



# The BIG PUDSEY Bake-off!



Last week, Class 3, Mrs. McCormick and Mrs. Johnson made lovely Pudsey biscuits to sell for our Children in Need fundraising project. Mrs. Osborne finished off these masterpieces and had to bake lots and lots of biscuits for us.

We want to say a huge thank you to these three members of staff for helping Class 3 children in making the project a great success. We also want to say thank you to the PTA parents who helped to sell biscuits and hot chocolate on Friday 17th November. We really appreciate all your support!

Selling biscuits and hot chocolate raised **£192.68** which we will be sending to the 'Children in Need' Charity! For Class 3's kindness and thinking of others in need, I award each Year 5 and 6 pupil a house point!



# BBC Children in Need





# SANTA

IS COMING TO ASHDON  
PRIMARY SCHOOL'S  
CHRISTMAS FAIR

Write and post your letter to the  
main man, make reindeer food  
and create a scratch art  
decoration

**£5.00 PER CHILD, SIBLINGS £3**

Friday, 8th December  
15:30 - 17:30

No booking required, for further information please email  
[ashdonprimarypta@gmail.com](mailto:ashdonprimarypta@gmail.com)



# Christmas Fair


**FRIDAY, 8 DECEMBER**  
**FROM 15:30 IN THE SCHOOL HALL**

**MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW**  
**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**  
**PLEASE GET IN TOUCH IF YOU CAN HELP**

# **YES DAY!**

**FRIDAY, 1ST DECEMBER**

**THIS NON-UNIFORM DAY, WE ARE SAYING YES TO:**



**Nail varnish**  
**Funky Hats**



**Bright hair accessories**  
**Backwards clothing**




**Pyjamas**  
**Football Kits**



**Funky tights**  
**Odd socks**



**Crazy hair**  
**Temporary Tattoos**



**Dressing up**  
**General non-uniform**

**In exchange for non-uniform day, we are asking for donations of nut free chocolate, which will be used in our famous chocolate tombola at the Christmas Fair!**

**Please hand in your donations to your class teacher.**



## Important Dates and Events:

- Monday 27th - Thursday 30th November - Book Fair in school from 15:30-16:00
- Thursday 30th November at 12:45 at Lord Butler LC - Basketball Tournament Year 5 and Year 6
- Friday 1st December - Yes Day - Non Uniform - The PTA is kindly asking for NUT FREE chocolate donations for the Christmas Fair's Tombola Table. Children can bring in all donations on the day please.
- Saturday 2nd December - The Spirit of Christmas Concert at 13:30 at St. Mary's Church in Saffron Walden
- Wednesday 6th December - Santa Dash! The PTA will be hosting the Santa Dash on this day. It will take place at 10:30! The plan is for the children to run a lap around the field. When they reach the first corner, they will collect a Santa Hat to put on. When they reach the second corner, they will be given a bit of tinsel to wear and when they reach the third corner, they will have to help Santa by picking a present and DASH alllllll the way to the fourth corner and throw the present in the goal box! As we know, England is keeping us either on our toes or in our wellies...so please make sure that you send your child with a pair of wellies or an extra pair of shoes, as things might be muddy - just to be a bit prepared. :-)
- Friday 8th December - Christmas Jumper Day (All staff and children to wear a Christmas Jumper and please bring in a donation of £1 to raise money for books and resources for our READING SHEDS!!)
- Friday 8th December - Ashdon Primary School Christmas Fair 15:30-17:30. Raffle draw will happen between 17:30-18:00!! Don't miss out!! :-)
- Friday 8th December 13:00-14:00 in Saffron Walden Market Square - Choir Carolling at the Christmas Tree
- Thursday 14th December - Saffron Walden County High School Christmas Concert where some of our pupils will perform as well (we are the ONLY Primary school taking part at this event!!) - Time to be confirmed
- Friday 15th December at 11:00 and 14:00 - Nativity Play

## Attendance Winners!



*First Place: Class 2 = 96.4%*



*Second Place: Class 3 = 90.8%*



*Third Place: Class 1 = 88.7%*

*Well done Class 2; you are our weekly winners!!!  
You've earned yourselves an extra 10 minutes playtime  
on Friday afternoon!*

## *Vacancy!!*

**We have a vacancy at Ashdon Primary School for a Midday Assistant. Ideally we would like someone to work every lunchtime but we will consider applications from people who can only work a few days each week.**

**We have emailed parents the advert, which has further details, the job description and the application form earlier today. Paper copies are available from the school office.**

**Perhaps a friend or neighbour of yours might be interested? Please pass this information onto anyone who might like to apply.**

**The deadline for applications is  
12:00 noon on Monday 4th December.**