

Melsonby Methodist Primary School Newsletter

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Bags2School

This term's Bags2School collection resulted in a whopping 159 Kg's which raised £63.60. Thank you to all who took the opportunity of cleaning out some un-wanted items that can be turned into cash to help fund things at school.



Shoebox Appeal

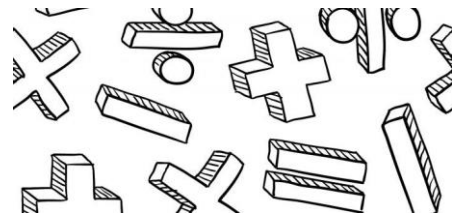
Thank you to everyone who put together a shoebox for our appeal. The school managed to send off 19 completed shoeboxes. Really well done everyone and many thanks to all those who took part.



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Maths Presentation Evening for Parents

On Tuesday the 15th November at 6.00pm there is a maths presentation evening for parents. It will focus on how addition, subtraction, multiplication and division are taught in school.



Children in Need



This year to help with Children in Need we are having a Wear Something Spotty Day on Friday 18th November. Please bring a donation to school if you would like to take part.

Christmas Fayre - Courtesy of the Friends of Melsonby School

This year's Christmas Fayre will be on the morning of Saturday the 3rd of December between 10.00am and 12.30pm. Get there early to ensure you get your hot bacon butty. There will be lots of things to see and do including Santa' Grotto.



Christmas Production - The Donkey's Christmas

This year's Christmas production of The Donkey's Christmas will be on the following days at St James's Church:
Tuesday 6th December at 6.30pm
Wednesday 7th December at 10.00am



Pantomime Visit -

This year our whole school visit to the pantomime will be to The Georgian Theatre, Richmond to see Snow White. This will take place on Thursday 8th December 2016.



Carol Service

Please join us for our Carol Service on Friday the 16th of December at 10.00am at St James's Church. Tell all your family and friends as everyone is welcome.



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Christmas Jumper Day

Come and join us at our Carol Service in your best Christmas Jumper. All donations will go to Save the Children.



Christmas Dinner and Christmas Party

This year our Christmas lunch and Children's

Christmas party will be on Thursday the 15th December 2016.

Christmas lunch for all children, parents, governors and staff will start at 12.00pm. Letters, with menus, will go out to all parents to book up your places for Christmas lunch very soon.

We will be having one Christmas party for all the children on the 15th that starts at 4.30pm and finishes at 6.30pm.

Pedestrian Training

On Tuesday the whole school had a Pedestrian Awareness Training Assembly reminding pupils how to cross roads safely and also how to be seen in the dark. I'm pleased to say everyone knew how to do these two things but a little reminder never goes amiss.

Science Day

On Thursday we had a whole school Science Day with North and South Cowton Primary School. Their Key Stage 2 class joined us while our Key Stage 1 class went through to North South Cowton. The whole idea of the day was to promote science teaching in both schools by giving the children a range of practical investigations to undertake. Thanks go to Richmond School who supplied us with slightly more unusual scientific equipment such as: multi-meters, digital thermometers and test tubes.



Indoor Footwear

As the weather turns more inclement may I request that all children have a pair of indoor shoes / slippers to use in school.

Baby and Toddler Group

The Baby and Toddler Group meets between 10.00am and 11.30am on Tuesday morning. This is a super chance to come and meet other mums with children of the same age to have a coffee and a chat whilst your children play in a safe, secure and stimulating environment. The sessions are run by Emma Guy from Colburn Children's Centre.



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Celebration Assemblies

Don't forget we have weekly Celebration Assemblies on a Friday afternoon in the hall from 3.10pm onwards. Everyone is welcome as it is a lovely way to complete each week.



Important Dates for Diaries

Autumn Term 2016

Tuesday 15th November - Whole school maths parent presentation evening from 6.00pm to 7.00pm

Thursday 17th November - Individual and family group photographs in school

Monday 21st November - Audio Screening - Year 1

Wednesday 23rd November - Flu Immunisation - Years 1, 2 and 3

Saturday 3rd December - Christmas Fayre from 10.00am to 12.30pm

Tuesday 6th December - School Christmas Production @ 6.30pm at St James's Church

Wednesday 7th December - School Christmas Production @ 10.00am at St James's Church

Thursday 8th December - Whole school visit to the pantomime

Thursday 15th December - Christmas Lunch and children's Christmas party

Friday 16th December - Carol Service at St James's Church starting at 10.00am

Friday 16th December - Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 16th December - last day of term

Tuesday 3rd January 2017 - Staff training day - no children in school

Wednesday 4th January - spring term begins

