

# NEWSLETTER

Friday 12th November 2021



**DUDLEY  
INFANT  
ACADEMY**

## DUDLEY NEWS



### PROSPECTIVE PARENT VISITS

The Academy will be holding its open days for prospective parents on Tuesday 23rd November and Thursday 25th November at 10am and on Wednesday 24th November at 6.30pm. If you or a friend have a child due to start next September then please visit the Academy website to register your interest.

<https://www.dudleyinfantacademy.org.uk/>

### POD - JAR MUFTI DAY

Thank you to everyone who sent in Jars for today's mufti event. This is much appreciated by POD and will make a great stall at the Christmas Fayre.

### BOOK FAYRE

On Monday 15th November, Osborne books will be holding a book fayre in the school hall at 3.10pm. Leaflets have been sent home giving you a preview of books on offer and allowing you to pre order if you wish. Please come along and support this event. The school will be given commission on all orders so that we can order some new books for the children.



### PARENT CONSULTATIONS

Parent Consultations will take place on Tuesday 16th and Thursday 18th November. If you have not yet had the opportunity to sign up for a meeting a member of the office staff will contact you on Monday to arrange this for you.

### ANTI-BULLYING WEEK 2021 - ODD SOCKS DAY

This year's Anti-Bullying week takes place from the 15th to 19th November 2021. The theme this year is One Kind Word. Kindness is more important today than it has ever been. The isolation of the last year has underlined how little acts of consideration can break down barriers and brighten the lives of the people around us. Here at Dudley, we have been raising awareness and promoting kindness through our school assemblies, class discussions and our much loved, Personal Development Awards. This Monday, we will be marking the start of Anti-Bullying Week by participating in the national event, Odd Socks Day. Children may wear odd socks to school to celebrate what makes us all unique, helping us to spread kindness and respect. It is also World Kindness Day tomorrow and we would love to see photographs of an act of kindness that children have undertaken that can be shared in next week's newsletter.



### Remembrance Day

We have truly had a full week demonstrating the key values we wish the children of Dudley to uphold as a part of their character education. On Thursday, the children showed their respect to all who have made the ultimate sacrifice for our country during times of conflict and observed a minute's silence together as a school community. The children also undertook some age appropriate learning with regards to Remembrance Day and we hope you enjoy looking at the work that was sensitively produced in today's newsletter.



## All Saints Junior Academy prospective parents open days for Year 2 parents

*All Saints C.E. Junior Academy will be holding their open days on the dates and times listed below.*

*Tuesday 16th November, 1.30 p.m.*

*Tuesday 16th November, 5.30 p.m.*

*Wednesday 17th November, 9.30 a.m.*

*This is an opportunity to take a tour of the school and find out more about how the school works in practice. There will also be the opportunity for questions.*

*At this time they are planning to run these sessions face to face. There is no need to sign up but if possible please contact the school office on 01424 421397 to let them know which session you will be attending so they can ensure they keep everyone safe.*

## **CHRISTMAS EVENTS**

1st - 13th December - Post boxes will be out for Christmas cards

Friday 3rd December - Pantomime (production visiting Dudley)

Tuesday 7th December - Class Sunbear Nativity, 9.15am

Wednesday 8th December - Class Tiger Nativity, 9.15am

Thursday 9th December - Class Panda Nativity, 9.15am

Friday 10th December - Christmas Jumper Day

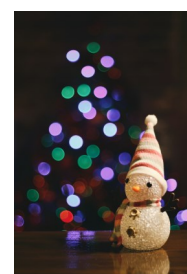
Saturday 11th December - Christmas Fayre 2pm - 4pm

Monday 13th December - Year 2 Carols by Candlelight, 5.30pm - 6.30pm

Tuesday 14th December - Class Wolf Nativity, 9.15am

Tuesday 14th December - Class Christmas parties pm

Wednesday 15th December - Christmas dinner day (and Christmas jumpers)



## **Ed Boxall Winter Performances!**

Join author/illustrator Ed Boxall on his mini Winter tour based on his new picture book 'Carried Away with the Carnival'

Ed will be performing the story with the original illustrations, along with lots of poems and songs from his previous books.

