



## **Newsletter 5 – 04/01/18**

### **HAPPY NEW YEAR**

Dear Families,

I would like to start this letter on behalf of everyone at St John's, by wishing you all a very happy new year. It is a great privilege for me to be invited to lead your school until the appointment of a permanent Headteacher is made. I will keep you regularly informed of any developments and of our progress. Over the next two months we also intend to launch a new website and will notify as soon as a date for the launch has been agreed. I have been fortunate enough to lead a range of schools nationally and internationally and look forward to working with you all during my time at St John's. Please be assured that I will do my very best to assure high quality education and welfare in a safe and happy environment for all of the children in our care. I look forward to meeting and working with you all.

Thank you for your continued support and all good wishes

Richard Hunter

### **SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAIR**

The Christmas Fair was a great success and raised well in excess of £1000 which will be used effectively for the children. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Gisela Graham, Baldwins, Morrisons and Tesco for their immense generosity and donations. In addition a big thank you to all the parent/carers that volunteered their help. Due to the success of the day, we are hoping this will become an annual event for St John's community.

## **CONTACT DETAILS**

Please ensure that the school holds the correct contact/emergency details for your child. It is vital that we hold all updated contact information of parent/carers and emergency contacts. If you have not already done so, please amend where necessary the contact sheet that was given during parent/carer conference day. If all details are correct, please sign and return to the school office ASAP.

## **REMINDERS/DATES**

### **Home Time Arrangements**

As a school we are aware that there may be times alternative arrangements for collecting your child/ren need to be made. However, please can parents/carers notify the school office before 3pm if there are changes as this will allow time to notify the relevant persons.

### **Half Term**

Last day of school is Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February and school will resume on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2018.

### **Date For Diary**

There will be a parent/carer open evening on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2018, details to follow.

Thank you for your continued support and if you need to speak to any member of the leadership team, please do make an appointment at the office.

**Mr Richard Hunter**

**Headteacher.**