

Blackshaw Moor CofE First School

"Working together in God's love for the benefit of all"

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November
15th – 19th

Weekly Newsletter

What's New

On Friday this week it is Children in Need and children can come in spots or stripes or other Pudsey merchandise if they have it. They will be taking part in fun activities, as well as finding out about the meaning behind Children in Need and why we have the day. As mentioned in a previous newsletter, donations can now be given through Parentpay so please give what you can to this worthwhile fund. Thank you.

A note from Mrs Crawforth

"Last year we were given a donation from Manifold Agricultural society towards the Peace Garden and this was used towards some of the stone needed. We have now completed the stone section of the garden and used far more stone than expected as we altered the design. The Corbishley family have very kindly said that they will donate the additional stone and I would like to thank them most sincerely for this very kind donation. We just need to fill with plants now in the spring and we will be able to open the garden for people to use. Thanks again to the Corbishleys."

Club news this week

Superstars is available every day this week. Please book this in advance. If you need to contact the club when it is running, please use the number 07964 725263 as the school phone may go to answerphone and the message not picked up in time. Thank you.

This week's highlights

Non-uniform for chocolate donations on Thursday & Children in Need on Friday.

Worship Council News

Your children shall be taught of the Lord and great shall be the peace of your children. Isaiah 54:13

This week the worship council are preparing a worship around anti-bullying.

Upcoming Events

- 15th – 19th November – Anti-bullying week
- 19th November – Children in Need
- 29th November – Academy Photos in school
- 8th December – Carol singing 1.30pm
- 9th December – Christmas fayre for children 1.30pm
- 14th December – Pantomime
- 15th December – Christmas dinner.
- 17th December – school breaks up for Christmas
- 5th January – school opens for Children

If your financial circumstances have changed, you can go to www.entitledto.co.uk to find out whether you qualify for any benefits. This may then entitle your child to pupil premium which gives children free school meals in all year groups and a sum of money is paid to the school to support learning, trips, clubs etc.

Other news:

Don't forget, it is odd socks all week for anti-bullying week and non-uniform for chocolate donations on Thursday.

More Christmas news:

Children will be learning songs from a Christmas play and will be singing these wearing costumes. We will record these and share them through our YouTube account or on Seesaw. The YouTube account is only seen by people who are given the link and is not made public. Please don't share the link with others. If you do not want your child to be filmed, please make sure you let the office or class teacher know as soon as possible. **If we hear nothing, we will assume you are happy for your child to be filmed and shared.**

We will be taking the children to church for a Christmas service on Monday 13th December, however, this will be a closed service and no congregation will be present. It is purely to give the children the experience of a Christmas service in a church delivered by a vicar.