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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to Term 2.

Homework Projects

Our reception area has a mystical feel with all the pupil's homework projects on display. The theme was magic. It is not too late to send a project in as Friday is the deadline for handing them in.

Poppy Appeal

We will be selling poppies from now until Friday 9th November when we hold our special Service of Remembrance Assembly. Pupils may donate any amount of money for a poppy.

Non Uniform Days

We have some fundraising Fridays this term: -

Friday 16th November "Tins and Treats for Trainers." Pupils (and staff) may wear trainers to school if they

bring either a tin or chocolate for our Christmas Fair Tombola's.

Friday 23rd November Children in Need. Please donate £1.00 to wear non-school uniform to support this

charity day.

Friday 30th November "Bottle Day." Pupils may wear non-school uniform if they bring a bottle for the

Christmas Fair.

Christmas Fair

Our annual Christmas Fair is on Wednesday 5th December, from 5pm to 7pm. Please come along and bring your family and friends to this special event. Father Christmas will be in his Grotto ready to find out about your Christmas wishes. There will be lots of stalls and activities, delicious refreshments and carol singers. We are happy to receive any donations for the fair which may include – books, CD's, DVD's, toys and household items.

Christmas Pots

We will once again run our annual competition to fill and decorate a Bower Grove School Christmas Pot. Filled pots should be handed into Reception no later than 4th December for judging.

Dates for the term

This is always a very busy term so please note these dates for the future: -

Wednesday 7th November Open Evening (Not Yrs 10 and 11, Penguins and Eagles)

Friday 16th November Wear Your Trainers – Bring in a tin or chocolate
Friday 23rd November Non-School Uniform Day for Children in Need
Friday 30th November Non School Uniform Day for Bottle Day

Wednesday 5th December Christmas Fair 5-7pm Friday 7th December Pantomime Trip Wednesday 12th December Christmas Lunch

Thursday 13th December 1.30 pm KS1 Christmas Production (parents welcome)
Friday 14th December Senior School Carol Service at St Andrew's Church
Monday 17th December 1.30 pm KS2 Christmas Production (parents welcome)

Tuesday 18th December Pupil's Christmas Parties

Wednesday 19th December Term 2 Ends Thursday 3rd January Term 3 Begins

Wishing you all a very happy term and if you are celebrating, a fun filled but safe Bonfire Night.

Yours sincerely

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