



Riseley C of E Primary School

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## HARRY POTTER FAIR

Planning for the Harry Potter Christmas Fair is in full swing, with all kinds of magical ideas being brought to life. If you can please take a moment to glance through the 'Donate or Do' list on the next page, then we're certain of a super successful event.

There will be Diagon Alley stalls hosted by Yr 6 and volunteers - plants, books, lucky dip, external stalls and more; rides on the Hogwarts Express miniature railway; Leaky Cauldron refreshments; a Hogwarts House class hamper raffle; and guest appearances from Dobby & Santa. Please do come in fancy dress & bring a letter for Santa.

## Christmas Wreath Making



Being held virtually again this year on Monday 6th December from 7pm. The perfect way to get in the Christmas mood.

On Wednesday 15th December kids can Dare to be Different again! See the poster overleaf for more info...



## Countdown to the Fair...

- Monday 6th December - Keep your eyes peeled for owl post.
- Tuesday 7th December - Wear Christmas jumpers for Christmas Dinner & bring in donations for the class hamper.
- Wednesday 8th December - Throw on your robes for Hogwarts Fancy Dress Day, in exchange for a jar of sweets, to welcome some very special guests to school.
- Thursday 9th December - watch as the school begins to transform.
- Friday 10th December - Official Christmas Jumper Day so wear that Xmas woolliness again!

## OWLS EXPECTED



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# Please Donate:



- By 1st Dec - good condition Christmas decorations to decorate the school generally as well as a tree.
- By 3rd Dec - clean glass jars with lids for the Apothecary potions stall.
- By 3rd Dec - pantry supplies to be re-purposed as potions ingredients at the Apothecary - nothing spicy or perishable and all edible please!
- On 8th Dec - decorated jars of sweets or £1 worth of confectionery in exchange for Harry Potter fancy dress or mufti.
- By 8th Dec - Hogwarts House inspired gifts for your child/ren's class hamper/s - additional notes on the flyer over the page.
- By 10th Dec - good quality second hand books for Flourish & Blotts.
- By 10th Dec - unwanted soft toys with a tag attached giving them a name for the Magical Menagerie Adopt an Animal stall.
- By 10th Dec - homemade or shop brought cakes for the Leaky Cauldron cake stand.



# Please Do:



- Help your child design a Hogwarts inspired costume for Wednesday 8th Dec.
  - Advertise your local business in the fair brochure - The Quibbler. Please contact Beth - [blsparks@outlook.com](mailto:blsparks@outlook.com)
  - Put up posters for the Christmas Fair - there are some waiting at reception.
  - Help us decorate the school on Thurs 9th, Fri 10th or Sat 11th Dec
- Make Harry Potter inspired decorations for the fair - we need:
    - ❖ toilet paper rolls turned into candles;
    - ❖ envelopes addressed to Harry tied on fishing wire;
    - ❖ Diagon Alley shop wares to stand around the various stalls;
    - ❖ shop signs such as the Leaky Cauldron;
    - ❖ house banners; and anything else you can think of...

Please let Beth, Karen, Vic, Hamish or Sharlene know if you'll be available via the PTA email or Fb page.

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## DARE TO BE DIFFERENT DAY

Wednesday 15th December

CHOOSE FROM THE  
FOLLOWING:

- SQUASH IN WATER BOTTLE
- CRAZY HAIR
- TRAINERS
- BRIGHT SOCKS OR TIGHTS
- RUCKSACKS
- NAIL POLISH

50P PER DIFFERENCE!  
PLEASE BRING IN ON THE DAY

# Virtual Christmas Wreath Making

Monday 6th December 7-9pm



£25

Via Zoom

Includes all materials

To book contact us with the number of wreath making kits  
required

We will then provide you with payment details and zoom  
joining details



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## CLASS CHRISTMAS HAMPER COMPETITION

For our Christmas raffle this year we would like each class to create a hamper, from donated gifts which will be used for raffle prizes at the Harry Potter themed Christmas fair. There will be a prize for the best hamper which will be judged by a magical guest on the day. The class hamper themes are Hogwarts houses and their colours.

Nursery & Reception : Gryffindor - red & gold  
 Year 1 & Year 2: Slytherin - green & silver  
 Year 3 & Year 4: Hufflepuff - yellow & black  
 Year 5 & Year 6: Ravenclaw - blue & bronze



Please place your donations in your class hamper by Wednesday 8th December. From food and alcohol to toys and crafts, anything goes as long as it relates to your class theme. If you get stuck you could always wrap your donation in coloured paper!

RISELEY PTA PRESENTS  
**Harry Potter**  
 MUFTI DAY & OWL VISIT

**Wednesday 8th December 2021**

Please bring a decorated jar of sweets or £1 worth of confectionary in exchange for coming to school in Harry Potter costume or normal mufti  
 The Owls are visiting the school from Wilstead Birds of Prey Centre on the same day