



**Nelson
Academy**

NEWSLETTER

7th November 2014

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**Whole school
attendance percentage
for week ending:
24/10/2014**



London	93.8	Durham	97.8
Edinburgh	98.6	Lancaster	96.6
Cambridge	98.4	Warwick	91.3
Leeds	98.5	Exeter	100
Norwich	98.2	York	98.9
Bristol	96.0	Oxford	95.6

Diary Dates

Friday 14th November: Children in Need day

Monday 17th November: EYFS/KS1 Parents meetings all day

Tuesday 18th November: KS2 Parents meetings all day

Sunday 30th November: Downham lights switch on ceremony. Nelson Singers performing.

Monday 8th December: EYFS Panto trip

Wednesday 10th December – KS1 Nativity 9.30 and 2pm

Tuesday 16th December – Early Years Christmas Performance

Wednesday 17th December – KS2 Carol Service

Friday 19th December – last day of term

Children in Need



We will be raising money for **Children in Need** on **Friday 14th November**. We are asking children to dress in **either yellow or spots or** even with a **bandage** on -so we will all have a little bit of Pudsey Bear on us! Children can also bring a teddy bear - but please don't make it a favourite one. We kindly ask for a small donation towards the worthwhile charity.

Nelson Singers Dates:

NO Nelson Singers on Monday 17th November, Monday 1st December, Monday 15th December - This is all due to staff training.

Nelson Singers will be singing at the **Downham Lights Switch on** event on **Sunday 30th November**.

YEAR 1 LEEDS & CAMBRIDGE

Monday 10th November - Year 1 Maths Cafe 2pm

Tuesday 11th November - Year 1 school trip to the working farm at Milton CoWA campus. Leaving school at 9am.

**Friday achievement assemblies:
New time 2.50pm**

Friday 14th November Nursery parents

PLEASE NOTE

KS1

Pupils in KS1 will not be bringing reading books home until later next week, as all books are in the process of being re banded.

Wednesday class assemblies at 2.50pm

12th November: Durham
19th November: Oxford
26th November: Exeter
3rd December: York



In the picture are Lorraine Gibson (Catering Manager), Jon Matthews (Regional Manager 3663), Louise Ward (Principal) and the child who won the bike Charlie Rowe.

Encouraging Healthy Eating

Charlie Rowe pictured above with his new mountain bike from Halfords sponsored by 3663, one of our suppliers who donated it, in support of our healthy eating focus.

Charlie's name was picked from a hat containing all those pupils who had a school lunch every day for 3 consecutive weeks from 29th September 2014.

Once again we were very proud of the Cross Country Runners this week. They ran very well, with many progressing to the next round, but the thing we were really impressed with was their attitude. They encouraged each other, but also children from the other schools, behaving like real sportspeople.

Well done and thank you to all involved.



HELP REQUIRED

We are looking for a reliable, hard working person to join our team of cleaners to start on Monday 17th November. We work from 3.30 until 5.45 each day during term time, we also work certain hours during the school holidays. If you are interested please collect an application form from the office.