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## *One family branching out together*

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### Newsletter 4

Dear Parents & Carers,

We hope everyone enjoyed the half-term holiday and is ready for the busy few weeks ahead that will see many all of the usual Christmas activities. Please keep an eye on the newsletter for all the upcoming diary dates.

#### Pumpkin competition

Thank you to everyone who took part in the Halloween Pumpkin Carving competition. They were all fantastic, it was so hard to pick the winners that we also had to give some special mentions too! The winners each received a £5 Amazon voucher.

#### Winners

Class 1 Emmie

Class 2 Teddy

Class 3 Lily

#### Special mentions

Class 1 Ella H, Scarlett, Thomas, Willis and Heidi

Class 2 Bobby, Beatrice and Beau

Class 3 George and Matthew



#### Food Bank

On Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November Nigel Currey from Selby Food Bank came to school to talk to the children about the support given by the foodbank and how it goes about it. Nigel brought in 2 bags of donated food and

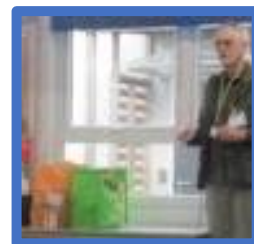


explained to the children how this was the amount of food that is given to one person to sustain them for a three to five-day period. He explained how the food is organised and distributed in the Foodbank and how the volunteers work tirelessly, not only to stock the shelves and distribute the food but also to offer advice to customers regarding what benefits they may be entitled to claim. Over 90% of the food distributed by the Trussell Network on behalf of the foodbank is donated by the public. Many thanks to all of our families, whose contributions will be much appreciated by customers of Selby & District Foodbank



Nigel Currey, Chairman of Trustees for Selby and District Foodbank said,

“We depend very heavily on donations from local people and this years’ Harvest Festival donations have been amazing. We are grateful for donations of food from many Schools including the three in your federation. Many thanks to all those involved who donated as part of the Harvest celebration. As demand at Foodbank increases, donations of both food and money from School and Church Harvest Festivals boost our stocks to enable our volunteers us to meet this demand. We have several Harvest Festival donations still to collect and we appreciate the efforts of all who have given so much to us in the past few weeks and for that still to be collected. Well done everyone.”



### Great Fire of London workshop

On Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November the children in Year 1 were joined by Year 1 children from Barlow Primary school for an outdoor learning workshop hosted by Alfresco Learning all about the ‘Great Fire of London’. They investigated the wattle and daub building method used to build houses in 1666, building their own houses with the sticky mixture. They learnt about Thomas Farriner and his bakery and how he failed to put out the flames in his oven on that fateful night. The children then investigated different materials to help build a strong, waterproof bakery for Thomas.

The children had lots to say following their experience:

*William: We used rocks and clay to build a bakery.*

*Willis: We made a wattle wall like the houses in the Great Fire of London.*

*Heidi: We mixed mud, straw and water to make daub.*

*Scarlett: People tried to escape the Great Fire on boats, but it didn’t work as some of the boats set on fire.*

*Olivia: The wood used to make the wattle wall sets fire easily when dry.*



### Eden Camp

On Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October the children in Class 3 visited Eden camp along with the children from Class 3 at Barlow to enhance their studies of WW2. The children spent the day exploring the immersive displays that bring history to life, experiencing the sights, sounds and smells of life on the Home Front and the Front Line.



Kian said: "Eden Camp was great. I loved the blitz. There was a park, and we had our lunch there. It was just so much fun.

Jenson said: "Eden Camp was very fun. We had to go into different little square buildings with different facts and parts of World War 2. My favourite section was the U-Boat which is a submarine. The room was the



inside of a submarine, it was a very detailed room. My second favourite was a room with model planes and facts about the blitz.

### My Art Project

A reminder that the deadline to order your Christmas cards, mugs etc is Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November. Delivery to school is free if you order by the deadline. You can still order after this date, but you would have to pay for delivery to home. Every item purchased earns a commission for school funds.



### Children in Need - Donations Page link



We are supporting the BBC Children in Need appeal on Friday this week by inviting children to wear bright or spotty clothing. ParentPay have collaborated with Children in Need to create a donations page for our school, please use the link below to donate:-

<https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Foc/Default.aspx?shopid=12382>

The School Council have also asked if they could host a bake sale on Friday at break time. We would therefore like to ask for donations of buns and biscuits for the children to sell to raise additional funds. They will sell the buns and biscuits for around 20p/30p (depending on the size etc) and will sell any left-over baked goods at the end of the day. Please send your child(ren) with a money in a named envelope and write on how much is inside.

### Flu vaccine

For anyone who missed the initial sign up for the flu vaccination there is a catch-up session on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December in school. You can do so by clicking the link below:

[Vaccination UK Immunisation \(schoolvaccination.uk\)](http://VaccinationUKImmunisation(schoolvaccination.uk))

The system will close on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> November. If you do not sign up before then and still would like your child(ren) to have the vaccination, please email the school before 9.00am on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December and a nurse will contact you on the day for you to give consent on the phone.

