

Netherton Infant & Nursery School Newsletter

No. 5 Wednesday 2nd November 2022

Latest News

Dear Parents/Carers,

A warm welcome back to school and the second half of the autumn term. Thank you so much for your patience and understanding regarding the playground works. I keep telling myself that 'you have to break a few eggs to make an omelette' and it will all be worth it in a few weeks' time! Thank you also to staff and pupils who are being flexible and kept on their toes regarding playtimes and pick-ups.

Lots to catch up on in this newsletter – not least the dates for this year's Christmas performances. Please pop the dates in your diaries and await further news nearer the time.

Enjoy!

Mrs Emma Barker
Headteacher

Christmas Performances

Here are the important dates and times!

EYFS (Nursery & Reception) – Monday 5th
December at 9:30am or 2:30pm

Year 2 – Tuesday 6th December at 9:30am

Year 1 – Wednesday 7th December at 9:30am

Poppies Now Available

With Remembrance Day just days away, poppies are now available to buy in school for a small donation. Children will be able to pop to the office to buy the traditional paper poppy, plus other items:

Reflector poppy – 50p

Poppy zipper - 50p

Wrist bands - £1



Important Dates

Monday 15th November Scholastic Book Fair

Tuesday 22nd November – Flu Vaccination

Thursday 24th November – FONS Disco Y1 & Y2

Friday 2nd December – Non uniform day in exchange for chocolate

Saturday 3rd December – Xmas Fayre

Wednesday 14th December – 6pm Carols with Meltham Brass Band

Friday 18th November - Children In Need

Friday 25th November – INSET day (school closed)

Wednesday 14th December – Xmas jumper day

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Children In Need

A reminder that Children in Need 2022 is on Friday 18th November. We will ask the children on this day to dress in spots for a donation. There is absolutely no need for you to buy anything new, or invest in any Children in Need merchandise for this day – you can make your donations online through the link below:



Pumpkin Patch Event

Thank you to our FONS team for organising such a wonderful event before the half term – our first pumpkin patch! The weather was very kind to us and it was lovely to see so many families get involved. We raised a total of £128.43 – thank you!



Pom Pom Wall Art

A huge thank you to all the children and families that created a pom pom or two (or maybe more!) during the summer holidays. We collected a huge amount – all different shapes, sizes, colours and textures. Over the half term, all the pom poms have come together to create a sensory board, which will be hung in the Beehive classroom. The idea is to touch and feel the artwork as a calming device. I hope you'll agree that it looks amazing!



Scholastic Book Fair 2022

We're pleased to welcome the Scholastic Book Fair back into school again. Trolleys filled with new books will be at school from **Monday 15th November for one week**. This year, you will be able to browse the books in the new 'Beehive' outdoor classroom after school from Monday-Thursday and then Friday morning from 8:30. This is a great opportunity to help school and get ahead with the Christmas shopping.