



DODFORD FIRST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER Achieve, Believe, Create and Fly High

We are thinking about the value 'DIVERSITY' this half term...



Christmas production

Not long to go now until our 2 performances of 'Lights, Camel, Action!' We are all very excited, please keep encouraging your children to practise their words and dances at home. As this will be the first time that many of the children have been on a stage and performed in front of a large audience, we have been trying to prepare them in school for this and would appreciate that you do the same at home. Hopefully this will reduce the stage fright and possible tears when it comes to their moment to shine!



Tickets, in the form of programmes, have been sent home today in their book bags. You will see that we have 2 different designs, one for the morning performance, drawn by Eloise and one for the afternoon performance, drawn by Sophie. The programmes will need to come with you on Tuesday as proof of seat allocation, we cannot let in extras on the day as we must abide by strict fire regulations.

Doors will not open until 15 minutes before the start of the performance. There will be a chance to buy a drink and a mince pie and purchase last minute raffle tickets for the hampers!

Stay and Play—Wrens Class

The children in Wrens class had a great time last Friday, showing their parents around the classroom and engaging in lots of wonderful winter crafts together. Unfortunately we had a power cut before we were able to give our parents a much deserved hot drink!

Santa Dash—Friday 9th December

During PE next Friday the children will be completing a Santa Dash with Jon our sports coach. We would like the children to come to school with festive headgear in their bags to put on during their PE session!

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CLUBS

MONDAY 3.15—4.15 — DANCE

THURSDAY 3.15-4.15

MULTI SPORTS

FRIDAY 3.15-4.15

FOOTBALL

COMING SOON!

MON 5TH DEC—DRESS RE-HAEARSAL AT SCHOOL

TUES 6TH DEC- XMAS PRODUC-TION DAY, 11.30AM & 2PM

FRI 9TH DEC—SANTA DASH

MON 12TH DEC—PANTO VISIT

WED 14TH DEC-XMAS LUNCH

WED 14TH DEC—CAROL SER-VICE, 2.45PM

THU 15TH DEC—XMAS PARTY DAY, DPA XMAS CRAFT FAIR

FRI 16TH DEC—FEEL GOOD FRIDAY, XMAS JUMPER DAY, ACHIEVEMENT ASSEMBLY







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Christmas Post Box

The school post box will be out from Monday 5th December. Please remind your children that all cards should be posted in the box and not given out in class or breaktimes. Please put the child's name and class on each envelope to help our 'Year 4 posties' get the cards to the right people!

Santa's Elf

Santa's Elf has gone home with Jessie in Wrens Class —apparently his name was 'Smelly'!!

Christmas Cards—IQ cards

The Christmas card orders have arrived! Please check book bags as they are coming home with the children tonight.

Music Transition Event—Parkside

The children in Owl Class spent the morning at Parkside today, listening to a range of performances and also got to perform one of their Young Voices songs to everybody. Well done Owls!

Christmas school library closure

Next week will be the last time that the library sessions will run this term. All library books need to be returned to school next week to enable Mrs Bonham to audit and stock check ready for the new year.

Christmas Lunch

Don't forget to go on to Parent Pay to order your child's Christmas lunch!

Thank you for all the lovely costumes that have been sent in, the children are going to look great on stage next week. Please read through the production letter again as it contains all the information you will need for Tuesday. Have a lovely weekend,

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STAR AWARD

WRENS— RUFUS

ROBINS 1— OSCAR

ROBINS 2— ZACK

OWLS 3— BAILEY

OWLS 4— PETAL

ATTENDANCE

WRENS— 98.4%

ROBINS 1—95.6%

ROBINS 2-93.7%

OWLS 3-98.5%

OWLS 4-94%

HOUSE POINTS:

AVON: 36

TEME: 59

SEVERN: 57