



Duke Street Primary School

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Father Christmas Event

The Parents Association's Father Christmas Event is after school next Thursday, 3rd December. Don't forget that tomorrow children can come in non uniform in return for bringing a bottle for the tombola. Bottles can include cordial, non alcoholic fizzy drinks, etc, alcohol is also very welcome but must be brought in by an adult. Donations of cakes would also be appreciated, please give these to your child's teacher on the morning of the Christmas Event. Today, we are sending home a separate letter with raffle tickets attached. Extra tickets will be available from Mrs Nicholls in the school office.



Christmas Performances



A reminder that the Christmas Performances are as follows:

Monday, 7th December – Years 5 and 6.

Tuesday, 8th December – Years 3 and 4.

Thursday, 10th December – Years 1 and 2.

Friday, 11th December – Reception.

All performances will be at 2.00 pm and 6.00 pm. Tickets will be available from Mrs Nicholls from next Monday, 30th November. Due to limited space in the hall, we request that a maximum of two members of your family may attend either the day or the evening performance. To avoid disappointment, please complete the request form being sent home and return to school as soon as possible. Tickets will be issued, on a first come, first served basis. (Please bring the ticket with you when you come to the performance).

Book Sale

A very big thank you to the Year 5 girls who put a lot of time and effort into organizing and running the book sale during their break times last week. They have made £72.60 for the school library, well done Emily, Melissa and Zuzu!



Sports Hall Athletics



Well done to all the Year 5 and 6 children who competed in the Sports Hall Athletics competition on Monday. The team demonstrated good skills and supported each other really well. The event was a huge success and they got through to the final which takes place next Tuesday. We wish them all good luck.

Children In Need

A big thank you to those children (and staff) who "Did Something Different" for this year's children in need - we saw odd shoes, odd socks, back to front jumpers and teachers that wore school uniform! We managed to raise a fantastic £176.25.



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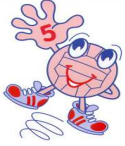
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Hi Five Netball Club



A reminder to children that due to the dark and cold evenings, and lack of space in the hall, the Hi Five Netball club and now finished. We will resume the sessions after Christmas, on Tuesday, 10th January 2010.

Toys in School

Could we please ask parents to encourage their children to leave their own toys at home? Toys are not needed during the school day and we cannot be responsible for them in the event they should get damaged at school.



Fashion Show

On Wednesday, 9th December at 7.00 pm we will be holding a fashion show here at Duke Street! A company called Fashion Show Northwest will be modelling the latest ladies fashion at cut down prices. Labels such as River Island, Diesel, Next etc will be on offer. Tickets must be purchased from Mrs Nicholls before Friday, 4th December at £4.00 per person, this includes entrance and refreshments. If you wish to find out more information, Mrs Worth who is organising this event, will be happy to speak to you.

Children's Centre - Positive Parenting Support Group



Do you have a child under 8?
Find support, make new friends, and have a laugh -
you won't believe the difference it will make to your children!
Come and join a FREE 8 week course starting in January.
We will be running two courses- one in Coppull and one in Clayton Brook
Places are limited so book now to avoid disappointment!
Crèche included for under 5's
For more information, contact Home Start on- 01257 241636



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