

# Northside Primary School

# Newsletter

Headteacher: Joanne Lloyd

19th November 2021

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Thank you all for the way in which you have made staff welcome in school this week. Your smiles and kind words mean a lot.

It has been a great week with a real buzz around the school. Your children have worked hard, achieved well and shown a fantastic attitude in school and on the playground.

Thank you for the way you have all engaged with Children in Need. The school has never looked as colourful with all of the children in their pyjamas and onesies!

Thank you also for coming and showing interest and sharing ideas at the PTA meeting with Miss Tweddle. It was a really productive meeting and we are all looking forward at ways that the school and parents/carers can work together to provide further enriching opportunities for our children.

We hope everyone has a lovely weekend. With best wishes

Gemma Brierley Chris Wilkins

CET Headteacher Director of Primary Education

### **Parent Teacher Association (PTA)**

Thank you to the parents/carers for coming to our meeting on Thursday to discuss our PTA, for showing interest and sharing ideas. It was a very productive meeting. We are looking forward at ways that the school and parents/carers can work together to provide further enriching opportunities for our children.

More comprehensive minutes from the meeting and ways forward will be shared shortly – along with a next meeting date after Christmas to move things forward. If anyone else would like to get involved in this group – please let us know.

### ADMISSIONS FOR 2022 ARE NOW OPEN

If you know anyone looking for a school with a friendly and engaging learning environment, for their child in 2022, please ask them to call in, have a look around and meet our friendly staff.

Please give us a call on 01900 62255 – We would love to meet you!



It's an easy, convenient way to receive school messages



To register contact the school office for more details





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#### **Christmas Gift Order Forms**

All order forms that have been returned to school for the Christmas Cards/Gift will be sent to the printers on Monday. Parents will be notified when items are received.

### <u>School Photos – Tempest Photographer</u>

All children that were photographed on Wednesday will have received an order form. If you would like to make any orders through school, please ensure order forms are returned to the school office by Wednesday 24th November.

### **Year 6 Netball Tournament**

Children in Year 6 will be attending our Netball Tournament on Friday 26th November. Please can children come to school in their uniform but bring with them their PE kit, warm layers and a water bottle.

#### **Parents Evening**

Parents evenings will take place on Monday 29th & Tuesday 30th November. Please book your session via Parent Mail. If you are not yet registered for Parent Mail please contact Miss Mitchell in the school office to arrange a booking slot.

### This week's attendance

Class 1: 81.74%

Class 2: 83.33%

Class 3: 96.54%

Whole school: 89.52%

National benchmark: 96.6%



### Dates for your diary



25<sup>th</sup> November Dress the tree, 2:15pm 26th November Year 6 Netball Tournament

29th/30th November Parents evening

(Please see Parent Mail)

2<sup>nd</sup> December Jack & The Beanstalk Pantomime 8<sup>th</sup> December Class 1&2 Christmas Performance

(2:15pm & 5:30pm)

10<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Jumper Day

#### **Dress The Tree**

All children will be creating their own Christmas decoration to decorate our Christmas tree. Photos will be shared on Class Doio & our Facebook page.

#### Jack & the Beanstalk

We are excited to bring a touring pantomime to school on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> December as a special treat for the children.

#### Class 1 & 2 Christmas Performance

Children have brought home information on what part they are playing in this years Christmas performance. Tickets will be on sale soon.

#### **Christmas Jumper Day**

Please can children come to school wearing their Christmas jumpers on Friday 10th December. We are requesting a small donation of £1 for Save The Children charity.



### Stars of the week



Class 1: Kadie Class 2: Deon

Class 3: Addison, Oscar, Thomas

Well done!!









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## **Children In Need**

We have had a great day in school today, the children looked fab in their fancy dress & pyjamas.

Lots of Children in Need activities took place around school.

Thank you for all your donations for this amazing charity, this is very much appreciated!

We are pleased to confirm that we have raised £75

