# Newsletter \#11 - Autumn Term 



Dear Parents,
Another Friday, another week done!
With the weather turning colder, it is wonderful to see the children embracing the changing seasons with such enthusiasm. We have all been encouraged to see children keen to take part in activities, even when it is a bit cold or wet, and just how resilient they are to the delightful weather we are blessed with in this part of the world! It is always worth keeping in mind the weather forecast and the fact we do like to use the outdoors in our classwork when your children are getting ready for school. We will always try to give you advanced warning if there is going to be a particularly muddy event. Speaking of which....

## Advanced warning - Reindeer Rush $13^{\text {th }}$ December

As in previous years, we are joining in with the Reindeer Rush for 2021. This is a great fun event that the whole school takes part in and can help raise money for St John's Hospice. More information about this will come out nearer the time, but it will be taking place on Monday $13^{\text {th }}$ December.


## Kitchen Vacancy



Dolce, the company who provides the school meals, have announced a vacancy in our kitchen. If you would like to know more, such as hours and responsibilities, please get in touch with Wendy Farrar on 07795968352.

## P.T.A. Christmas Fair - Mufti day Friday 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ December

We are getting ever closer to our Christmas fair and the PTA are busy working away behind the scenes to get everything ready. We will be having a non-uniform day next week, Friday $3^{\text {rd }}$ December, and it would be wonderful if children could bring in a donation - Year 6 will have Monday $6^{\text {th }}$ December for their day. As in previous would like small prizes for the tombola (stationery items, toiletries, small toys, food items) and any sort of chocolate for the chocolate tombola. A few weeks ago, we mentioned keeping clean
 jars with lids. It would be great if these could be filled with Christmas goodies, such as the one's shown below, and brought in to school on Friday. Obviously, these can't be kept in the fridge until the fair so contents need to be suitable e.g. not yoghurt...!

St Mary's PTA.
St. Mary's Primary School, KL Uniform Sell \& Seek


## Hanukkah Afternoon

We will be exploring the celebration of Hanukkah on Monday afternoon and have a host of activities for the children to enjoy. One of these activities will be the partaking of traditional doughnut tasting - it's a tough job, but someone's got to do it. If your child is unable to have doughnuts for any reason, but would like to have something to join in, please send it in with them on Monday.


## Bike Buddies Part 2



Unlike two weeks ago with the Year 5 and Year 4 children, the weather has been very kind today and the children have had an amazing time with Karl. It is wonderful to see so many bikes around school and the focus, enthusiasm and enjoyment was clear to see from everyone. Karl was suitably impressed with the children and we are very much looking forward to more events to develop our cycling skills. Let's hope the plans for an improved cycling infrastructure allow the children to practise their skills even more in the future.

Well done everyone!



