

# Westdale Junior School

## Newsletter

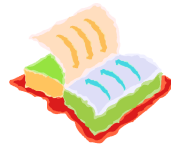
Autumn Term

Friday 14th  
November

I must start this newsletter by apologising for the fact that I am going to have to mention Christmas several times, I know it is early but we are already busy planning events and activities.

### Book Fair

We will be having a Scholastic book fair in school from the 5th—11th December. More details will follow later regarding opening times. This would be an ideal opportunity for you to stock up on Christmas presents. This is usually an excellent fund raiser for the school as we receive commission on the all of the books that we sell.



Our last book fair sold over £700 worth of books and we received £390 commission which we spent on reading books.

For hosting this Christmas book fair, Scholastic are offering us 100% commission. This will all be spent on upgrading and expanding the books in school for your children. I hope that you will be able to join us at the book fair.

### Christmas Concerts

Our Christmas pantomime will be performed by the Upper School on Tuesday 9th December at 6pm and Wednesday 10th December at 7pm. As always everybody is welcome to attend. Further details and request for ticket letters will be sent nearer the time.

This year we will also be holding a carol concert for all children and their parents in the school hall on Tuesday 16th December at 10.00am again more details to follow.

### Children in Need

Today has been Children in Need day and it has been a pleasure to welcome so many well behaved bears into school. They majority came "bearing" bags of money to add to our collection, unfortunately, I am unable to give you a total at the moment as we still busy counting the boxes of money that you have kindly donated to this cause.



### Parent Governor Nominations

The ballot for Parent Governors closed at 10.00am today and we were delighted to announce that Mrs Vernon, Mrs Fox and Miss Rhodes have been appointed as parent governors in an extremely close ballot. We thank the other candidates for their interest and support of the school.

### Morrisons Vouchers

Thank you to all of those families who have been collecting the vouchers from Morrisons for us. We have started counting them and are astounded at how many we have. Please, keep collecting them and bringing them into school, at this rate we will be able to order some very nice things for school. Thank you once again.