



# Brookland Junior School Newsletter

'Be kind, be respectful, be the best that you can be'

13.12.2024

## The Brookland Headteacher's Awards

Well done to all the children who were awarded a Headteacher's Awards this week - we are proud of you all!

	Being Kind Award	Being Respectful/ Rights Respecting Award	Being the best that you can be Award	The Risk Taker Award
Year 3	Ayaz	Amelia	Chloe	Viola
Year 4	Jared	Lauren	Samara	Sofia
Year 5	Sophia	Ramtin	Almira	Can
Year 6	Mollie	Rozhan	Lennon	Clementine

## Rock Steady Performance

Well done to all the children who performed this week. The bands have been working hard and it was great to hear their finished songs. Thank you to all the parents and carers that came along to support and create such a lovely atmosphere for the children.

## Festive Friday!

Thank you to the PTFA for arranging Festive Friday. It was lovely to welcome some of the older members of our community to our school for tea, mince pies and a final performance by our Christmas Choir. Thank you to everyone who came to buy the delicious cake and donuts at the end of the day. The winners of the raffle will be announced in the PTFA newsletter.

## Children singing Christmas Songs/Carols

A reminder that the children will be performing Christmas Carols/Songs next week:

**Year 3 - Tuesday 17th December @ 8.55am**

**Year 4 - Monday 16th December @ 8.55am**

**Year 5 - Thursday 19th December @ 8.55am**

**Year 6 - Wednesday 18th December @ 8.55am**

The performances will last approximately 20 minutes. Parents and carers can access via the hall doors at the side of the hall building. We will open the doors once the children are in place ready to perform.

## Reminder - Christmas/bright jumpers

A reminder that children can wear a Christmas/bright jumper everyday next week in place of their school jumper/cardigan. Please can the rest of the clothes be uniform or PE uniform (depending on whether the year group has PE- please see PE days).

## Reminder - Christmas Dinner - Wednesday 18th December

Christmas dinner will be on the menu for lunch on Wednesday 18th December. If you would like your child to have a Christmas dinner on this day, please log into School Grid to select it. There is a turkey and a vegetarian option.

## Isabel Hospice Rudolph Run

The Rudolph Run will take place during the school day on Tuesday 17th December 2024. Each child will receive a pair of reindeer antlers to wear on the day and keep. Both the Infant and Junior schools will join together for the event and will be walking around the school field together. We are asking each child to make a minimum of £2 donation which we will ask you to donate directly online using the Just Giving link below. Although we would prefer cashless donations as above, we will have a cash collection bucket in both schools until the end of the school day on Wednesday 18th December 2024. Link for donations: <https://www.justgiving.com/page/brookland-federation-1732701833870>

**Home Learning** We will not be setting any home learning this week. We will resume after the

## Key dates:

**Mon 16th Dec** - Judging of the class Christmas decoration competition

**Mon 16th Dec** - Year 4 singing Christmas Carols @ 8:55am in the hall

**Tues 17th Dec** - Year 3 singing Christmas Carols @ 8:55am in the hall

**Tues 17th Dec** - Reindeer Run for Isabel Hospice - details to follow

**Tues 17th Dec** - Class Xmas Parties (Children do not need party clothes as they will be wearing Xmas jumpers and snacks will be provided by school)

**Wed 18th Dec** - Year 6 singing Christmas Carols @ 8:55am in the hall

**Wed 18th Dec** - Christmas Dinner for lunch

**Thurs 19th Dec** - Redwood swimming

**Thurs 19th Dec** - Year 5 singing Christmas Carols @ 8:55am in the hall

**Thurs 19th Dec** - Last day of term - school finishes at 1:25pm

**Fri 20th Dec** - Occasional Day - school closed

**Mon 6th Jan** - INSET DAY - school closed

**Tues 7th Jan** - Children back to school

## PE DAYS

**Year 3 & 4** - Monday & Tuesday

**Year 5 & 6** - Wednesday & Thursday

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