



# WOODLAND SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 17th November 2017



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The Giving Machine Website: [www.TheGivingMachine.co.uk](http://www.TheGivingMachine.co.uk)

## A Big Woodland Thank You to Mrs Lee

We will be saying goodbye this term to Mrs Lee who has been our caretaker for over 20 years!!! In that time, she has not only looked after our school, but helped in classes and at parties and events and been a good friend to the children and the teachers. Mrs Lee has very kindly said that she will still come in to help us with events and activities and to see the children. We wish her all the best for what we hope will be a more relaxed and restful time.

If anyone would like to make a donation towards a leaving gift from the children, please send it to the school office in a labelled envelope. Thank you.



## Co-op Local Community Fund—Celebration Day—Saturday 25th November 10.30am at Cockfield Co-op

As you are all aware Friends of Woodland School was one of the 3 chosen local community charities that have been supported over the last few months by the Co-op Community Fund.

There is a celebration event at **Cockfield Co-op on Saturday 25th November at 10.30pm** and we are asking children with their parents to come and help us receive the money raised. The local press will be there so it would be great to have lots of our children there to help celebrate!

**Please could you confirm with Miss Scanlon if you and your children are available to join us on the day, it will be no longer than an hour.**

## IMPORTANT -After School Streetdance

Just a reminder that there will be no Streetdance Club on **Friday 1st December** due to Ashleigh taking part in a competition. It will be on the following 2 weeks the 8th and 15th December **but not on Friday 22nd December.**



## The Giving Machine

Please note that when you buy online, especially over the festive period you can donate funds FREE to Woodland School by going to [www.TheGivingMachine.co.uk](http://www.TheGivingMachine.co.uk).

Please join it's FREE! Please see attached a card explaining the scheme.

## Lynesack Church Christmas Fair - Saturday 18th November—2.15 pm in Butterknowle Village Hall

The Church is holding its Christmas Fair on Saturday 18th November in Butterknowle Village Hall and will be opened at 2.15 pm. Stalls include; cakes, tombola, toys, raffle, Santa's Grotto, Mothers Union crafts, books, Church Wardens parcels and afternoon teas. Everyone welcome.

If anyone can help with donations for any of the above stalls please bring them along to the village hall on the day. Members of the church will be setting out their stalls on the morning from 10 am.

**Thank you for your continued support of your local churches.**



### Caretaker Vacancy

As you all know we are saying 'Goodbye' to Mrs Lee and are therefore advertising for a caretaker to work 20 hours a week. The times would be 7am-9am and 3.45pm to 5.45pm. If you would like to apply or know of someone who would be interested, the details and an application form are available on the [northeastjobs.org.uk](http://northeastjobs.org.uk) website or from the school office. Closing date for applications is Monday 4th December.

### PUPILS OF THE WEEK

#### Squirrel Class



#### Owl Class



**Happy 7th Birthday  
to  
Sophie**