



Dallington CEP School

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Providing children with Christian values that will give them confidence in school and the wider world

POPPY APPEAL

Thank you to everyone with their support again this year. We have a proud history with the poppy appeal and I am sure you have out done yourselves again this year. We await to hear the final amount form Douglas Sewell. On Sunday 11th, St Giles held their annual Remembrance service- 5 of our children – Otis, Amy, Mason, Rowan and Millie went along and not only read a poem but helped with the service. They were all amazing and everybody is very proud of them.

On Tuesday of this week we held our Remembrance service. It is always a lovely service and this year was no different– a special thanks to Douglas Sewell and Marc Lloyd for leading the service. My final thanks goes to Abigail Lloyd, she was incredibly brave and played 'Last Post' on her cornet. She only had a week to learn it and she did an amazing job!

Netball

On 16th November our netball team will take part in the annual Heathfield Schools tournament. Under the expert coaching of Miss Lusted, we know you will be brilliant!

Take over day

One of the advantages of being in year 6 is that you get to experience activities that other year groups don't. One of those is Take Over day. The children of year 6 have to write a letter of application for a job. If successful they get to experience a day's work. Last

Thursday we held our first day. We had a new caretaker, secretary, teaching assistants, teachers and cooks! The children were brilliant and really rose to the occasion. As you read this Take Over day 2 is happening.



FODS

I hope you have had a chance to look at the wonderful Christmas fair raffle prizes and the generous donations for the silent auction. Our Christmas Fair is rapidly approaching – please come along and have a look for an early Christmas present, have a chat and enjoy a mince pie- all whilst supporting the school. FODS have also asked for donations of soft

toys for their Teddy Tombola, please could these be in school as soon as possible?

Maths morning

It was lovely to welcome so many of you to our maths morning the other day. I hope you were suitably impressed by not only the teaching but the children's knowledge. Don't forget we have other opportunities coming up for reading, phonics and ICT. Please come and join us and see how our wonderful little school works.

Name labels & Unwanted clothes

There will be a flyer in your child's book bags this week for name labels. On the flyer is a code, visit the website www.stikins.co.uk use the code and the school gets commission of 30% - having names in the children's jumpers etc helps us return them to the children quickly. An excellent fund raiser and can be used for more than just clothes.

We have previously had a collection for unwanted clothes etc which is another fund raiser for school. A collection has been booked for January so please don't throw out unwanted clothes and bedding etc. This usually raises around £100 for school each collection. More information next term and

<http://www.happyschoolbag.co.uk/>

Mufti days

We have several mufti days coming up, please have a look at the dates below to ensure your children don't miss out on the fun!

Dates for your diary

Dates will be updated as they are set – please keep checking

November

12-16th Anti bullying week
15th Year 6 take over day 2
16th Children in need mufti day - £1 donation
23rd Mufti day -cakes
23rd FODS Christmas Fair
28th Prospective parent afternoon 2pm
30th Decoration making morning
30th Federation carol concert

December

7th FODS disco
10th Nativity – St Giles 2pm
11th Nativity – St Giles 6pm
14th Christmas lunch
17th Panto
19th Carol Service – St Giles 2pm
19th Last day of term 2

January

3rd INSET day
4th INSET day
7th Term 3 starts