TRIBE VOLUNTEER NEEDED

Mrs Bunt occasionally needs help with Wild Tribe on a Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon. If you would be interested in helping her as a volunteer please speak to Dee in the office thank you.

**THANK YOU** to Mr Mort who not only comes in as a volunteer to listen to children read but has also planted up our flower tubs this week.

## PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP

The Parent and Toddler Group is held in school every Monday from 9.30-11.30am. £2 per session for parents with children from 0-3 years.

## PTA CHRISTMAS FAIR AND OPEN DAY

**Thursday 24th November**

The Christmas Fair will take place in the school hall on Thursday 24th November from 2.00pm.

Tables include sweets, gifts, crafts and cakes as well as refreshments and raffle.

If you would like a stall please contact the PTA or Dee.

We also thought it would be good for you to have the opportunity to see the school in action so please feel free to come in from 2.00pm to participate in phonics and SPAG lessons.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to former pupil Lauren who was recently crowned Miss Teen Inspiration South West, and to her mum Tracey who was crowned Miss Inspirational Woman South West. Lauren also won the award for best evening gown. They now go through to the finals in April in Wales.

We have been requested by local organisations to include the community events detailed below. These events are not endorsed by St Neot School.

Children and adults models wanted for Mackays Fashion Show on Friday 25th November at East Taphouse Hall. For more information please phone Denise Yeo on 01579 321638.