

Dates For Your Diary



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December 2019

Date	What's happening?
Friday 13th December	Christmas Jumper Day (voluntary donation) Christmas Disco
Monday 16th December	Year 5&6 Christmas Show at 7pm
Tuesday 17th December	Year 5&6 Christmas Show at 2pm
Wednesday 18th December	Year 3&4 Christmas Party (pm) Year 2 Christmas Party (pm)
Thursday 19th December	Years 5&6 Christmas Party (pm) Reception & Year 1 Christmas Party
Friday 20th December	Last day of term! Merry Christmas everyone!
Tuesday 24th December	Santa's on his way!
Monday 6th January	First day of the Spring Term Cricket Coaching for Year 5
Monday 13th January	Cricket Coaching for Year 5
Tuesday 14th January	Computer Bus is here!
Thursday 16th January	Computer Bus is here!
Friday 17th January	Computer Bus is here!



The run-up to Christmas is always one of the busiest times in a school, but also one of the most enjoyable too. Here at Rhumsaa, our children have worked so hard to put together some wonderful shows for you all. Thanks to everyone who came along to support the children in their presentations, and for all your help in putting together costumes of all shapes and sizes!

I hope you all enjoyed the shows as much as we did; it was such a treat to see the children performing with such enthusiasm, heart and no small talent on display.

As ever, on behalf of everyone here at the school, I would like to thank you all for your continued positivity, support and enthusiasm for our school - it truly makes a big difference - and to wish you all a very Merry Christmas.

Don't forget, if you're looking for a full list of the school term dates and holidays, you can find a chart on our website by [clicking this link!](#)



Anti-Bullying Week 2019

Anti-Bullying Week was a real success this year, and we are all so proud of the work our Year 5 pupils in particular did in highlighting how we can all work together to prevent bullying.

The Year 5 children delivered assemblies and lessons to all of the classes in the school, talking about how to recognise bullying and how we can all play a part in stopping it.

You can find our anti-bullying policy at our website. It's revised each year in January; if you'd like to be a part of that process, please watch out for an invite in the new year!



The Car Park

We've noticed a few cars over the past few weeks have been left unattended but with the engine still running at the beginning and end of the school day.

This is potentially quite dangerous (as well as not too environmentally friendly!), so please could we ask that when you leave your car you ensure that the ignition is switched off. Thanks for your cooperation!

Mrs Yorkshire!

As part of our Anti-Bullying activities, as well as our literacy programme, we were over the moon to welcome Mrs Yorkshire the Baking Bard to the school! Mrs Yorkshire worked with our Year 5



children to create some fantastic poetry, and even wrote a special poem just for the school! In fact, she has written us a new poem just for Christmas....but that's under wraps until the Year 5 & 6 Christmas Concert!

MSR Christmas Schedule

Christmas Holidays

Monday 23rd December 2019 – Friday 3rd January 2020

SPORTS DEVELOPMENT

	ACTIVITY	START	FINISH	REGISTRATION/COLLECTION	YEAR	COST	CODE
3rd Jan	DISABILITY MULTISPORTS SESSION	13:00	14:00	NSC SECONDARY SPORTS HALL	R – Y11	£2.00	
	DISABILITY GLOW SPORTS	14:30	15:30	NSC SECONDARY SPORTS HALL	R – Y11	£2.00	

RECEPTION – YEAR 2

	ACTIVITY	START	FINISH	REGISTRATION/COLLECTION	YEAR	COST	CODE
23rd Dec	FUN HOCKEY SESSION	09:00	12:00	NSC SECONDARY SPORTS HALL	R – Y2	£7.50	
	FUN FOOTBALL SESSION						
30th Dec	FUN ATHLETICS SESSION	09:00	12:00	NSC SECONDARY SPORTS HALL	R – Y2	£7.50	
	FUN BOWLS SESSION						
31st Dec	FUN BADMINTON SESSION	09:00	12:00	NSC SECONDARY SPORTS HALL	R – Y2	£7.50	
	FUN TENNIS SESSION						
2nd Jan	FUN TRI GOLF SESSION	09:00	12:00	NSC SECONDARY SPORTS HALL	R – Y2	£7.50	
	FUN TAG RUGBY SESSION						
3rd Jan	FUN SCHOOL GAMES	09:00	12:00	NSC SECONDARY SPORTS HALL	R – Y2	£7.50	
	FUN ATHLETICS SESSION						

YEAR 3 – YEAR 7

	ACTIVITY	START	FINISH	REGISTRATION/COLLECTION	YEAR	COST	CODE
23rd Dec	HOCKEY SESSION	09:00	16:00	NSC GRANDSTAND	Y3-Y7	£15.00	
	FOOTBALL SESSION						
	BOWLS SESSION						
30th Dec	MULTI SPORTS SESSION	09:00	16:00	NSC MAIN SPORTS HALL	Y3-Y7	£15.00	
	BASKETBALL/NETBALL SESSION						
	TENNIS SESSION						
31st Dec	ATHLETICS SESSION	09:00	16:00	NSC MAIN SPORTS HALL	Y3-Y7	£15.00	
	TAG RUGBY SESSION						
	GLOW SPORTS SESSION						
2nd Jan	CRICKET SESSION	09:00	16:00	NSC MAIN SPORTS HALL	Y3-Y7	£15.00	
	SCHOOL GAMES SESSION						
	ROUNDERS SESSION						
3rd Jan	BADMINTON SESSION	09:00	16:00	NSC MAIN SPORTS HALL	Y3-Y7	£15.00	
	TABLE TENNIS SESSION						
	SQUASH SESSION						

Girls Football



Our Year 3 and Year 4 Girls Football teams had a whole lot of fun at yesterday's tournament! They represented the school fantastically well at The Bowl in Douglas, and showed just the kind of sporting behaviour, positive attitude and determination that we love to see! Our thanks to everyone who helped out with transport, support and refreshments for the afternoon!

Bunscoill Rhumsaa PTA

Our new Parent Teacher Association has made a terrific start, raising plenty of money for the school and arranging some great events - and there's lots more to come! Please do continue to support their events and activities - it's a huge help to the school!



Christmas Parties at Buniscoill Rhuimsaa!



It's our Christmas Parties this week! You can see the dates of each year group's party in the panel on the right. Here is what you need to know for your child's party:

- * The day of the party is a dress down day for those year groups
- * Infant parties don't require any food to be brought in
- * Junior parties welcome food - class teachers have sent home requests!

Wednesday 18th December

Year 2 Christmas Party

Year 3 & 4 Christmas Party

Thursday 19th December

Reception & Year 1 Christmas Party

Year 5 & 6 Christmas Party

Friday 20th December

As usual, this is 'toy day'! Children may bring a toy or game to school.