**Perfect for children aged 3 to 12.**

**All events are free and there's no need to book!**

Ore Community Library 11.00 AM Saturday 20th Nov

Maker's Market, Rye Creative Centre 11.00 AM Sat 27th Nov

Maker's Market, Rye Creative Centre, 2.30 PM Sun, 28th Nov

The Nest, Hastings Old Town, 10.30 AM, Sun 28th Nov

Hastings Library, 11.00 AM, Sat 18th Dec

Rye Library, 2.00 PM, Sat 18th Dec.

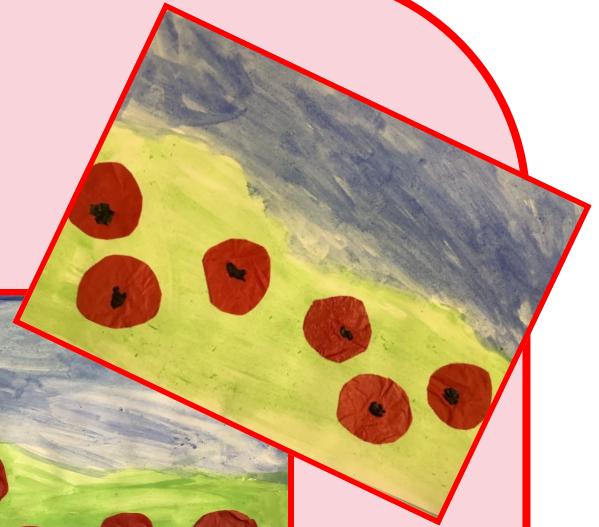


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REMEMBRANCE  
DAY  
AT DUDLEY





## GOLD AWARDS

A big well done to our Gold Award winners this week. We are very proud of you all!



### DUDLEY DATES

2021/2022

Term 2: Monday 1st Nov - Thursday 16th Dec

Mon 15th Nov - Book Fayre 3.10pm

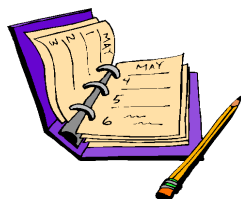
Fri 3rd Dec - Chocolate Mufti

Sat 11th Dec - Christmas Fayre

INSET DAY - Friday 17th Dec

Term 3: Tuesday 4th January - Friday 11th February

*Please see the final page of today's newsletter for a list of our Christmas dates.*



### DUDLEY SCHOOL COUNCIL

We are delighted to introduce to you the members of our 2021-22 Dudley School Council. We are looking forward to holding our first meeting next week and awarding our councillors with their official badges. The children will have their photographs taken for our School Council board next week, which we will feature in Friday's newsletter.



Dear Parents and Carers,

The children have most certainly upheld our academy PDA values of Respect and Kindness this week and we are proud of the work that they have produced.

We hope that you have a lovely weekend and we look forward to welcoming the children in their odd socks on Monday!



Mr Maclean, Mrs Luke & The Dudley Team



# DUDLEY INFANT ACADEMY CHRISTMAS FAYRE 2021

SATURDAY 11TH DECEMBER

2-4PM

TOMBOLA

PINECONE  
CRAFT

SANTA'S  
GROTTO

RAFFLE

CAFE  
&  
CAKES

GAMES

TOY & BOOK STALL

...AND MUCH MORE

BUZZ WIRE CHALLENGE

EVERYONE WELCOME



PARENTS OF DUDLEY  
Dudley Infant Academy PTA

## Raffle Prizes so far...

- Voucher for The Pump House
- Tickets for Hastings United
- Hastings Aquarium Tickets
- The Snow Queen at the Stables tickets
- Voucher for The Crown
- Maggies Fish & Chips Vouchers
- Claire Thompson Photography
- 3 x family sessions with print
- Highwood golf voucher
- Body shop set - Harmony with Sarah Aslett
- Handmade Silver necklace - The Silvery
- Voucher for Restaurant @ Hastings Campus
- 2 personalised baubles &  
Personalised christmas eve plate
- You've been Bexxed
- Hasting Stage Studio of Performing arts  
special sessions for 5-10yr old
- Scentsy Mini Warmer and Waxes - La Scentalicious
- Voucher for Cut & blow dry - Hair by Naomi
- Environmentally friendly art - Utter Scrap
- Voucher for George Street Salon
- Hastings Crazy Golf Voucher
- Stack of new books for children &  
a Stack for grown ups - Penguin Books