



Newsletter 10th November 2023



Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been so lovely to welcome the children back after the half term break. We are starting to think about Christmas already and have lots of exciting things on for the children over the next few weeks. Please check the dates section carefully so you don't miss anything exciting coming up.

We are very excited about our Open Day on Saturday 25th November. This is an opportunity for new and existing parents/ carers and the local community to come and have a look around the school and have some fun. We have so many free activities on that we can't wait to share with the children. Please see the leaflet overleaf for more information.

Mrs Maughan

School Council



Congratulations to our twelve newly elected School Councilors.

The Polar Express is coming to Bowburn Primary School

Dig out your favourite teddy!



See more information overleaf

Year 6 trip to Eden Camp



Learning all about WW2

Join us for our Open Day for lots of family fun on Saturday 25th November.

OPEN DAY

ADMISSION NOW OPEN

SATURDAY 25TH NOV 11AM TO 1PM

BOWBURN PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

OPEN DAY

FAMILY FUN

REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE

FREE ENTRY

Activities include: MAGIC SHOW, NURSERY MESSY PLAY, FOREST SCHOOL, PENALTY SHOOT, FACE PAINTING AND MUCH MORE..., CHRISTMAS CRAFTS, BOUNCY CASTLE, SCHOOL TOUR.

Come and join us for a fun OPEN DAY at our PRIMARY SCHOOL and NURSERY. Have a tour of the facilities and enjoy a slice of what happens here and why we are so proud to share it with you. Whether you are looking for a Primary School, a Nursery, or bothwe have it all, including wraparound care from 2-11 years old! With choices for School and Nursery places to be made, we want to let you see what we do and can offer to make your Child and our Students shine bright. Come and see what it is like in early years and messy play in the Nursery or join in the fun we have planned and a tour of the School with an outdoor forest school experience too! We moved into a brand-new building which opened in 2021 and would love to welcome you to show you all the amazing services we offer and how we REACH for the stars!

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*Join Us For
The Polar
Express*

Monday 11th December 2023
1.30pm—3.45pm

Wear your best pyjamas (come to school dressed in them) and bring your pillow or teddy!

£2 (via Parent Pay) includes a biscuit, hot chocolate and a Christmas bell!

Please collect children from their usual pick up door at 3.45pm.

Get your PJ's and teddies ready!

Holiday	Closing date	Teacher Training Days school closed to children	Date re-opens for children
Teacher Training Day	Friday 1 st December 2022	Teacher Training Day	Monday 4 th December
Christmas	Tuesday 19 th December		Thursday 4 th January
Teacher Training Day	Wednesday 3 rd January	Teacher Training Day	
February Half Term	Friday 16th February		Monday 26th February
Easter	Thursday 28th March		Monday 15th April
May Half Term	Friday 24th May		Monday 3rd June
Summer	Friday 19th July		
Teacher Training Days	Monday 22 nd & Tuesday 23 rd July	Teacher Training Days	

Event Dates and Dates for your Diary 2023-2024

Date	Time	Event	Year	What Do I Need?
Mon 13th Nov	All Day	Odd Sock Day	All	The odder the better! Bottle donations for the
Tues 14th Nov	2.30-3pm	Year 6 WW2 Assembly	Year 6	Year 6 Parents / Carers welcome
Weds 15th Nov	All Day	School Photos	All	Smart uniform
Weds 15th Nov	All Day	Liz Million Author/Illustrator	Nursery/Y1	
Fri 17th Nov	All Day	Children in Need	All	Wear something spotty!
Mon 20th Nov	All Day	Captain Chemistry—Forces Workshop	Y5	
Mon 20th Nov	All Day	Height & Weight	Rec/Y6	
Weds 22nd Nov	9.15-12pm	Trip to Wharton Park	Rec	Trip letter will be sent
Fri 24th Nov	All Day	Non uniform day	All	We welcome donations for our bottle tombola
Sat 25th Nov	11am-1pm	OPEN DAY	All welcome	Free activities and a chance to visit the school
Tues 28th Nov	3-4pm	Christmas Fair	All	
Fri 1st Dec	All Day	SCHOOL CLOSED	All	
Tues 5th Dec	2-3pm	Christmas Performance	Y1/2	Y1/2 parents/carers welcome.
Weds 6th Dec	10-11am	Christmas Performance	Nursery	Nursery parents/carers welcome. Afternoon-nursery children invited
Thur 7th Dec	9.15-2.45pm	Trip to Durham Cathedral	Y2	Trip letter will be sent
Thur 7th Dec	2-3pm	Christmas Performance	Rec	Reception parents/carers welcome.
Fri 8th Dec	10-11am	Special Visitor in School	All	
Mon 11th Dec	10-11am	EYFS Panto	Nursery/Rec	Afternoon nursery children are welcome to attend between 10-11am
Mon 11th Dec	1.30-3.45pm	Polar Express	Rec-Y6 Nursery pm session	Wear your PJ's to school and bring your pillow or teddy. Morning nursery children are welcome to attend between 1-3.15pm
Tue 12th Dec	10-11.30am	EYFS Christmas Party	Nursery/Rec	Afternoon nursery children invited to the party
Tues 12th Dec	2-3pm	Rock Steady Concert	Rock Steady Students	Parents/carers welcome
Weds 13th Dec	1-3pm	Christmas Party	Y1/2	Come to school in Christmas party clothes (remember they will be outside at break so will need sensible shoes and coats)
Weds 13th Dec	Lunch time	Christmas Dinner	All school lunches	If your child would like to sign up for Christmas Dinner please advise the office. Wear your Christmas jumpers!
Thur 14th Dec	All day	Dog's Trust	Rec/Y2/Y5	
Thur 14th Dec	1-3pm	Christmas Party	Y3/4	Come to school in Christmas party clothes (remember they will be outside at break so will need sensible shoes and coats)
Fri 15th Dec	1-3pm	Christmas Party	Y5/6	Come to school in Christmas party clothes (remember they will be outside at break so will need sensible shoes and coats)
Mon 18th Dec		Christmas Service	Y3/4	Y3/4 parents/carers welcome.
Mon 18th Dec		Christmas Service	Y5/6	Y5/6 parents/carers welcome.

Useful Information and links



Become a
Holiday Club
Member and
recieve
reduced rates!



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CLUB**



FOOTBALL CLUB



**LEGO CLUB
CLUB**

Come and Join us in the lead-up to Christmas and in the New Year.
Wednesday 20th - Friday 23rd December & Tuesday 2nd - Wednesday 3rd
January

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