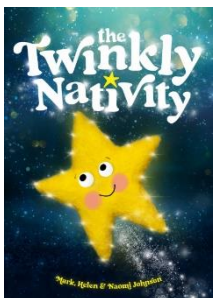
Any child who was initially signed up but not in school when the nurses came will receive the vaccine automatically.

### Christmas Movie Night

Miss Ducat and Mrs Harrop will be hosting a Christmas Movie Night on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December for children in Reception to Year 6. This year they have selected the movie 'Nativity' which is a PG



movie. By signing your child up on ParentPay, you are authorising your child to watch the PG movie. The cost is £5.00 per child, which will include a hot dog, bun and a drink. Please collect children at 5.30pm from the front door.



### Nativity performances

The Nativity this year is 'The Twinkly Nativity' and the children have already started to learn the songs. Children in Reception and Year 1 will perform in the Nativity and children in Year 2 to Year 6 will support with singing. There will be 4 performances over 2 days on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> and Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December, one at 9.30am and the other at 2.00pm. Tickets will go on sale at the start of December. We will need to restrict tickets to 4 per family in the first instance to ensure everyone has an equal chance to purchase tickets. Additional tickets will be offered closer to the performance date, depending on availability. If you require more than 4 tickets, please let the office know and you can be added to a waiting list. Nursery children will not be involved in the nativity performance.

### Online Safety Monthly Newsletter – November

We regularly update our website with online safety advice for families. Please see the link below to the latest Online Safety Newsletter from Knowsley City Learning Centres:

[Online Safety for Parents Newsletter - November 2023 | Chapel Haddlesey CE Primary School \(chapelhaddleseyschool.org.uk\)](https://chapelhaddleseyschool.org.uk)

### Breakfast club

Our breakfast club is available from 7.45am each weekday. You do not need book a place, they can be last minute arrangements. The earliest the door will be answered is 7.45am as prior to this the staff are setting up the kitchen to be able to serve the food and are unable to look after children before this time.

### Pre-School siblings

To keep everyone safe on-site, could we please ask that all pre-school siblings are monitored by parents and not allowed to roam on the school grounds or on the equipment.

Good attendance is linked to success in all aspects of life!

Whole school attendance target is: 97%

This fortnight whole school attendance was 87.93%

| Class   | Percentage |
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| Class 1 | 95.69%     |
| Class 2 | 93.00%     |
| Class 3 | 73.26%     |

There were 57 children in the 100% club for this fortnight.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Lindley



Diary Dates

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| Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> November 2023    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Children In Need – wear colourful / spotty clothing</li> <li>Bake sale</li> </ul>   |
| Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> November 2023    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Celebration Worship 9.00am</li> </ul>   |
| Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup> November 2023  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PTA Christmas Fair – Village Hall</li> </ul>  |
| Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> December 2023     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Catch-up Flu Vaccinations</li> <li>Nursery/Reception Open Morning 9.30-11.00</li> </ul>   |
| Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> December 2023     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Christmas dinner and Christmas Jumper Day</li> <li>PTA Wreath Making 7.30pm – Village Hall</li> </ul>   |
| Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> December 2023  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nativity performance 9.30am</li> <li>Nativity performance 2.00pm</li> </ul>   |
| Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> December 2023    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nativity performance 9.30am</li> <li>Nativity performance 2.00pm</li> </ul>   |
| Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> December 2023    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Celebration Worship 9.00am</li> <li>School closes for Christmas</li> </ul>  |
| Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> December 2024    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Christingle and Carol Service at Haddlesey Church 4.00pm</li> </ul>   |
| Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> January 2024      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Training day – School closed</li> </ul>   |
| Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> January 2024     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>School re-opens</li> </ul>  |
| Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> January 2025     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Closing date for Primary School applications Reception 2024</li> </ul>  |
| Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> January 2024     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Phototronics taking school photos (with siblings from 8.30am)</li> </ul> <p>Please note there is no Celebration Worship as the hall will be in use.</p> |
| Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February 2024     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Celebration Worship 9.00am</li> <li>Non-uniform day – charity tbc</li> <li>School closes for February half-term</li> </ul>                              |
| Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February 2024    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>School re-opens</li> </ul>  |
| Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> February 2024 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Young Voices – Sheffield Arena</li> </ul>   |
| Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> March 2024       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Robinwood Residential depart</li> </ul>   |
| Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> March 2024    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Robinwood Residential return</li> </ul>   |
| Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March 2024       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Celebration Worship 9.00am</li> <li>School closes for Easter</li> </ul>   |
| Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> April 2024        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Training day – School closed</li> </ul>   |
| Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> April 2024       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>School re-opens</li> </ul>  |



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| Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> April 2024                                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Celebration Worship 9.00am</li> </ul>   |
| Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> May 2024                                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bank holiday – School closed</li> </ul>   |
| Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> May to Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> May 2023 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• KS2 SATs</li> </ul>   |
| Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2024                                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Non-uniform day – charity tbc</li> <li>• Celebration Worship 9.00am</li> <li>• School closes for May half-term</li> </ul> |
| Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2024                                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School re-opens</li> </ul>  |
| Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June 2024                                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Celebration Worship 2024</li> </ul>   |
| Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July 2024                                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Celebration Worship 2024</li> <li>• School closes for summer holiday</li> </ul>   |
| Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2024                                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Training day – School closed</li> </ul>   |

