



# Town End Newsletter ...



Dear Parents and Carers,

Hello and welcome back. I hope you had an enjoyable half term break; the children certainly have come back refreshed and are once again working hard and playing well together. As always, if you do have anything you'd like to discuss with us please catch me or another member of staff at the gate if it's a quick message or if you want more time ask by phoning/emailing/message at the gate and a member of staff will get back to you.

We're very much looking forward to Christmas this year and have lots planned, please check the jotter app regularly for updates.



BBC Children in Need Day is back on [Friday 19 November 2021](#). Your child can wear yellow, spots or anything connected to Pudsey Bear, £1 donation to Children in Need. You can pay on ParentPay for this fundraiser or with cash on the day. Thank you in advance for your support.

## Week Beginning Monday 15<sup>th</sup> November

It is national **Anti-Bullying Week** next week, we are starting the week with 'Odd Socks Day'. Children will spend their PSHE time discussing bullying, the theme for this year is 'ONE KIND WORD'.



It is also national **Road Safety Week**, we will be exploring the theme of 'ROAD SAFETY HEROES' in some of our assemblies, celebrating the heroic work of road safety professionals, and explaining how we can all play a part in making journeys safer for everyone.



## Breakfast and After School Provision

**Breakfast club** is open daily from 7.45am, breakfast is served until 8.15am

**After School club** runs daily and can be booked for up to 5.45pm.

Please book via the form on the school website or if you'd like more information contact the school office.



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## Unite the Uniforms

On Friday 3rd December 2021, schools, colleges, and universities across the UK are being invited to hold a unique **non-uniform day** in honour of the millions of people who have served in the NHS and emergency services. This is part of a campaign called **#UniteTheUniforms for the @999Cenotaph**. The campaign will see students invited to **wear the colours of the emergency services** (red, blue, green or orange) and **donating £1** towards building the UK's first 'Emergency Services Cenotaph' which is supported by His Royal Highness The Duke of Cambridge, the Prime Minister and First Ministers of NI, Scotland and Wales. Please see their website for further details:  
<https://www.999cenotaph.org.uk/UTU/>

Our students and pupils are the future of the NHS and emergency services.



Donations can be made online <https://www.999cenotaph.org.uk/donate/> or in cash on the day, Thank- you for supporting this cause 😊

## Coming up this term...

**Week Beginning 15<sup>th</sup> November-** Anti-Bullying and Road Safety Week.

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> November-** 'Elf Day' in school, children's craft day to prepare for the Christmas Fair, more details to follow.

**Monday 29<sup>th</sup> November** - Christmas Market, 1-4pm, more details to follow.

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December** - Unite the Uniforms Day.

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> December** - Christmas Dinner Day.

**Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December** - Christmas Jumper Day.

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December** - Carol Concerts in church. Years 3 and 4 morning, Years 5 and 6 afternoon- details to follow.

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> December** - Whole School visit to Derby Arena, Pantomime.

**Wednesday 22d December-** Break up for Christmas.

**OFSTED PARENT VIEW:** Please take a couple of minutes to log on and complete this very short questionnaire that gives Ofsted a glimpse of our school. Please encourage other family members to log on and answer these quick questions. Your feedback is really important to us.

<https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk>

**COVID 19:** The school continues to be aware of and follow the updated guidance in relation to this. Please continue to be vigilant for the three main symptoms of COVID 19 and if your child displays any of these (temperature, a new persistent cough, loss of taste or smell) please keep them off school and book a test. Family members may also be advised to take a test by Public Health England, but if they are not presenting with symptoms then they will not necessarily need to isolate. We appreciate your support during these difficult times.

I hope you find this information useful! Thank-you for your continuous support, Mrs Wheatcroft.