PTA Minutes: Thursday, 10 November 2022.

Present: Mrs Potts, Eve Knight, Eleven parents

1. Christmas Family Do

DATE: Sunday, 18th December.

VENUE: Ellesmere Sports Club (as the golf club isn't holding children's parties anymore).

There is a small problem as it is the same day as the world cup final.

The event could include a chocolate tombola, raffle, bar and food, though we need to establish whether or not the venue allows you to bring your own food in.

Help will be needed such as setting up, serving food, running the tombola and raffle. It would be good if there was a volunteer to act as the DJ and compere for the event so that parents can fully relax. Staff will make sure that the doors are manned.

ACTION: Look into food options at Ellesmere

2. Christmas Film Night

DATE: Monday, 12th December

VENUE: School hall.

Proposed time: 4:30 – 6:30 so that children across the whole school can attend and it isn't too late for the Early Years children. Children would come into school with their pyjamas, if they were in Kings Kids and get changed at school and stay through until the film is finished. All other children would go home and get changed into their pyjamas before returning to school. Parents would pick up at 6:30. There would be a small charge to cover popcorn, hotdog and drinks and some help would be needed to set everything up.

3. Other Christmas activities

- Nativity 7th and 8th December nursery and reception; 14th & 15th Y1 and Y2
- Christmas Jumper Day 16th December
- Family Christmas Party at Ellesmere 18th December
- School Christmas Party with Father Christmas (hopefully on the roof!) 19th December

Mrs Potts also mentioned an early Christmas Mass where all the families and children could celebrate Christmas at Christ the King. In previous years children have dressed up in their nativity costumes or other Christmas outfits. Everyone at the meeting agreed that it would be lovely if this could happen.

Other fundraising activities are toast in the mornings which has started already and the Christmas cards that the children have been working on, which will go on sale soon.