



Calendar Dates

Dec 2020

- 16 Dec: Streaming of Winter Tales by Sheffield Theatre
- 16 Dec: Broomhill Bake Sale - 2.30pm onwards
- 17 Dec: Broomhill Christmas Party
- 17 Dec: Virtual visit by Santa... class presents will be delivered!
- 21 Dec: Start of Christmas Holidays

Jan 2021

- 04 Jan: Inset day
- 05 Jan: Back to school



Note from the Headteacher

Dear families and friends of Broomhill Infant School,

May I take this opportunity to thank everyone at the end of this Autumn term for your patience, kindness and adhering to all things health and safety! We all have our fingers crossed that we can get to the end of this week without disruption. It's been a very different Autumn but both fabulous and creative. All our children have made solid, uninterrupted progress in their learning. Enormous thanks to the glorious Broomhill staff... everyone has gone beyond the extra mile (as always), please be assured you are all very much appreciated. Thank you too to our Governing Body, all meetings have been conducted via zoom, as always your support is appreciated.

Please read the letters regarding the changed self isolation period and track and trace after the children break up on Friday 18th December. Any problems please don't hesitate to contact me on headteacher@broomhill.sheffield.sch.uk

I wish you all a happy Christmas holiday. Look after one another, stay safe and we'll look forward to seeing everyone relaxed and refreshed on Tuesday 5th January 2021.

Kindest regards

Catherine Timbers.

Broomhill Christmas Party, 17 December 2020

Broomhill children will be enjoying a Christmas party on Thursday, 17 December. There is special party menu organised by our food suppliers Taylor Shaw. Please see the menu attached. Thank you.



Christmas Bake Sale and Raffle

Broomhill is organising a Christmas Bake Sale on 16 Dec from 2.30pm onwards. Cupcakes, cookies and gingerbread biscuits will be individually packed for the sale. A beautiful red velvet cake decorated with elaborate icing is the grand prize of our Christmas Raffle, all for £1 a strip of 5 tickets. The cake has been donated by Suriya, one of our 'Let's Get Cooking' volunteers. [Tickets for raffle and Broomhill merchandise will be on sale at drop off and pick up times.](#)



The proceeds from the bake sale will be shared between Sheffield Children's Hospital Charity and Broomhill Infant school. Our share is going towards a new climbing frame which has been ordered and will be delivered and set up in the February Half-term holidays.

Christmas Display at John Lewis

Broomhill children have produced some beautiful artwork for John Lewis's 'Someone Special' theme, which is now on display. Please do go and see it if you can! We are so proud of all our children. Broomhill's rich diverse community is displayed gloriously.



Winter Tales of Wonder by Sheffield Theatres



In the absence of live theatre and pantomimes, Sheffield Theatres will be streaming Winter Tales of Wonder via zoom. Broomhill children will enjoy their virtual theatre on 16 December. Each class will enjoy their screen time in their own class bubble. This is also an excellent way in which we can support our local theatres and performing arts. The school will pay for this treat.

Christmas Fundraiser

Kerry, a parent of a child in Red and Yellow Base, has set up the Christmas fundraiser for Broomhill. Kerry has been able to contact some parents but would like to share with as many parents as possible. The link will close on 16th December. Please see the link below for more information and to make any donations. <https://paypal.me/pools/campaign/115038147816247735>

Message from office

Milk order for next term: Thank you to all those who have paid promptly. Please make payment for milk provision for next term to the office by end of 15 December. Thank you.

Vacancy for Parent Governor: Thank you to all parents who have responded the election of a Parent Governor on the Board of School Governors. We have 5 potential candidates for the position. We will be sending out personal statements and voting slips in the first week back in January. Thank you.

Climbing Frame



Broomhill School has ordered a new climbing frame for our playground. We are looking to dispose off the existing frame. Do you know if someone could use this apparatus? Any parents or friends of families interested are very welcome to take it provided they can make arrangements to dismantle and transport it. Any small token donation to the school fund for the frame in exchange will be very appreciated. For any enquiries, please contact the school asap. Thank you.

Topic for next half term

Our topic for next half term is 'Why is the Sky Blue?' We will be holding a photographic competition entitled 'The Sky'. Lets get clicking!



Christmas Holiday Challenge

Move More, School Games and Healthy Holidays have come together to keep children moving over the Christmas holidays. Please see information sheet attached. All children are being given a paper copy to bring home. Lets all stay active and healthy!

Easyfundraising

At this time of year we all purchase items using the internet. You can help the school by using the Easy fundraising site. This is a free site that gives money to our school with every purchase made simply by logging onto their site prior to making your purchase.

It's as easy as 1, 2, 3...

1. Head to <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/broomhillis/> and join for free.
2. Every time you shop online, go to easyfundraising first to find the site you want and start shopping.
3. After you've checked out, that retailer will make a donation to your good cause for no extra cost whatsoever!

There are no catches or hidden charges and Broomhill Infant School FOBS, Sheffield will be really grateful for your donations. Thank you for your support.

