



Newsletter for Belle Vue Primary & Nursery School

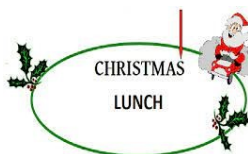
Children In Need 2023



A big **THANK YOU!** To everyone who supported Children In Need on Friday 17th November. The children all had a fab day! The total amount raised was an impressive **£395!** All proceeds will go to Children in Need.



Christmas Lunch



If you require a Christmas lunch for your child please order via School Money by **Tuesday 12th December**.

Christmas Jumper Day — Wednesday 20th December

Children are invited to come to school in their favourite Christmas jumpers for a suggested donation of £2 to be paid to your preferred charity.

They do not need to be shop -bought you can just grab an old jumper and cover it with stickers, tinsel, tin foil or whatever sparkly stuff you can find!

Children should wear full school uniform with their Christmas jumper replacing their school sweatshirt/cardigan.



Our whole school attendance for week beginning **20th—24th November** is
94.7%

(National expectation is **96%**)

YEAR GROUP	PERCENTAGE	YEAR GROUP	PERCENTAGE
RRJ	90.8%	RT	93%
YEAR 1P	95.8%	1V	96.9%
YEAR 2W	94.4%	2C-S	88.9%
YEAR 3W	98.2%	3P	97.3%
YEAR 4CM	94.2%	4L	98.8%
YEAR 5W	91%	5P	95.3%
YEAR 6HA	96.6%	6HO	96.3%

DATES TO REMEMBER

Thursday 30th November

Flu Vaccines—Catch up session

Please see the Christmas Events Menu for dates and times for all of our Christmas Events

Thursday 21st December

Last Day of Term

Friday 22nd December

Inset Day—School Closed

22nd December to 5th January

Christmas Holidays

Monday 8th January 2024

Spring Term Begins—School Open



Christmas Events Menu

Start of the month:

Friday 8th December- Christmas-themed Mufti Day
Donations for tombola
KS1-Chocolate donation
KS2- Bottle donation

Friday 8th December- Reception Craft Afternoon
(No tickets required)

Main two weeks:

Wednesday 13th December- Year 2 Theatre Trip

Friday 15th December- Nursery Christmas event
(AM/PM sessions- no tickets required)

Friday 15th December- Christmas Fayre (4:30pm-6:00pm)
(Entrance and craft tickets to be purchased via School Money. Entrance tickets £3.50 cover Christmas Fayre games etc. Craft tickets £5.00 for Christmas craft session. Booked on School Money in advanced)

Monday 18th December- KS2 (Years 3-6) Carols, coffee and cakes
(Tickets to be ordered via a Google form- to be sent out by 23rd November)

All Year groups (3-6) will be singing at ALL performances, so you only need to attend one of the performances.

Performance 1: 9:15am-10:00am

Performance 2: 10:30am-11:15am

Performance 3: 1:30pm-2:15pm

Performance 4: 2:30pm-3:15pm

Monday 18th December- Curriculum Showcase - KS1 Hall 3:45pm-5:15pm
A chance to come and look at the work that children have completed in their foundation subjects.

Tuesday 19th December- KS1 'A Bundle of Joy' Nativity Performance
(Tickets to be ordered via a Google form- already sent out)

Wednesday 20th December- Christmas Lunch & Christmas Jumper Day

And to finish off...

Breakfast with the Grinch

Once tickets have been purchased and numbers are known, we will confirm the dates of this. It will be within school hours, so all children will be able to attend should they want



FAMILY SUPPORT UPDATE

Financial Support

Christmas can be a very challenging time if you are already struggling financially. If you would like some support with your current difficulties and your financial future please take a look at the Dudley Cost of Living Hubs via this link.

<https://www.dudley.gov.uk/council-community/cost-of-living/cost-of-living-support-hubs/>

I may also be able to access some support for you so please contact me via the school office.

Charity Donations

During the past two years we have received frequent support from a few charities so we would like to promote their Christmas appeals. We have attached the flyer for Leslie's Care Packages and their drop off locations and also the flyer for the Black Country Toy Appeal. Their drop off locations can be found on their website. If you'd like to drop off any donations to the school office by 7th December I will distribute them to the relevant charities.

If you are also planning to have a clear out of your child's wardrobe over the holiday please consider donating any good quality items to the Kids Clothes Project. They collect clothing for children 2-12 and have donation points at The Old Cat, Wordsley, Little Lobsters and Oopsy Daisies. I will also be collecting any donations of clothing for this charity during the first week back in January.

Mrs Slater

DROP OFF POINTS



**Fortnocks Health Club,
8 Stallings Lane,
Kingswindford, DY6 7HU**



Monday to Friday: 6am to 9pm
Sunday: 9am to 5pm

**Met Recruitment,
203 Wolverhampton Street,
Dudley, DY1 1ED**

Monday to Friday: 8:30am to 4:30pm

**AP Morgan Estate Agent
15 - 17 St Johns Road
Stourbridge, DY8 1EJ**

Wednesday and Friday: 11:30am to 4:30pm

**Drop Off at my unit in Quarry Bank by
arrangement on my days off work
christmas@lesliescarepackages.org**

Leslie's Care Packages Christmas Campaign 2023

Please help us to put smiles on Children's
and Teenagers faces this Christmas

We are asking our kind Supporters for
New Christmas Toys/Gifts/Chocolates
presented unwrapped in a Gift Bag.
Please include a tag with gender and age

Ages range from unborn/newborn to 17
years both males and females.

All presents/gifts must be suitable
and safe for all age groups.

Suggestions for Teenagers 13 to 17 years

Gift Sets Hats
Socks Wallet/Purse
Scarves, Make-up
Gloves Hairdryer
Nail Kit Hairbrush/Comb
Pen Set Christmas Chocolates

Suggestions for Babies, Toddlers/Children

Baby Toys, Clothing
Pyjamas, Hats & Glove Sets
Toys/Dolls, Games,
Selection Boxes
Reading Books
Colouring Books and Pens

toys/gifts/chocolates will be accepted until Sunday, 10th of December

Please get in touch to arrange drop off or collection.

Drop off would be at LCP's unit in Quarry Bank.

Email: christmas23@lesliescarepackages.org





Poppy Appeal

Belle Vue Primary School

raised

£396.02

*For the 2023 Poppy Appeal.
Thank you for your continued support.*

*R Townsend
Honorary Poppy Appeal Organiser
Kingswinford*

November 2023



Wordsley Christmas Lights Switch On

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Dec 2023

Wordsley Green Shopping Centre
and
The Old Cat Pub

4.00 PM

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7.00 PM

FREE ENTRY

Stalls | Live Music | Rides | Food

Supported by The Mayor of Dudley



Where possible, please walk to this event to minimise congestion.
Thank you.

