



**ALL SAINTS**  
CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL  
KIRKBY OVERBLOW

## BULLETIN – 4<sup>th</sup> December 2020

**“AT ALL SAINTS WE ALL FLOURISH AND ACHIEVE AS A CHILD OF GOD”**

Dear Parents

Now the Lockdown has lifted we are able to start showing prospective parents around the outside of the school building again. If you know of anyone who would like a guided tour and an opportunity to chat with the Headteacher, please would you ask them to get in touch with the school office.

### CHRISTMAS DATES

- Tues 15<sup>th</sup> December - party day
- Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas lunch
- Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Jumper Day £2 - This year we have decided to host Christmas jumper day on the 11th of December. Please pay £2 per child by Parentpay. On the 11th of December your child/children may come in to school wearing a Christmas jumper of their liking; if they do not have a Christmas jumper then they can also wear any Christmassy clothing or your child can just wear their own clothes. Thank you from our Charity officers.
- Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December – last day of term, school finishes at 2.00pm

Please see below information regarding Mental Health support in Harrogate:

- MIND are providing a **telephone service** (weekdays between 8.30am and 5pm) and looking to expand our **Zoom** offer. Advance booking is essential for these sessions which are free and open to anyone who needs support with their mental health.
- **Mental Health Befriending service - new service started October 2020**

This Service will match volunteer befrienders with people who would benefit from community based support (help with shopping, social meetings in cafes, walks). The service aims to develop social relationships for people who are isolated, lonely, in need of human companionship and struggle to make those connections on their own. Call **01423 503335** to register for support or email [befriending@mindinharrogate.org.uk](mailto:befriending@mindinharrogate.org.uk)

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- **Citizens Advice Craven and Harrogate Districts...**

provides quick access and specialist advice on Benefits, Consumer Matters, Debt and Money, Housing and Work for people with mental health problems and their carers. You will need to contact Mind in Harrogate District in the first instance to access this service.

Email [office@mindinharrogate.org.uk](mailto:office@mindinharrogate.org.uk) or call **01423 503335**.

- **Out of Hours Mental Health Support Service**

The service operates between 7.30pm and 11.30pm Saturday and Sunday evenings. Offering the opportunity for people in emotional distress to visit the Acorn Centre at Mind in Harrogate for face to face 1:1 emotional support, signposting and referral on to other services. Telephone : 01423 647216 or email [oooh@mindinharrogate.org.uk](mailto:oooh@mindinharrogate.org.uk)

- **Counselling**

This service operates on Tuesday and Thursdays (10am - 6pm) and Saturdays from 10-4pm.

Appointments can be made on **01423 547246** or via

email [counselling@mindinharrogate.org.uk](mailto:counselling@mindinharrogate.org.uk) Sessions are available face to face, via telephone or via Zoom. Please note this is a chargeable service.

Please also find attached to the Bulletin this week:

- A leaflet from our local foodbanks
- 2021 Activity Holiday Camps from Queen Ethelburga's

With every blessing,

Mrs Andrews