## De Beauvoir Primary School Newsletter Monday 29th November 2021

Dear pupils, parents and carers,

#### **CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY**

We will be raising money for Save the Children on **Friday 10th December** with a Christmas Jumper Day. Children can also wear their own clothes if they do not have a Christmas Jumper. Please bring **£1** to help raise money for children who need food, resources and help them feel safe.



Due to the increasing numbers of COVID-19 and the new variant, we are asking **ALL parents/carers to wear masks**, unless exempt. Please wear masks whilst inside the school and please try to socially distance where possible.

Thank you and have a great week,

Daniela Rader (Head of School)

## OLSJ School 2021 Christmas Tree Fundraising Deadline—Tuesday 30th November

The Parents Association at Our Lady and St Joseph School (opposite De Beauvoir) are offering lovely Christmas trees at reduced prices. Same They are collaborating with De Beauvoir and **profits** from trees sold to De Beauvoir School parents will be going to **De Beauvoir School.** 

How it works: The Our Lady and St Joseph Parents' Association buys the trees at wholesale prices and sell them at a small profit, with the profits going to the school. This year, they have approached De Beauvoir and are offering our parents the opportunity to buy trees also. To order your Christmas tree:

Send an email to olsjparents@gmail.com stating the following information:

Subject: OLSJ Christmas Trees

- Parent's name & mobile number/ eldest child
- Which type of tag/size of the tree, quantity of trees or wreaths
- Please transfer the correct amount of money to the following account:

OLSJ Parents' Association Lloyds Sort code: 30 95 96

Account number: 19976668 Ref: PA Christmas Tree

# See additional sheet for more information.

Tree species	<u>Price</u>		
Black Tag (3-4 ft)	£28		
Pink (4-5 ft)	£30		
Yellow (5-6 ft)	£35		
Blue (6-7 ft)	£45		
White (7-8 ft)	£58		
Wreath (12 inch)	£17		

WINTER DISCO CANCELLED CLASS DISCOS FRIDAY 15th DECEMBER

Unfortunately, we are having to cancel our Winter Disco due to increases in the number of cases of COVID and revised guidance and advice from Hackney. In order to ensure our families and pupils are at the lowest risk, we will be reducing the number of whole school events that are being held before Christmas.

Instead, we are inviting children to wear non-uniform/party clothes **Friday 17th December** and we will still be collecting £1 donations for Crisis at Christmas. Classes will be having their own discos in

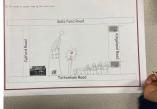
the afternoon instead of a whole school disco. Thank you for your support and understanding.

# All breakt a mark now of the last area

Beech Class have been drawing simple maps of their local area. First they walked to Dalston Junction and back and then drew what they could see as part of their local history learning.

**BEECH CLASS DRAW MAPS OF DALSTON** 





IMPORTANT DATES, 2021 –2022				
Tuesday 7th and Wednesday 8th December Parent/Carer Evenings				
Friday 10th December	Christmas Jumper Day			
Monday 13th—Wednesday 15th December	Magnolia Class to Ufton Court			
Friday 17th December	Class discos and non-uniform day			
Friday 17th December, 3:30pm	End of Autumn Term			





Well done to these children for being Times Tables Rock Stars!

Leaderboard 1st: King 2nd: Aiden 3rd: Ishak Most Active Last Week: Birch: Meherull Olive: King Magnolia: Amaya Sycamore: Noah

## PUNCTUALITY

Being on time helps your child have a settled start to the day and prevents missed learning. Here are the percentage of late marks by class last week:

Fig : 0.8% // Beech : 2.4% // Birch : 4.1% // Olive : 2.2% // Magnolia : 2.8% // Sycamore: 3.5% There has been an improvement, however, please continue to

ensure that your child is punctual for school each day!

**READING PLUS** 



Most Active Last Week: Olive: Zaineb Magnolia: Lanilde, Ishak And Shanel Sycamore: Elif

Congratulations

Congratulations to these children for receiving

Special Awards for PE this week!:

Nala

Narabi

Freva

Jeremiah

Beech:

Birch :

Olive:

Magnolia:



YEAR 3/4 VISIT THE BOLDS

Year 3 and Year 4 visited The Unicorn Theatre last

week to see The Bolds. A big thank you to the theatre for the amazing production and our pupils, for being amazing representatives of De Beauvoir.



# ATTENDANCE

Our attendance target is 95.3% Please ensure your child comes to school every day! Beech Class: 96.0% (↓ from last week) Birch Class: 89.9% (↓ from last week) Olive Class: 94.1% (↓ from last week) Magnolia Class: 92.6% (↓ from last week) Sycamore Class: 92.9% (↓ from last week) These figures are for last week.



Congratulations to these children for receiving Star Awards for Maths this week!

Fig :	Danny
Beech :	Dontay
Birch :	Dariush
Olive:	Elida
Magnolia:	Amiee
Sycamore:	Hisham



Congratulations to these children for receiving Special Awards for Writing this week!

Fig :	Amiyah
Beech :	Destiny
Birch:	Meherull
Olive:	Lanesra
Magnolia:	Ayham
Sycamore:	Nico



Congratulations to these children for receiving Consistently Good Behaviour Awards this week!

Fig :	Johnnie
Beech :	Miles
Birch:	Narabi
Olive:	Olviia
Magnolia:	Lanilde
Sycamore:	Nevaeh
Lunchtime:	Vinda and Micah

## Our Lady and St Joseph School 2021 Christmas Tree Fundraising



#### Dear Parents,

Advent is approaching... Everything is a little different this year – but nothing will deter us from buying our Christmas trees, will it? The Parents Association at Our Lady and St Joseph School would like to do their bit and are offering lovely Christmas trees at reduced prices. Same supplier as last year and the trees were gorgeous. Are you in? Profits from trees sold to De Beauvoir School parents will be going to De Beauvoir School.

How it works: The Our Lady and St Joseph PA buys the trees at wholesale prices. We then sell them at a profit, but still significantly cheaper than at many garden centres. e.g. if a 6-7ft Nordman Fir at the wholesale price of  $\pounds$ 32.50 inc. VAT, in a garden centre these will retail for about  $\pounds$ 60-72.00, but we will sell them for  $\pounds$ 45.00. And we still make a profit, which goes to benefit our schools so it's a win-win!

To order your Christmas tree: Send an email to <u>olsiparents@gmail.com</u> stating the following information:

#### Subject: OLSJ Christmas Trees

- Parent's name & mobile number/ eldest child
- Which type of tag/size of the tree, quantity of trees or wreaths
- ADD YOUR TOTAL COSTS!

Please transfer the correct amount of money to the following account: **OLSJ Parents' Association** 

Lloyds Sort code: 30 95 96 Account number: 19976668 Ref: PA Christmas Tree



#### Place you order by 30<sup>th</sup> November 2021

Species	Black Tag	Pink	Yellow	Blue	White	Wreath
Nordman Fir	Super grade	Super Grade	Premium Grade	Premium grade	Premium Grade	Plain, no decoration
Size (cm)	100/125cm	125/150cm	150/175cm	175/200cm	200/250cm	30cm
<u>Size (inches)</u>	3-4ft	4-5ft	5-6ft	6-7ft	7-8ft	12inch
OLSJ PA Price	£28	£30	£ 35	£45	£58	£17
2020 Retail Price at local Garden Centre	£ 35	£35 - 42	£48 -55	£72	£80-88	£25

### Delivery and Collection from the car park of Our Lady and St Joseph School in Culford Road

In the week of December 6th