



Newsletter

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back after the half term I hope you had a good week. We welcome Betsy, Ollie, Alfie and Ira to our school and wish them well for their time at Little Bollington.

We are beginning to collect our items for our Christmas celebrations and we start TOMORROW by pupils coming into school in their uniform but with a spooky/sparkly hair style / bobbles /hat in exchange for a wrapped gift for FC to the value of £2 and labelled girl/ boy /neutral.

Other dates coming up are:

Mrs J's working hours

Following her surgery in September Mrs J is now having a series of follow up treatments which begin on Thursday for three weeks. All being well she will be in school each day until early afternoon. In her absence Mrs Massey will deal with office/admin matters and Mrs Hayward and Mrs Witter with and school, pupil teaching matters – but it is expected things will run just as normal as they did in September.

Remembrance Events this week

Thank you to all the families and WI members who have produced many lovely knitted poppies – they look super.

Please come and place a poppy and remembrance on our Poppy Cascade we are open for you to pop into the school hall after school on Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

If you have a family member who was involved in the wars or war effort we would love to have a copy of a photo and a little bit of information about them as we would like to display them in the hall alongside the poppy cascade.

Songs of Conflict and of Peace Concert in the school hall on Friday evening 7.30pm – I heard the Bridgewater Singers in rehearsal last night and they sounded super ..it promises to be a very moving/entertaining evening. Tickets cost £5 incl refreshments – children are free. **We are also looking for donations of prizes for the raffle which will be held on the night – Please send anything you can in to school as soon as possible.**

Our bell ringers are playing at Dunham on Sunday evening as part of the act of remembrance before the lighting of the beacon. All children are welcome and we will meet in the car park at 5.45pm before processing with our lit poppy lanterns to the front of the house. There will be food, marquees etc and the programme starts with the bell ringers at 6.30pm ending with the beacon lighting at 7pm

Rotakids

Rotakids will begin again on 3rd December 3.30pm – 4.45pm – if your child is interested in joining this hardworking, enthusiastic group and they are in class 3 or 4 please return the slips issued on Monday as soon as possible. It is likely that we will have more children than we have spaces for, in which case preference will be given to older pupils so they get a chance to be part of it before they move off to high school and the other children will go onto a waiting list.

Kenyan Teachers

Our visiting teachers Miss Mwangi and Mr Kabiera will be with us late morning next Monday. They will be working alongside our teachers for the week and attending the performance of Oliver! to see class 4 and talking to Lymm Rotary. On Friday morning at 9.30-10.30 you are welcome to pop in for a coffee morning to meet them and have a chat and find out more about our partner school – please join us if you can.

Photograph Orders

Please remember to send in your orders for the individual/sibling photographs. These will be collected from school by Academy Photography on the Monday 12th November.

Remembrance Special Lunch - Fri 9th November

There will be a special lunch for Remembrance Day, please see the posters around school or the website for details.

HSA Christmas Card Order - Final Reminder

Final chance to send in orders for your child's design of Christmas cards/wrapping paper etc. This MUST be in school tomorrow – Wednesday 7th November.

Dunham Massey Lantern Walk

Please complete and return the slip below if you will be attending this event on Sunday. The event starts at 5.45pm and our bell ringers will be performing.

If you can donate any spare (clean) jam jars/plastic bottles please send these in to school as soon as possible.

Tuesday Teacher Led After School Clubs

Tuesday after school clubs will begin again next Tuesday, please complete and return the slip below - the options are:

Jewellery making with Mrs Challinor – KS2 only

Singing with Miss Millett – KS1 & 2

There will also be a Wednesday Maths lunchtime club with Mrs Witter.

Dunham Massey Lantern Walk

We will be attending Dunham Massey on Sunday 11th November

Child's Name: _____ Class: _____

Signed: _____

Tuesday Teacher Led After School Clubs/ Lunchtime Club

Child's Name: _____ Class: _____

My child would like to join: Jewellery Making (KS2) [] Singing [] Wed lunchtime Maths []

Signed: _____