

St. Andrew's C of E Junior School Newsletter

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Diary Dates

Mon 11th Nov

Friends Meeting
7.30pm at school
ALL WELCOME ☺

w/c Mon 11th Nov
Anti-Bullying Week

Tues 12th Nov
Odd Socks Day!

Fri 15th Nov
Children In Need -
Non Uniform Day

**Mon 18th Nov -
Thurs 21st**
Book Fair in school

Thurs 21st Nov
Open Day for
Reception and Y2
parents

Fri 29th Nov
Christmas Fair
3.30pm - 5.30pm

Family Learning Events

Dec 5th
Christmas Crafts

March 26th
Easter crafts

June 25th
Soap carving

Headteacher's Message

Despite the rain the Year 6 children have had a brilliant time at Robinwood. They challenged themselves to try new things and we are very proud of all of them. Thank you too to the wonderful staff who went with them - we're proud of you too! ☺

Year 6 take on the Robinwood challenge

This week our Year 6 children have been on their residential trip to Robinwood activity centre in Todmorden. They have had a fantastic few days doing lots of exciting activities including canoeing, climbing, crawling through dark caves and the knight's quest! The weather could have been better but the children were well equipped with waterproofs and hot chocolates and thoroughly enjoyed themselves!



Our Christian value this half term is HOPE.

You will find ideas to explore this value with your child on the attached worksheet.





Lord,

Help me to remember that nothing is going to happen to me that you and I together can't handle.

Amen

We keep our children safe...

by asking parents/carers to park safely.

Despite numerous reminders regarding safe parking around school we are still finding cars parked on the yellow lines and coming into our staff car park.

Please note that parents/carers must not use the staff car park at any time - this includes dropping off or picking up from Breakfast Club and Kids Club. Thank you.



Children in Need

Friday 15th November is Children in Need Day. We love to support this charity and as usual will be holding a non uniform day to raise money for it. **Please send your child with a £1 donation on the day.** We will also be having a bun sale during morning break. Please send in any donations of cakes or buns and/or money for this as well. Thank you!

Some of our Year 6 girls are also planning to organise a colouring competition during that week. Sheets will be available to buy for 20p and should be handed in on 15th November for the winner to be chosen. (Make sure your child remembers to put their name on!)



Christmas Fair

Our ever popular Christmas Fair will be held on **Friday 29th November** from 3:30pm until 5:30pm.

We would be grateful for your donations of the following items which can be sent into school from Monday 18th November:

- Clean/washed soft toys,
- Bottle Tombola,
- Chocolate Tombola (wrapped chocolate items),
- Raffle Prizes,
- Spare gift bags
- Secret Santa (gifts for men always in short supply),
- Cakes/Buns (to be brought on the day of the fair).

Volunteers are needed from 2pm. If anyone is interested in running an independent stall or would like to volunteer, please contact the office.



Odd Socks Day!

We are asking the children to wear odd socks on **Tuesday 12th November** to show support for Calderdale anti-bullying week.



Book Fair

Our annual book fair is in school from **Monday 18th until Thursday 21st November**. The fair will be in the hall after school from 3:00pm until 4:15pm for parents and children to come, browse and buy!

