

Newsletter

5th December 2025

Diary Dates

December

Tues 9th Pre-School Panto 9.15am Tues 9th Flu Vaccination (round 2) Wed 10th School Tour 9am Wed 10th Christingle 2pm Thurs 11th Christmas Jumper Day Thurs 11th Christmas Dinner Day Fri 12th Yr 5 Swimming Fri 19th Last day of Term

> **CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS** MON 22nd DEC - FRI 2nd JAN

January

Mon 5th **INSFT DAY** Tues 6th First Day Back



Mrs McMurray, Mr Emery & The Jeavons Wood Team

No Wheels in the Playground

During drop off and pick up we ask that no bikes or scooters are ridden across the playground. It is very busy with parents and children and we want to avoid and collisions or accidents. Please walk and bikes or scooters across the playground during these busy times.

Christmas Jumper Day

On Thursday 11th December we are inviting children to come to school wearing a Christmas jumper as a fundraiser for Save the Children. We are asking parents to organise online payments as we are a cashless school we ask that payments are made using the following link:

http://www.justgiving.com/page/jea vonswoodchristmasjumperday



Hampers

We will be making our Christmas hampers again this year. If you would like to nominate yourself or another family who may be in need of a little extra this Christmas, please email Mrs Hubbard <u>ifsw@jeavonswood.org</u> Any food donations would be most welcome. We will put a table in the school foyer if you are able to support this cause.

Christmas Tree



Huge hanks to Milton Christmas tree farm and the family of Demarie for donating a real Christmas tree to the school this year!

Christingle

We're really excited to continue with our Jeavons Wood tradition of KS2 attending the Cambourne Church at 2pm on Wednesday 10th December, for our much loved and celebrated Christingle service. We would love it if you could join us in the church for a prompt 2pm start. This is for KS2 parents only.

Late to School

Unfortunately we are still seeing an increase in children arriving late. As we head into the last weeks of the term we know everyone is tired, and it can be hard to get up on the colder darker mornings, but please ensure you leave adequate time to get to school, as any lateness does affect children's learning and is disruptive to the whole class.

If your child is struggling to come in to school in the mornings please do let us know, we have a range of support we can offer.

Safeguarding

Jeavons Wood Primary School is a safe space for anyone who is experiencing Domestic Abuse. Lisa Hubbard and Abby Constable are the named Safeguarding Domestic Abuse leads. If you wish to make contact please email directly on IFSW@jeavonswood.org or ask at reception to speak to one or both of us in confidence. We are able to offer support and signposting.

Smart Phones & Watches

As we approach Christmas this is a reminder that if you are considering buying your child a smartphone or smartwatch, they are not allowed to have them in school. This is in line with our safeguarding policy. Many thanks for your co-operation.

Attendance Matters

Our School target for Attendance is 97%

> leavons Wood Attendance This Week: 95.1%

Attendance This Year: 97% National Attendance: 95.4%



PTA News

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DECEMBER

Wednesday 10th

- Christmas Lights Trail house nomination deadline 8pm
- Little Recyclers clothing collection

Friday 12th

 Christmas Lights Trail map available to download

Fri 19th

• Non-Uniform Day

Social Media

Keep up to date with PTA activity by following us on Facebook:

bit.ly/JWPTAfacebook or instagram:

https://bit.ly/JWPTAinsta.





♣ Cambourne Christmas Lights Trail ♣

Jeavons Wood PTA are putting together a festive trail to celebrate and showcase the amazing Christmas displays across Cambourne, and we'd love the community to take part. There's something truly magical about taking a trip around Cambourne to see the wonderful displays that are created.

Nominate Your Decorated Home If you've lit up your house (or are still planning to), whether it's a simple display or something spectacular you can add it to the Cambourne Christmas Lights Trail map and spread the festive sparkle.

Just submit your address using our nomination form. We only collect addresses, and no personal information is requested or stored. Please submit your house nomination by 8.00pm on Wednesday 10th December.

https://bit.ly/CambourneLights

M Get your optimised map

We've then created a map with an exciting feature! You enter your starting point, and it will automatically plan in Google Maps, the most efficient route around all the decorated houses, making it perfect for an easy, enjoyable festive outing!

Details on how to access the map will be shared soon after decorated houses have been submitted and will be available from **Friday 12th December**.



Non-Uniform Day

Come in Non-Uniform to celebrate the end of term on **Friday 19th December!**Donations of up to £1 are appreciated. To donate please visit

<u>Bit.ly/JeavonsDonate</u> or scan the QR code on the attached poster.

Little Recyclers

Little Recyclers will be back collecting your unwanted clothing on **Wednesday 10th December.**

Please drop your donations on Wednesday morning (at drop off) outside the Office Foyer where they will be collected.

Donations should always be bagged, using any bags you may have.

Please see the attached poster for information on items that can be donated.



The Parents Lottery

Supporting Jeavons Wood Primary School has never been easier or more rewarding, thanks to The Parents Lottery. This simple, fun initiative supports our school while giving you the chance to win some great prizes. Tickets cost £1 each, giving you the chance to win £25,000 (for matching all six digits) plus other weekly prizes: £1,000 for five digits, £25 for four, and £5 for three digits.

60% of every £1 ticket sale goes directly to our PTA which helps us to fund activities and resources for the children.

The draw takes place each week on a Friday (or the next working day if Friday is a public holiday), and your ticket is entered into the first draw in the following month after payment has been processed.

By taking part, you'll be helping to build a consistent, reliable income stream for our school — and at the same time be in with a shot at winning a major prize.

Get your tickets here: https://www.theparentslottery.org/scho ol/jeavons-wood-primary-school1738192316

