



Oughtibridge Primary School



Newsletter for Week Commencing
Monday 9th December 2024



Classes with the best attendance last week are **Y1SB & Y3DH 96.3%**
Y4BB 98.7%



Foundation Stage

Children will be performing the Big Little Nativity on Friday 13th December at 9:30 and 2:15 (the hall will be open from 2pm).

Year 1&2

Christmas multi skills will take place at Bradfield School on Monday 9th December at 3:30-4:30. Children must be transported to and from the event.

Year 3&4

Thank you to everyone who came to watch the Y3/4 performance of A Creepy Crawly Christmas. I'm sure you will agree they all worked very hard to put on such a fabulous show. Thank you to all the staff for working so hard to help the children.

Year 5

The Y5 children have been busy learning traditional Oughtibridge carols this half term. They will be performing these to parents and carers on Wednesday 18th December (2.30pm).

KS2

The final Cross Country event before Christmas takes place on Saturday 14th December at Concord Park. As always, please meet at the yellow school flag prior to the start of the first race (10am). It has been brilliant seeing so many children taking part this year, and new runners are ALWAYS welcome! *Please note - the Concord Parkrun takes place at 9am on the same day so parking on site will be extremely limited. Early arrival is recommended.*

Whole School

There will be **no after school extra curricular** activities the 1st week back after Christmas. We will be sending out more information about after school clubs before we break up for Christmas.

A reminder that tomorrow (Saturday 7th December at 7pm) is our discounted Sheffield Steelers v Coventry Blaze game. Over 60 members of our school community will be in attendance. Please remember to collect tickets from Entry B at the Arena.



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There is still time to get your tickets for the **SOS Christmas Raffle**. There are some wonderful prizes for all the family. Please use the link below to enter.

[Raffle Ticket Purchase – Supporters of Oughtibridge School](#)

Christmas Headgear

Santa hats and novelty headbands are best kept for the playground or the last week of term. They can be distracting and are easily broken causing upset in class. Many thanks.

Rocksteady Concert

The children that attend Rocksteady on a Tuesday will be performing on Tuesday 10th December in the Don Hall from 9:00am. Please let us know if you're attending via Parentmail.

Will Oughtibridge Village Gala happen in June 2025?

Not without more volunteers to help organise and run the gala!

The AGM on 2nd December reminded everyone what a great event Oughtibridge Gala is with just under 4,000 people young and old enjoying the day, the various attractions, entertainments and activities. This year the committee awarded over £4,500 in donations from the profits to local groups and organisations; last year it was over £7,000.

The Gala will not be able to go ahead if they are unable to get more volunteers. They have monthly meetings on a Monday in the Cock Inn. Each section of the Gala has a subcommittee with 2 or 3 people. Volunteers will be helped and supported by longer standing committee members. We are a friendly, community minded group of varying ages.

The first planning meeting is on Monday 13th January at 8pm in the Cock Inn. If they don't have sufficient numbers of volunteers, they will sadly have to cancel the Gala in 2025.

If you would like to chat to a committee member to find out more you can contact

Tim at timoconnell521@gmail.com or Margaret at margaretmorlan@btinternet.com



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NeurodiverCity Sheffield Drop-in Café sessions

- Do you have a child or young person who is living with ADHD or Autism?
- Is your child waiting for a diagnosis of neurodivergence?
- Do you need advice or support around behaviours in your child or young person which might be indicative of neurodivergence?

Delivered by Family Action and supported by Sheffield Parent Hub, Sheffield Family Hubs and Sheffield City Council.

Our Informal drop-in coffee sessions are a chance to have a chat with other parents/carers who are experiencing similar concerns. You will also have a chance to meet staff from NeurodiverCity Sheffield, Sheffield Family Hubs, Ryegate and other agencies who support families with neurodivergence.

