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Dear Parents and Carers,

The Friends of Mayespark are proud to be able to host a range of community events throughout the school year. These not only help to raise funds for the school but are also a wonderful opportunity for our children, staff and parents to have fun together. We plan to kick off this year's events with our Christmas Fayre on **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2024** from 3.40pm to 5.30pm and we hope that you will join us for this event.

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### Santa's Grotto

Santa has taken time out of his busy schedule to come and visit Mayespark Primary school. Santa's Grotto will be open on from 3.20pm to 5.30pm.

Tickets to visit Santa will be available to buy in the school Reception area from **Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December** at the bargain price of £4 per child this includes a special gift from Santa.

Please note that Santa's grotto is only available for Nursery, Reception and KS1 pupils. These tickets sell fast so purchase early to avoid disappointment.



### Snow globe and more.....

But don't despair there are lots of other activities for everyone.

We have an inflatable snow globe, face-painting and tuck shop. There will also be hot food, samosas, chai, hot chocolate and mince pies and a chance to sit and chat and enjoy the Christmas season.



### Volunteering

For this event we need lots of volunteers so if you have any spare time, please consider supporting our school in this way. Many work places release employees to volunteer at charitable events and even match fund money raised. Generally speaking, banks and building societies, insurance companies, supermarkets, utilities providers, phone companies and car manufacturers support such events by releasing employees during work time to volunteer. If you work for any of these companies, why not ask your employer if they will let you attend. There will be a meeting for volunteers on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June at 9am, we appreciate that not every volunteer will be able to attend due to other commitments but please join us if you can make it. If you are interested in volunteering, please complete the slip overleaf and a member of the committee will be in touch.



We look forward to seeing you and thank you for your support



Kindest Regards,

Mrs Shamim, Mrs Oshinaike and F.O.M