



Oakridge Community  
Primary School  
**Newsletter**

November 28th 2019



**Celebration Assembly**

The next Celebration Assembly is on **Friday 29th November at 3pm in the hall** –

Certificates this week go to:-

**Gold:** - Evie Greaves

**Silver:-** Isabelle Sewell, Brody Fox, Olivia Owen-Taylor, Alesha Reid, Isabella Lyth, Scott Ellis,

**Bronze:-** William Harland, Maggie Hoskins,, Lewis Ellis, Cheyenne Daniel, Leon Owen-Taylor, Regan Robertson

**Stars of the week:-** Eva Harrison, Olivia Owen-Taylor, Lila Danby, Porscha-Leigh Hoskins

**Special Awards:-**

**Children in Need**

We raised £40.50 for Children In Need, thank you.

**Christmas Fayre**

This will take place on **Tuesday 10th December** at 2pm – 4pm. Please come along and support your school. If you have any donations for raffle prizes and or the tombola, please drop them in at school. We will need home baking for our cake stall, cakes can be brought in on the morning of the Fair.

**Parents Evening**

Thank you to everyone who came along to find out how their child(ren) have settled in. Also thank you for completing the questionnaires which help us continually look at ways of improving the school and the outcomes for your children.

**Bingo**

Don't forget to join us on Tuesday 3rd December for our Christmas Bingo starting at 6.00pm. Doors open at 5.30.

**Payments**

Please could we ask for parents to send in the right change for all payments eg trips, dinner money and to keep snack money separate. We are finding it increasingly difficult to find change for everyone who is requesting it, especially on a Monday morning. Thank You.

**Violin Lessons**

You should have received a consent letter for violin lessons, from year 1 to Year 6, the lessons are free and may be taking place after school next term if there is enough interest. If you have not received a form, please call into the office and pick one up.

**Christmas Pantomime**

Children just need to be in school at normal time on Thursday 5th December but all children (unless on free school meals due to not working etc.) need to pay for their happy meal. The cost of this is £2.79 + £5 .towards the cost of the ticket. Please pay this before **Friday 29th November** We hope to be home around 5.15pm, the bus will be dropping off the children on the High Street.

**Christmas Cards**

The post box is in the entrance hall ready to receive Christmas cards from Friday **29th November**.

**Christmas Dinner**

Our Christmas dinner is on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December. As last year **all children** will be having a Christmas Dinner. If your child usually has a packed lunch can you please send in £2.50 in if you are in Dolphin Class. Seahorse class receive universal free school meals so do not need to pay. This year's dinner is :- Roast turkey, stuffing, roast potatoes, carrots, peas and a surprise Christmas dessert! **Please could we have all the money in by tomorrow. Thank You**

**Dates for your Diary**

Due to this term being very busy here is a reminder of all our upcoming events:-

**December**

**Tuesday 3rd** Parent Craft Afternoon 1.30pm

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup>** – Christmas Bingo 6pm start

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup>** – Snow White and Seven Dwarfs Pantomime at Billingham 1.30pm performance and lunch at McDonalds

**Monday 9<sup>th</sup>** - Christmas School Play The Grinch, 1:30pm then again at 6pm

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup>** Christmas Fair 2.00pm – 4.00pm

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup>** – Christmas Dinner

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup>** – Carols and the nativity at St Hilda's Churchl at 10am

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup>** – Dolphin Class Christmas Party – pm

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup>** – Seahorse Class Christmas Party – pm .

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup>**– Christmas Jumper Day - Break up for Christmas at **2pm**.

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