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**ASBSA Newsletter Edition 13
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Merry Christmas!

Welcome to our 13th edition of the ASBSA newsletter. Its purpose is to let you know about the up and coming events. We really do need support from parents to help run our events over the year and if you are interested in getting involved or have any ideas for fundraising / events please let one of the committee or class reps know or contact us at asbsa@hotmail.co.uk.

We have also included dates for you diary and a list of class reps and core committee members who are your contact point for ASBSA.

Company donations

Some companies donate money to employees who fundraise for their child's school. Why not see if your company runs a scheme like this – it is often known as “match funding”. RBS have done so in the past as have Zurich Insurance. Should you need any more information please email asbsa@hotmail.co.uk.

Update

Christmas Card Sale

Thank you to everybody who helped with selling the cards and getting the orders ready to send to the company (especially Penny Newman). The cards are really lovely and we managed to raise £346. Thanks to Liz Cook for leading this event.

Christmas Market

This was a wonderful evening with lovely stalls. There were performances by the school and church choirs, best of all it raised £671.10. Thank you to Candice Alford & Clare Parish for leading this event

Christmas Extravaganza

This was a huge success. All the children had a fantastic time and the hampers for the raffle were brilliant.

We raised over £2000. Thank you to Elton Pritchard and Julie Simmons for agreeing to lead this event.

Thank you

We would like to thank everyone for making all these events such huge success. To all those of you gave your time to help out on the day (or before). For being so generous and donating such wonderful items for the hampers, and gifts for the secrets room. To the people who baked lovely cakes for the refreshments. And of course, to all of you who come along to support these events on the day!

Feedback

Please remember that we welcome your feedback and ideas on all of our events. If you have any comments or suggestions please come along to one of our meetings, speak to your class rep or email us at ASBSA@hotmail.co.uk

Class Reps & Core Committee

As you can see from the class rep list at the back of this newsletter we are still short of class reps. There should be at least 2 per class.

Please email us at ASBSA@hotmail.co.uk if you are interested in helping to raise money for the school and meet other parents and teachers.

Please let us know if you are interested in any of the core committee roles too. These are elected once a year at the AGM, but I know that the some of the roles would be very happy to share and receive extra support.

Goodbye and Thank you

Very sadly we will be saying goodbye to Liz Cook as Hannah moves to a school closer to their new home. Liz has put an enormous amount of work into ASBSA and we will miss her greatly. She has organised many major events for us and is always at every event working hard. Thank you Liz, for all that you, and Graham, have given to ASBSA.

Upcoming Events for this year

Christmas Disco 19th December

As usual there will be 2 disco's. One is for the lower school and one is for the upper school.

The 1st disco for Nursery, Ash, Elm, Oak, Sycamore and Chestnut is from 4.45pm – 6pm.

The 2nd disco is for Larch, Maple, Willow, and Beech and is from 6.30pm – 8pm.

Please see the letter for details about dropping off and collecting your children. If you don't have it, a copy can be found on the school website.

Don't worry if you don't have a ticket – you can purchase one on the night.

Quiz Night 1st February 2013

The quiz night is back by popular demand. It is always a really good evening. Food is provided and you can bring your own drinks. Details will be sent out nearer the time.

ASBSA meeting 16th January 7.30pm at the school

Please come along if you can we are always looking for new interesting ideas for events/fundraising. We will be planning the events for the rest of the school year and would love to see as many of you there as possible.

Dates for your diary

Month	Event	Date
December	Disco	Wednesday 19th
January	ASBSA meeting	Wednesday 16th
February	Quiz night	Friday 1 st February

..... **And finally**

ASBSA would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas & a very Happy New Year



Class Reps

Class	Name	Class Reps
Nursery	Acorns	Gaynor Woods (Alex)
	Pips	Clare Parish (Felicity)
Reception	Ash	Kirsty Curtis (Ben)
	Elm	Michelle\Eamonn Bates (Riley) Vicky McShane (Scott)
Year 1	Oak	Dominique Pink (Josephine) Liz Cook (Hannah)
Year 1&2	Sycamore	Meg Richards (Emily)
Year 2	Chestnut	Candice Alford (Michael)
Year 3	Larch	Alex Brown (George)
Year 4	Maple	Julie Simmons (Ethan) Vicky Wilson (Lucy)
Year 5	Willow	Viv Lupoli (Francesca) Tracy Skeet (William) Denise Reeves (Ellie)
Year 6	Beech	David Nicholls (Grace) Pauline Hughes (Oscar)

ASBSA Core Committee

Role	Name
Chair	Liz Cook (Hannah - Oak) / Elton Pritchard (Carter – Chestnut)
Deputy Chair	Gaynor Woods (Connor – Sycamore, Alex – Acorns)
Treasurer	Malcolm Munro (Lexie – Maple)
Secretary PR and Publicity	Vicky McShane (Ryan – Chestnut, Scott – Elm)

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE FOR YOUR SUPPORT IN ALL OUR EVENTS
REMEMBER THE MONEY WE RAISE GOES BACK INTO THE SCHOOL TO ENSURE OUR CHILDREN GET THE
BEST EQUIPMENT AND OPPORTUNITIES DURING THEIR TIME AT ALL SAINTS BENHILTON

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