



## Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2021 Newsletter

### November Value of the Month: Patience

Waiting for something or someone, when doing something difficult...



### BBC Children in Need Friday 19th November!

Children in Need can help to tackle the lasting impact of the pandemic and support thousands of children in local communities across the UK. This year's strapline for schools couldn't be any better with 'Do good and feel good!'. The children have the option to either dress up/down, in pyjamas, fancy dress or Pudsey ears and then donate to Children in Need.

### Covid 19 Test Results

If your child tests positive on a Lateral Flow Test (LFT) please let the school know. You MUST book them in straight away for a PCR test to confirm if they have Covid. When your child has had their PCR test result, please contact the school office to inform us immediately so that we can update our records, either by telephone (01793 706606) or send an email to [admin@haydonwick.swindon.sch.uk](mailto:admin@haydonwick.swindon.sch.uk)

### Christmas



We are doing things a bit differently this year.

We are going to stagger live performances to families over December, so all children have the opportunity to perform to their families at different times. For our Christmas performances we are inviting Hedgehogs and Squirrels classes to perform their play to their families on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> December at 9.00am (Hedgehogs parents) and Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December at 9.00am (Squirrels parents). There will be 2 performances this year but due to social distancing, numbers will be strictly limited to only 2 tickets per family. Siblings (not yet at school) under the age of 4 can attend but must sit on parent laps.

Tickets will be 50p each and all proceeds will go to Prospect Hospice. Tickets will be available from the office from Monday 29<sup>th</sup> November.

The younger children will be recording a nativity for their families and the older children will be recording a Christmas song.

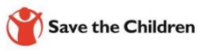


## Christmas JUMPER DAY



### Christmas Jumper Day - Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December

We invite all children and staff to come to school in their craziest, loudest, most FUN Christmas jumper to raise money for **Save the Children**. This money goes towards helping those children who need it the most! Please note that normal uniform is still to be worn on the bottom half.



Christmas jumper day is in aid of 'Save the Children' and voluntary donations can be made.

### Online Safety

#### **My Family's Digital Toolkit**

Internet Matters have done it again, this time a personalised online safety toolkit parents can use at home. By answering a few simple questions you can get age-specific advice, learn about popular apps, information on how to deal with any concerns and also tools to support your child's interests and wellbeing. You can find it using this link:

<https://www.internetmatters.org/digital-family-toolkit/>

### Dates to Remember:

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November** Children in Need Day. Non uniform and bring a donation.

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December** Christmas Dinner

**Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December** Aladdin Panto & Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> December 9am** Hedgehogs and Squirrels performance to Hedgehog's parents

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December 9am** Hedgehogs and Squirrels performance to Squirrel's parents

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December** Wear your Christmas jumper instead of your school jumper! End of term 2

**Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January** TD day

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2022** Term 3 starts - children return to school

**Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2022** Deadline for Primary School Admissions

