



# Trinity Academy Akroydon Weekly Newsletter

20 October 2023

## Key dates

Save the date!

**20 October**

**Term 1 ends**

**7 November**

**Term 2 begins**

**15 November**

School photos

**22 December**

**Term 2 ends**

**9 January**

**Term 3 begins**

**18 January**

Oliver! The musical

## Halloween discos & pumpkin competition

On Thursday evening, we held spooktacular Halloween discos for all our pupils. All the children who attended had lots of fun. We had some fabulous scary costumes too!

The **best dressed competition** winners were:

**KS1: Scarlett C and Jessica F and KS2: Diesel L**

The **pumpkin carving competition** winners were:

**KS1: Alex R (1st), Alfie G (2nd)**

**LKS2: Annalise R (1st), Martins Z (2nd)**

**UKS2: Dakota D (1st), Diesel L (2nd).**

Thank you to everyone who attended

the discos and for all your hard work preparing costumes and pumpkins!



## Attendance

Ash 89.63 %

Birch 93.77 %

Elm 93.75 %

Hazel 96.00 %



Juniper 89.53 %

Linden 97.20 %



Maple 95.00 %

Oak 92.00 %

Willow 84.14 %

Yew 96.40 %



## Art café

Our children welcomed parents and carers to their very first Art Café today. We had a fantastic turn out of grown ups celebrating the artistic journey the children have been on. They enjoyed coffee and cake as they learnt about the artists and techniques pupils had been exploring this term. Parents and carers took part in art and design workshops as the children turned into teachers for the morning!

Thank you to everyone who attended this event and made it a success. The pupils were bursting with pride at being able to share their art and design skills with the adults. There will be more Art Cafes to come in the future!





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1. Olivia B – Hazel
2. Alexa B – Oak
3. Logan A – Yew



1. Jaxx S – Elm
2. Annie G – Elm
3. Blake G – Elm



1. Liana Z – Maple
2. Martins Z – Juniper
3. Dakota D – Willow



- Ash**– Alfie G  
**Birch**– Graison R  
**Elm**– Liliana C  
**Hazel**– Eden R  
**Juniper**– Robin M  
**Linden**– Thea A  
**Oak**– Sofia L  
**Willow**– James V  
**Yew**– Maisie T

## Forest school days



- MON** Linden, Hazel  
**TUE** Willow  
**WED** Yew, Juniper  
**FRI** Elm, Hazel

## PE days



- MON** Year 3, Birch, Oak  
**TUE** Maple, Yew  
**WED** Elm, Willow  
**THU** Ash, Year 3 & 4

## Swimming



- MON** Year 4

\* Please ensure your child brings their kit on the correct day.



- Ash**– Maddie S  
**Birch**– Dakota WJ  
**Hazel**– Jakub K  
**Juniper**– James CB  
**Linden**– Harper A  
**Oak**– Amelia K  
**Willow**– Harrison M  
**Yew**– Ella P

## Christmas Card Project

Just a reminder that if you wish to buy any Christmas cards, mugs, canvases or coaster sets featuring your child's own Christmas design, the cut off date is **Sunday 6 November**. Purchases must be made on your MCAS account.



## Bag2school

Bag2School is a company which helps to reduce the amount of clothing entering landfill sites, by collecting unwanted clothing and other items then selling onto deprived countries. If you would like to get involved with Bag2School then please fill up the plastic bag (sent home with your child) with items you no longer wear and bring it into school **before 9am on Wednesday 22 November**. You can donate: *good quality clothing, paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around), handbags, bags, hats, scarves, belts, soft toys, household linen, towels and curtains.*



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# Stay safe on Bonfire Night

Never touch fireworks



Stand well back from the bonfire



Never go near a firework after it has been lit



Only one sparkler at a time



Wear gloves when holding a sparkler



Keep pets indoors





Calling all young people

Free holiday activities and food sessions

HEALTHY HOLIDAYS CALDERDALE

# HALF TERM FUN

30th October to 3rd November 2023

Join #HealthyHolidaysCalderdale for a variety of activities during Half Term!

COST OF LIVING Support for Calderdale

Calderdale Council

ACTIVE CALDERDALE

COMMUNITY FOUNDATION FOR CALDERDALE



## FAMILY GHOULISH FEST

'The creepers start to creep in the zombie's take a hold. It's time to let the light in as the nights grow dark and cold'.

A DAY OF ARTS ACTIVITIES FOR THE FAMILY  
FACEPAINTING, MASKMAKING, BUNTING, GAMES AND MORE.

4TH NOVEMBER 11:30 - 3:30  
EDSHIFT@THE YOUTHBASE  
7 HARRISON ROAD, HALIFAX  
EMAIL: INFO@EDSHIFT.CO.UK TO BOOK

Witches Brew

[WWW.EDSHIFT.CO.UK](http://WWW.EDSHIFT.CO.UK)

£5



## LANTERN-MAKING WORKSHOP

"The nights are getting darker, the ghoulish games begin. It's time to make your lanterns to let the light shine in."

FOR: CHILDREN AND THEIR PARENTS  
ON: 31ST OCTOBER.  
FROM: 11-2PM  
AT: EDSHIFT@THE YOUTHBASE  
7 HARRISON ROAD, HALIFAX  
EMAIL: INFO@EDSHIFT.CO.UK TO BOOK

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