The dates for our drop-in café sessions are as follows:

Tuesday 11th February 2025, 9:30am-12:00pm, Lowedges Community Centre

Friday 28th March 2025, 9:30am-12:00pm, Scotia Works

Wednesday 23rd April 2025, 9:30am-12:00pm, Sharrow Community Forum

Tuesday 13th May 2025, 9:30am-12:00pm, Lowedges Community Centre

Thursday 12th June 2025, 9:30am-12:00pm, Sharrow Community Forum

Thursday 19th June 2025, 4:30-7:30pm, Scotia Works

NeurodiverCity Sheffield Drop-in ADHD Information sessions

Come along to our information session to learn more about how to support your child with ADHD.

In our information sessions, we discuss the basics of ADHD and provide advice for managing ADHD. Following the session, materials will be provided as well as signposting to other services.

Friday 10th January, 10.00am - 11.30am, Scotia Works

Tuesday 11th March, 10.00am - 11.30am, Lowedges Community Centre

Friday 16th May, 10.00am - 11.30am, Scotia Works



Inman Pavilion

Winter Craft Club

**Saturday
7th December
10.00-11.45 am**

**£2 per child
No need to
book**

Moorland Drive

Stocksbridge S36 1EG



Extra Curricular Information



Monday - Football
 Monday - KS2 Choir
 Monday - KS2 Table Tennis
 Tuesday - KS1 Hockey
 Tuesday - KS1 Art Club
 Wednesday - KS2 Yoga Club
 Wednesday - KS2 Street Dance
 Wednesday - SWFC Football
 Thursday - KS2 Ultimate Frisbee
 Friday - Y5/6 Basketball
 Friday - KS1 Multisports
 Friday - KS2 Art Club



Upcoming Dates

Monday 9th Y1/2- Multisports at Bradfield
Tuesday 10th - Rocksteady Concert
Wednesday 11th - Flu Vaccinations
Friday 13th FS2 Nativity Performances
Saturday 14th Dec (AM) - KS2 Cross Country at Concord Park
Monday 16th - Y1 & 2 Christingle @ Church
Choir to church
Tuesday 17th Y5/6 Panto
Wednesday 18th - Christmas Dinner & Y5
Traditional Carol Concert (2:30)
Friday 20th- Christmas party/jumper day

Letters Sent Home This Week



ParentMail has been active this week so please check your emails before requesting copies of any letters sent home. Copy letters are also available on our website

We would also ask you to ensure your mobile is switched on at all times to receive any emergency texts if you have registered for this service.

Subject

Y4&6 Gymnastics
 Y5 Carol Concert
 Y5 Girls Cricket
 Y4&6 Gymnastics

Contact Us



For more information, [visit our website](#).

We are also on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#).

Call us on 0114 2863167.

School Closes Friday 20th December and will reopen on Monday 6th January 2025.



Lunch



Hot school lunches are free for all children in FS2 and KS1. School meals cost £2.75 per day (£13.75 per week) for children in KS2. Payment must be made online by Parentmail. Children will order their lunch at registration time. Any child arriving after 9:30am, who hasn't pre-ordered a meal, will need to be provided with a packed lunch from home.

Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Red	Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Tomato Rice Salad	Red Tractor Pork Sausage with mashed Potatoes & Gravy	Roast Gammon with Gravy, Yorkshire Pudding & Roast Potatoes	Garlic & Tomato Chicken Pasta Spirals	MSC Fish Fingers & Chips
Green	Potato Spinach & Cheese Toasted Wrap with homemade Salsa	Plant Based Sausages with Mashed Potato & Gravy	Mediterranean Vegetable Tart Served with Roast Potatoes	Garlic and Tomato vegetables Pasta Spirals	Crispy Vegetable Fish Fingers and Chips
Sandwich	Freshly made Sandwich with Cheese	Freshly made sandwich with Tuna Mayo	Hot Roast Baguette	Freshly Made Sandwich with Ham	Fish Finger Wrap
Jacket potato	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans
Vegetables	Baked Beans or British Red Tractor Garden Peas	Broccoli/ Cauliflower & Carrots	Broccoli/ Cauliflower & Carrots	Broccoli/ Cauliflower & Carrots	Broccoli/ Cauliflower & Carrots
Dessert	Apple & Sultana Crumble Bar	Iced Carrot Cake & Orange Slices	Chocolate Shortbread Pinwheels with Chocolate Sauce	Toffee Cream Tart	Chocolate Oaty Slice