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## 9.11.22 **HOLMLEIGH SCHOOL WINTER FAIR**

Dear Parents/Carers.

This year we are planning to hold our **Winter Fair on Friday 2nd December,** from 2-4pm.

The fair will set up in the hall with stalls selling a range of Winter and Christmas themed items, many of which we hope are handmade, homemade or made from recycled materials.

As always we are in need of your help, which could come in a number of ways;



## Making items at home to sell on one of the Class stalls. For example,

**FOOD ITEMS**, cakes, biscuits, pastries, preserves, or take away/finger food items, etc We would love to feature **Christmas** foods from around the world.

(We know from experience the amazing cooks amongst our families)



- **HOMEMADE GIFT ITEMS** e.g. handmade jewellery, Christmas tree decorations, Christmas crackers, soap, candles, wreaths, etc (*There are craft kits available online for all these items great value fun for children to make at home and donate. Be creative!*)
- **SECOND HAND BOOKS in good condition** (*Please no jumble or bric-a-brac*)
- IMPORTANT!! ITEMS FOR THE RAFFLE

The raffle is by far the biggest single earner for the Fair. We ask each child to donate a new item for their class prize. Cosmetics, books, stationary, chocolate, biscuits, are great things to include. This year all tickets will be sold before the Fair, so we will invite you also to send in money for your child to buy tickets during next week, from Monday 28<sup>th</sup> November.



## • HELP ON THE DAY

This year we are asking Friends of Holmleigh Class Representative Parents to organise a stall for their child's class, to sit alongside the children's own class stall. Your class rep would love to hear from you if you are able to assist with ideas for this or any other stall, as well as supporting on the day by setting up, serving, etc.

FRIENDS OF HOLMLEIGH will also contact you about helping with the Fair

## PLEASE REMEMBER TO SEND IN GIFTS FOR THE RAFFLE. EACH CLASS WILL PREPARE A GIFT BAG/S WHICH WILL BECOME A RAFFLE PRIZE.

We are asking for new items – cosmetics, stationary chocolate/biscuits, candles etc make lovely contributions to these prizes. Many thanks.







We would also appreciate your help with our BIG CHRISTMAS PARTY, which will be on Thursday  $15^{th}$  December. (Help needed from 11am - 4pm.) More info to follow but put the date in your diary!

Best wishes

Kevin Ward Head Teacher