

## Heading for Half-Term This Friday

### Sensory Room Fundraising

We are 'resting' our Christmas Fair this year but will be holding a **Giant BPS Toy Fair** in early December—nearer the day we'll be looking for any quality toys to enter into our sale. Look out for details soon. All proceeds will go towards our Sensory Room fund for which we have already raised £1200. Any donations welcomed particularly if you are a local business. Our target is £10,000.

Please check you've seen the Christmas Card template your child brought home. All orders are online and need to be completed by November 1st. There are lots of gifts to choose from including cards, mugs and tree decorations. School gets a generous portion of the proceeds which again will go into our Sensory Room Fund.

**Children in Need** is coming up on 14th November 2025—Our School Council is planning a Challenge 25 event this year which includes running laps of the Main Yard and Mufti for the day for all classes.

Wearing **Odd Socks for Anti-Bullying Week** is on Friday, 10th November

**Comic Relief**—20th March 2026—Get those jokes ready for our BPS comedy festival next year. Is your child a budding stand-up performer!?

SLP (The Southport Learning Partnership) **Love My Community** Event is in February—the School Councils from all the Southport schools will vote for which local charity to support.

### Halloween Disco Week

Is on this week. Don't forget, children can wear their own clothes on their disco day but Halloween outfits are welcome!

Monday, 20th October— Reception  
 Tuesday, 21st October— Year 1 and 2  
 Wednesday, 22nd October— Year 5 and 6  
 Thursday, 23rd October— Year 3 and 4

**Parents Evenings**—11th November 3.30-5.30 pm and 12th November 4.00-6.30pm—Appointment Information coming soon

### Christmas Dates

It's a way off yet but we thought you might appreciate the following dates:

5th December—Year 4 Christmas Concert—Main Hall 2pm-3pm

8th December—Year 3 Christmas Concert—Main Hall 2pm-3pm

9th December—Year 5 Christmas Concert—Main Hall 2pm-3pm

10th December—KS1 Christmas Concert—Main Hall 2pm-3pm  
 Nursery Christmas Concert—Nursery am

11th December—KS1 Christmas Concert—Main Hall 2pm-3pm  
 KS1 Christmas Concert—Main Hall 6pm-7pm

12th December—Year 6 Christmas Concert—Main Hall 2pm-3pm

15th December—Reception Christmas Concert—Main Hall 2pm-3pm

**Parties** are on the following dates : 16th December—Reception, Year 3 and Year 4. 17th December—Year 1, Year 2 and Year 5. 18th December— Year 6. It's Mufti on Party days.

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