



## NEWSLETTER NOVEMBER 2023



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### Autumn Term - Diary Dates

#### 13th November

Book Fair begins (all week)

Flu Vaccinations

#### 15th/16th November

Parents' Evenings

#### 17th November

Children in Need

Non-uniform day

#### 24th November

Christmas Fair

#### 30th November

St Andrew's Day

#### 11th December

Nativity Dress Rehearsal

#### 12th/13th December

Nativity 2.00pm

#### 13th December

Mince Pie Munch 6.30pm

#### 14th December

School Christmas Dinner

#### 19th December

Panto—King George's Hall

#### 21st December

Carol Service—9.15am

#### 22nd December

Carols around the Christmas Tree

School closes for Christmas

School reopens on Monday

8th January 2024



### Harvest Thanks/Children in Need

Many thanks to everyone who has contributed to our recent charity collection. At Harvest we were inundated with supplies and they have been taken to Ramsbottom Pantry to restock their shelves. **Children in Need** takes place on Friday, 17th November. Children can come to school in their own clothes and bring £1.00.

We are linking this to our Christmas Fair and we will also ask children to bring in items for the Fair on this day too. See below...

### Christmas Fair

The PTFA Christmas Fair will be held on Friday, 24th November. We would be very grateful for as much help on the night as possible. There is a sheet in the school entrance where you can volunteer your services even if it's only for an hour or so.

We are asking children to bring items in for the Fair on Friday, 17th November As mentioned above, this will also be a non-uniform day.

Please bring:

Reception, Years 1, 2 and 3: a chocolate item

Years 4, 5 and 6: a bottle item

In addition, if you have any unwanted gifts/items at home that would make a good prize, please bring on the same day.

### St Andrew's Day

St Andrew's Day will be celebrated in school on Thursday, 30th November. You are invited to join us at our service in church at 9.15am. We would also like to invite you to come and have your lunch with us on this day. You will receive information about the arrangements for lunch in a separate letter. As St Andrew is also the patron saint of Scotland we would like to see the children wearing some tartan if possible added to their uniform on this day.

### Christmas

Christmas is always a very busy time in school. Dates for events can be found opposite. Please note that our Nativity which is performed by children in Reception class and Key Stage One will be in church. There will be further information sent out regarding these dates.

### Pantomime

This year we will see Aladdin at King George's Hall in Blackburn.

Spelling Shed As mentioned in a previous newsletter, we have introduced a new spelling scheme this term. I will be sending further information about this over the coming days.

You may also receive information from your child's class

 teacher via Seesaw.