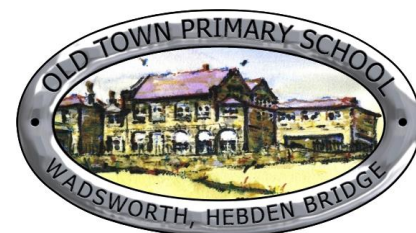


OLD TOWN NEWSLETTER

10/10/2025



THIS WEEK AT OLD TOWN

Pink Day – Friday 17th October

Please join us to help our School Council raise money for this term's chosen charity, Breast Cancer Now. Wear it Pink for a suggested £1 'fine' - this could be a pink hair bobble, pink socks or even head to toe in pink! Raffle tickets will be available to buy next week for £1 a strip and Guess How Many Sweets will be available from Wednesday for 50p a go. Buns will also be for sale at 50p each. We would love donations of raffle prizes and buns please.

We last held Pink Day in 2023 and it was a great success, it's great fun and the children always love it. Please bring in raffle prizes ASAP and pink buns on the day. Thank you in advance for your help. We hope to make this day a great success, as this cause is very close to our hearts in school.

Year 6 Secondary School Applications

This is a reminder that the closing date for applications is 31st October 2025. All Year 6 families - Please ensure you have applied online by that date, or your application will be classed as a late application!

After School Activities Continuing Next Term

The multi-sports club are continuing after half term for Yr2-6. Also, gardening and art club for Yr1-6. If your child would like to join, please let Mrs Turpin know and she will add them to the register. If your child currently attends, the new payment will be added for the new term. New dates will be communicated soon. Please let Mrs Turpin know ASAP if they do not want to continue so that the payment is not added.

Year 4-6 Drama Club

We have a drama club starting after the holidays for Yr4-6. Letters are coming home tonight so look out for it if you think your child will be interested. Places are limited and will be issued on a first come first served basis.

Lost Coat

We are looking for a lost coat in school. It's a black Next puffer type coat with fur around the hood. It has a name in it. Please can you check to see if it has come home with your child by accident? If found, please drop in the office. Thank you in advance.

Chess Club

Tuesday Chess Club needs more pupils! If your child is interested, please sign up as the club is at risk with current low numbers.

Home/School Agreements

If not already done, please will you read through the home/school agreement, sign and return it to school at your earliest convenience.

Library Club

On Thursday lunchtimes, Lisa runs a library club. Please will you chat to your child about it and encourage them to go. Thank you.

Is It Too Early to Mention Christmas?!

Just a reminder that we rely on donations of books, toys, gifts and other items to run our Christmas Fair at the end of November. If you have any suitable items

for the secrets room – bath smellies, socks, jewellery, etc, or other stalls, we would be very grateful if you could start stashing them away for us – or if you haven't room at home, we are quite happy to store them here!

Breakfast/Out of School Club Number

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

Wainsgate Chapel Event

Wainsgate Chapel are delighted to present this exciting and enchanting hour of poetry fun with John Agard, for children of all ages and their adults. Join the much-loved poet for a special reading of his children's work including the classic Windrush Child. John is a truly legendary performer of his words, breathing energy and play into each of his poems.

The event on Saturday 1st November includes refreshments and will be followed by a book signing.

<https://wainsgate.co.uk/john-agard-windrush-child/>

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/>

No Awards This Week Due to Harvest Assembly

Events Next Week

Monday – Yr2-6 Sports Club 3.30-4.30pm

Monday – Yr1-6 Gardening Club 3.30-4.45pm

Tuesday – Chiserley/Crimsworth (Yr4/5/6) PE (please come in PE kit)

Tuesday – NSPCC Speak Out.Stay Safe Workshops in school

Tuesday – Yr2-6 Chess Club 3.30-4.30pm

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

Wednesday – Cross Country Event 2 at Stubb Fields 4pm

Thursday – Yr1-6 Art Club 3.30-4.45pm

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

Friday – Pink Day! – buns and raffle prizes needed please

Future Dates

Thurs 23rd October – FOOTs Halloween Disco 6pm at Comm Centre

Thurs 23rd October – School Closes for Half Term

31st October – Closing date for Secondary School Applications

Monday 3rd November – School reopens for Autumn Term 2

Sunday 9th November – Wadsworth Walking Market

Wed 19th November – Parents' Evening

Fri 5th December – Christmas Fayre

12th December – Wainsgate /Nativity

15th December – Wainsgate Party

16th December – Chiserley/Crimsworth Party

17th Dec – Rec & Yr6 National Children Measuring Programme (NCMP)

18th December – Wadsworth Party

19th December – Christmas Carol Concert at Wainsgate Chapel

POST THIS WEEK

Have you received these letters?

Whole School

Newsletter

Wadsworth

Yr3 Cross Country Event 2 letter

Chiserley/Crimsworth

Cross Country Event 2 letter

Drama Club letter