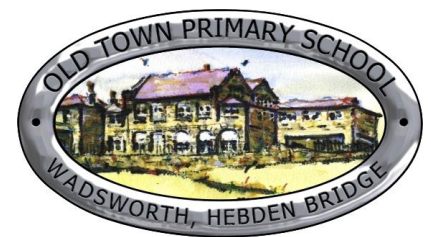


OLD TOWN NEWSLETTER

12/12/2025



THIS WEEK AT OLD TOWN

Admission to Primary School Closing Date

The window for Admission to Primary School closes on 15th January 2026. If anyone knows a family with a child due to start Reception next September 2026, please pass on our contact details and ask them to call and register with us.

We are always happy to show parents around.

Reminder No Sports/Gardening Next Week

This is a reminder that there is no Gardening or Sports Club on Monday next week. They restart after the Christmas break – see dates below.

FOOTS Thank You!

A massive thank you from FOOTS to Sarah, Phoebe's Mum, for nominating FOOTS for a charity donation from Nestle.

Indoor Athletics Festival

Mrs Hall and Mrs Vile would like to have a special mention on the newsletter to say how great they were and how well behaved they were.

Please can a special mention go on the newsletter praising children who attended the indoor athletics this week.

PJs and Pages Day

On Monday this week, we had a wonderful day listening to stories in our pjs. Thank you, Mrs Hall for organising it.

After School Activity Clubs in the Spring Term

The dates below are the dates for the various after school activity clubs for Spring Term 1 2026.

The payment has been added to School Money for the children who are currently attending. If your child doesn't want to continue, please let Mrs Turpin know and the payment will be removed. If your child would like to join a club, please let Mrs Turpin know and she will add the payment to School Money.

Monday Yr2-6 Sports Club

Monday 12th, 19th, 26th of Jan & 2nd and 9th Feb

Monday Yr1-6 Gardening Club

Monday 12th, 19th, 26th of Jan and 2nd & 9th Feb

Thursday Yr1-6 Art Club

Thursday 8th, 22nd, 29th Jan and 5th and 12th Feb

PLEASE NOTE - NO SESSION ON 15th JANUARY.

Friday Yr4-6 Drama Club – NEW DAY

Friday 9th, 16th, 23rd & 30th Jan and 6th & 13th Feb
Places on Drama Club are limited and the club is currently full so no extra children can be add.

Christmas Jumper Day #2

Our second Christmas Jumper Day will be next Wednesday 17th December for the School Christmas dinner.

Emergency Morning Closures

On occasions we may not be able to open the school in the morning due to adverse weather, boiler problems, etc. If this should happen, we will text message all parents. We will endeavour to do this by 7.30am at the latest wherever possible. We will then post a notice on the school website welcome page. If in any doubt, look at the school website welcome page. As you may be

aware, Sandy Gate leading to Walker Lane and the road up towards the Hare and hounds will no longer be gritted or ploughed should there be severe snow or frost. Bus routes will be safest.

Emergency Closures during the School Day

If a need to close occurs during the school day we will firstly text message all parents. The system generates a report to advise when the message has been delivered to the phone. In the event of a failed delivery, a telephone call will be made to you too. Secondly, we will post a notice on the school website welcome page. Can I reassure you that your child will never be sent home until you or your representative has arrived to collect him/her.

Breakfast/Out of School Club Number

Breakfast/Out of School Club telephone number for contacting them outside of the normal school day - 07759 240998.

YourSchoolLottery

If you would like to sign up to the School Lottery which raises money for FOOTS, click on the following link:

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk>

Ofsted Parent View

If you would like to share your view of the school with Ofsted, please use the following link. <https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/>

Awards This Week

Wainsgate

No Awards due to Nativity

Wadsworth

No awards this week

Chiserley/Crimsworth

Class Vote: Annabelle & Jared

Events Next Week

Monday – NO Gardening or Sports Club today

Monday – Wainsgate Party – pls bring party food

Tuesday – Chiserley/Crimsworth Party – pls bring party food

Wednesday – Christmas Jumper Day #2

Wednesday – Rec & Yr6 National Child Measuring Programme

Wednesday – School Christmas Dinner

Wednesday – Yr4-6 Drama Club 3.30-5pm

Wednesday – Wainsgate (R/Yr1) and Wadsworth (Yr2/3) PE (PE kit!!!)

Thursday – Wadsworth Party – pls bring party food

Thursday – Art Club Extra session 3.30 – 4.45pm

Friday – Toddler Group in the School Hall 9.15-11.15am

Friday – Christmas Carol Concert at Wainsgate Chapel 2pm

Friday – School Closes for Christmas holiday

Future Dates

Tuesday 6th January – School reopens for Spring Term 1

Friday 9th January – Wainsgate Showcase

Friday 16th January – Wadsworth Showcase

Friday 23rd January – Chiserley/Crimsworth Showcase

POST THIS WEEK

Have you received these letters?

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