

Dunnington

News



4th December 2020

Tree Decoration Celebration

Every year until now, we have had a large Christmas Tree in the hall and all the children join in to help decorate the tree. This year, to maintain our bubbles, we have a small real tree in each classroom.

This morning, the whole school came together virtually for a tree decorating celebration in their classrooms, shared with each other on-line.

Although different, this was a fun and happy activity enjoyed by all the children and staff.



Lost Keys

A set of keys were found on Church Lane on Friday 27th November. Please contact school if you think they might be yours.

Christmas Lunch 17th December

Thank you very much to all those parents who have responded to say their child/children would like Christmas lunch. If your child would like a Christmas lunch and you haven't already informed us, please let us know by next Friday.

Christmas Junk Modelling!

In the run up to Christmas we're getting into junk modelling in festival style! If you have any Christmassy odds and ends you no longer need, that you think we could use to make decorations or cards, please do send them in. This could include: old scraps of tinsel, ends of wrapping paper or old Christmas cards you no longer want. For now, we have enough boxes and other bits but please think of us again in the new year - as I'm sure you know they're rather prolific in their modelling!

Thanks for your ongoing support with this,
Miss Jarvis

Food Bank Donations

Thank you for all the donations for the foodbank collection. The boxes are filling up already and you can still bring something at home time today if you would like to contribute.



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On Monday, Year 4 baked bread as part of their DT topic 'The Great Bread Bake Off' It was a very fun morning! Each child selected what flavours they wanted to add to their bread and were experts at kneading and proving by the end of the morning.



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PTA EVENTS

- 11th December
 - Non uniform day – support for Save the Children and Dunnington PTA. Come to school in a Christmas jumper or bright, colourful clothes. Suggested donation £1. Donations can be made on ParentPay or sent to school on the day.
- 11th December
 - Due to quarantine, this is the last date for sold raffle tickets and donations to the Christmas hamper.
- 16th December – ***PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF DATE***
 - Break the Rules Day



Break the Rules Day 16th December



Choose up to 4 of the following for only 50p each!

Wear a Christmas Top	Wear something spotty or sparkly	Have temporary tattoos	Bring crisps or a biscuit for break	Wear face paint
Eat pudding first at lunchtime	Wear a Christmas hat	Have coloured hair	Bring juice in a water bottle	Have crazy hair
Bring a teddy	Wear a onesie	Wear a football kit	Come in fancy dress	Something else (within reason!)

Donations can be made through ParentPay or brought to school on the day





Blank Canvas Art Club

While we are all locked in, & the nights are dark and long and the kids cant get out to their normal clubs, Blank Canvas Art Club (now based in Dunnington) is offering **everyone** in the village a FREE ONLINE ART CLASS.

Art has a meditative quality, a little time of mindfulness and a creative output that can ease tension whatever your age, stimulate imagination, build problem solving capabilities, and for the adults, give you a little bit of “me time” away from working from home or your normal routine.

We focus on teaching Fine Art skills and techniques, and for the kids, we introduce them to different skills they can utilise day to day, famous artists and art movements from old to new. Our aim is to give a regular creative outlet while instilling a love of Art that will last a lifetime. All classes are personal, with one to one interaction, direct tuition and feedback to all children.

Adult classes are available both daytime or evening offering either a relaxed, group setting encouraging independent work or more structured lessons where everyone does the same topic. Either way, all classes give direct tuition and one to one interaction and feedback.

With Infant (age 5-Yr2), Junior (Yr’s 3-6), Senior (secondary school) and adult (day or evening) classes available and a special family session for anyone who would like to do a class with their younger children there’s something for everyone.

No experience is necessary, all you need is access to Zoom, some basic art supplies and a can do attitude and you can choose any relevant class that works for your schedule between now and the end of term in mid-December. We’ve some fun topics planned up to Christmas and would love it if you wanted to join us!

To find out more, and register for you FREE CLASS, just get in touch with Suzi at

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