

# Huxley CE Primary School Newsletter



*With God's  
love we can fly*

01.12.23

## It's Christmas time...

Dear Parents

Merry Christmas! If you are anything like Mr Gourley, he doesn't think it is Christmas until we hit December. I however, have been singing our Christmas songs since October! Today Christmas has officially hit school- decorations have gone up, music has been on, lights at the front of school and it is starting to feel really festive.

We have two weeks left in school and it is incredibly busy so please do check your Christmas dates email that I sent you on Monday. We are still missing quite a few permission slips. You can simply copy and paste it in to an email and send it to Miss Lloyd if this is easier for you. We really do appreciate you responding to this as it helps with our school planning. Last night was a good example in that we only had 12 families say they were coming to the Bingo but a lot more turned up (which was great but we just weren't expecting so many!) Luckily I made some more bingo boards at last minute but it did mean that we had to share out some of the chocolates we had bought for the children for the end, as we had prepared little 'party bags' but didn't have enough.

Last night was however, a really fun event. I hope you all enjoyed it. I know the staff did. Thank you all for coming, it was so lovely to see you and your children having lots of fun. We definitely had some excellent duck impressions and wonderful dancing queen moves!

Unfortunately, I have received a complaint from a neighbour this morning. Please can you all be really mindful of where you park and do not cover any driveways or paths. I did go out to check just before the event started and I couldn't see anyone parking inappropriately but maybe it was after we started the event? A neighbour couldn't get into their driveway due to the amount of cars parked up near the terraced houses.

Next week is Community Coffee morning, Christmas jumper day and Panto on Thursday- very festive day! The children were told about the panto this week with a wonderful dramatic performance from staff- 'oh no it's not! Oh yes it is!' and 'She's behind you!' The children soon guessed! The panto is Beauty and the Beast at Northwich Memorial Court. We have organised for any children on school dinners that day to have a packed lunch made up for them or if you would like to do your own that's fine. Please remember we are a nut free school! We have also organised for the children to have a little treat whilst they are there too. We will be driving there by coach as this is the first whole school trip we have been on when the number exceed the minibus capacity- which is quite exciting! We have been informed that the performance will end at 3.15pm and so we will have a later return time that afternoon. We expect to be back at 4pm so please could you collect the children from school at 4pm instead of the usual 3.15pm. Many thanks.

### DIARY DATES 2023

04.12.23- Number 4 advent calendar display goes up

6<sup>th</sup>- Practice at church (see separate Christmas letter)

7.11.23- Community coffee morning with mince pies

7.11.23- Christmas jumper day and Panto time! (see separate Christmas letter) **LATE pick up**

12.11.23- Nativity

