

Weekly Bulletin

November 19th 2021



In school, this week children and teachers have been thinking about how each of us can play our part in being a friend to those around us with the **anti-bullying theme 'One Kind Word.'** Children have taken part in lessons, activities and assemblies all aimed at raising awareness of the choice that all children have to respect each other. We have talked about what this might look like, how those who are bullied might feel and most importantly what to do if a child or a friend is not choosing to respect others. Children know they can turn to any member of staff or our anti-bullying team if they see anyone who is not choosing to respect other people, or feel that they are being bullied. Today, we celebrated with Pudsey in raising money for Children in Need. Thank you to all of our families for donating so generously. With our change, **we have raised over £330 for Children in Need.**

Upcoming Events



Come to school on Decoration Day **Thursday 26th November** dressed in your **Christmas jumper**. In exchange for this, we ask you to **bring in a jam jar filled with small children's items** for our Christmas Celebration children's raffle along with a donation to our Christmas Hamper Rainbow Raffle.

A reminder for all our **Year 6** pupils that **Bikeability cycle training** takes place **From 29th November**. Bikes and helmets can be walked into the school playground and placed by **Hawk classroom**.



[Please click here](#) to share your view on our virtual Parent Consultation Meetings

Autumn Clothing

Winter weather has been kind to us so far, but during the next few weeks we expect the weather to get much colder. **Please ensure that your child brings a coat to school** and, if wearing boots on the way to school, that they have school shoes in order change when inside the building. We are sensitive to the changing weather conditions but most days the children will be learning outside at some point.

Meldreth Community Food Bank

Our Meldreth Community Food Bank is planning ahead to be in a position to offer Christmas boxes - basics and nice Christmas things - to families who need this over the holidays. They have set up a [JustGiving Page](#) for those families who feel that they have the capacity to **donate to this worthy cause**.



The food bank is open now, as usual. Please ring or text Anne who runs the Foodbank on 07592 355279.

CHECK NOW.... is your child eligible for Additional School Funding? - [speedy checking tool](#)

School Photographs Deadlines for ordering before Christmas

Login to www.garethjonesphotography.gotphoto.co.uk your child's photos are available to view.



Sunday 28th November 2021 - Free Shipping & Coupon Deadline *Make sure you order by 23.59 pm on this date to take advantage of your discount coupon and the free batch delivery to the school (direct delivery available too).*

Wednesday 8th December 2021 - Last Chance to order for Christmas (direct delivery) *Order by this date to guarantee your prints by Christmas. All orders placed after this date may not arrive in time (although you could be lucky).*

Monday 10th January 2022 - Gallery Closes - *This is the last chance to order photos.*



Please do continue to inform us if you feel that your child has COVID symptoms and needs to take a PCR test. We will continue to update our website with any classes where children have COVID symptoms and will inform you if there is a positive case in your child's class.

Award Winners



Ivy S
Finn W
William P
Alex D

Isaac M
Isla B
Dakota-Rain C-R
Tom R

Frankie C
Lily F
Arthur S

Curtis F
Charlie W
Maisie H
Harry P

Aamiyah-Lily T
Charlotte L
Oliver S

William M
Sophie B-E
Alex F
McKenzie L

Diary Dates

November	
Sunday 21 st	PTA Xmas Fair at the village hall
Wednesday 24 th	Weather permitting – PTA Christmas jumper sale
Thursday 25 th	Decoration Day – wear your Xmas jumper!
Friday 26 th	PTA Christmas event – 3 – 4pm
Monday 29 th – 2nd	Year 6 - Bikeability
December	
Wednesday 1 st	Nasal flu immunisation
Tuesday 7 th	Puffin Class Vision Screening
Wednesday 8 th & Thursday 9 th	Puffin, Swift & Wren class Nativity
Thursday 9 th	Santa Day Fun Run
Friday 10 th	Theatre of Widdershins Visit
Tuesday 14 th	KS2 Carol Concert
Friday 17 th	Last Day of Term



From the team at Meldreth Primary School...we wish you all well!