



REDESDALE NEWS

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Important Dates

British Legion Poppy Appeal—Our School Council will be selling poppies before and after school the first week back in readiness for 11th November.

12th November Anti-Bullying Week - 'Choose Respect'

16th November Children in Need - Spotty Non-uniform day

30th November Reception & Nursery Winter Coffee Afternoon 1.30pm

6th December Pottery Painting Nursery—Year 2

11th December CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES - **Nursery to Year 2 only 9.45am/1.45pm**

12th December CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES -**Year 3 to Year 6 only 9.45am/1.45pm**

13th December Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper Day

14th December & 19th December Aladdin Pantomime @ NE6 Suite

20th December WINTER FAIR 1PM –3PM

21st December End of Term - Christmas Holiday

Parental Involvement

Thank you to everyone who attended our Parent Evenings on Tuesday and Wednesday this week and all those who completed a questionnaire. Your comments and suggestions are very important to us and help us to shape the future of the school. A big thank you also to everyone who came to join us for the pumpkin carving on Thursday. Our Chair of Governors, Mr Thorp had a very difficult job to judge the winners of the pumpkin carving competition as all the entries were amazing! The winners were announced in our Achievement Assembly today and awarded their prizes—well done to everyone who took part. Thank you also to those who came to the Nursery and Reception 'Halloween Stay & Play'. We hope you all enjoyed the sessions and look forward to planning future events for all to participate in.



Metro Radio Christmas Appeal

As a school we would like to support our local area again at Christmas this year by collecting toys for the '**Metro Radio Christmas Appeal**'. We are asking if you could buy an extra present that we can give to a disadvantaged local child to make their Christmas morning special. We need new and unwrapped gifts suitable for children and young people aged 0-18 years, and you will be able to donate the gift at our school **from the 12th November**. Mr Chapman and the School Council will be sending letters out to parents and carers after the half term holiday with more information. We hope you will support us with this worthy appeal.

'Walking With' Project

Thank you to all the children, parents and carers who supported our 'Walking With' project this year and brought in tins, packets and dried foods for our Harvest Festival. As always you have all been very supportive and I know this will be greatly appreciated by a lot of families.

