

ACKLAM WHIN PRIMARY SCHOOL

“Always a chance for everyone!”

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Another week has flown by, and it is only 13 days-lucky for us-until the Christmas Fayre!

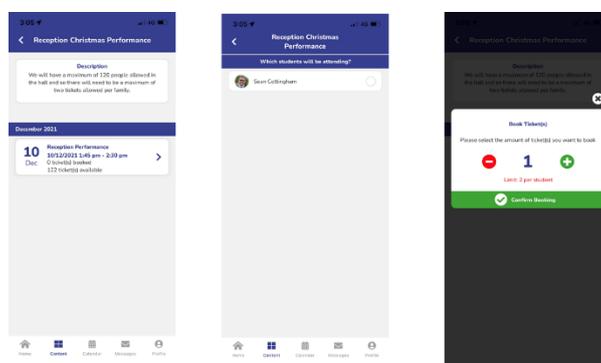
Beat the Street

What an amazing result! We couldn't be more delighted. We were Average Points winners and second in Total Points for school. Huge, huge, huge thanks to everyone who has taken part. The Average Points winners result truly reflects the multitude of the number of our amazing Acklam Whin community that took part. Mr Jackson's interview with Matty Nixon from BBC Radio Tees will be aired at the beginning of next week, more details to follow, but we truly cannot thank you enough for all your support. We have won £500 vouchers for our school and we cannot wait to spend it on our fabulous children.

Congratulations!

Schools - Total Points	Schools - Average Points
1st - Green Lane Primary Academy	1st - Acklam Whin Primary School
2nd - Acklam Whin Primary School	2nd - Green Lane Primary Academ
3rd - Linthorpe Community Primary School	3rd - Rose Wood Academy
4th - Newham Bridge Primary School	4th - Thorntree Academy
5th - Rose Wood Academy	5th - Newham Bridge Primary School
6th - Thorntree Academy	6th - St Edward's Catholic Primary School

Christmas Performances



From today, you will be able to book your two tickets per child for the school Christmas performances. Below is a reminder of the dates for those performances and you simply go on to the school app, as shown above, select the performance you wish to book tickets for, and you will be able to book up to two tickets. We wish we were able to increase the number of tickets allowed but we are trying to ensure that we keep our Covid safety measures and ensure the number of visitors in school does not exceed our risk assessment. We are just as keen as you to be able to celebrate together with our Christmas performances, but we do need to also make it clear that if the Covid

situation changes and we are unable to hold community events the performances will still go ahead but be recorded so they can be shared with you.

Thursday 25th November	Christmas Fayre 5.00 p.m.
Monday 6th December	Year 3 Performance 6.30 p.m.
Tuesday 7th December	Year 4 Performance 6.30 p.m.
Wednesday 8th December	Year 5 Performance 6.30 p.m.
Thursday 9th December	Year 1 & Year 2 Performance 9:30 a.m. and 1.30 p.m. Year 6 Christmas Service 6:30pm
Friday 10th December	Reception Performance 1.45 p.m.
Tuesday 14th December	Nursery Christmas Sing-along 10:30 am Nursery Christmas Sing-along 2.30 pm

If you have any questions or concerns about any of this, then please don't hesitate to get in touch. If you have any problems with accessing the PA Connect app, please contact the school office.

Anti-Bullying Week

Anti-Bullying Week will be taking place from 15th to 19th November and the theme is 'One Kind Word'. On Monday 15th November, to mark the beginning of Anti-Bullying Week, our children can wear odd socks to school to support this.

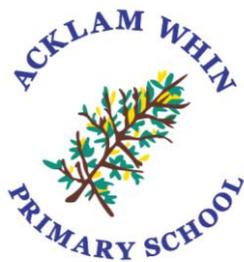
Children in Need Day

Children in Need Day is on Friday 19th November. The children can come in sportswear, their own clothes or fancy dress. We would ask that your child brings in £1 donation for Children in Need. Thank you for your support.

Remembrance Day

All our children, this week, have been learning about Remembrance Day to remember people who have died in wars around the world. Our children have really enjoyed taking part in Remembrance activities.





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P.D Days

Dates for your diary, our PD Days, this year are:

Tuesday 4th January

Monday 28th February

Friday 8th April

Monday 25th July

Christmas Fayre

Not long now until our **Christmas Fayre** this year, **on Thurs 25th November at 5pm**. We will be hosting a range of companies and Christmas craft stalls, as well as some very special events and activities for the children. If you have a company or would like a stall or know anybody who would be interested in a stall at our Christmas Fayre, then please contact me. More information to follow.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Prince