



# Weekly Newsletter

1 December 2023



## Key dates

Save the date!

**7 December**

Y5 Piece Hall trip

**13 December**

Christmas meal

**16 December**

Christmas Fayre

**19 December**

Y1 xmas show

**20 December**

Y2 xmas show

**22 December**

Term 2 ends

**9 January**

Term 3 begins

## Attendance

Ash 93.70 %



Birch 91.72 %

Elm 94.14 %



Hazel 92.00 %

Juniper 91.54 %

Linden 96.46 %



Maple 93.64 %

Oak 92.00 %

Willow 90.34 %

Yew 92.00 %



## Wreath making morning



This morning, we ran a Christmas wreath



making workshop as a fundraising event for 4Louis

Last month, our determined Mrs Kelly walked 100 miles of the Calderdale countryside to raise money for this worthy charity.

She set off in the hope of raising £100 and following this

mornings event, her total is now over **£800!**

We are very proud of her achievements and delighted to see so much support for her chosen charity from across our school community. Thank you to all the parents and carers who participated this morning and left with some beautiful Christmas wreaths for their front doors!



## Advent

Reverend Paul held our advent assembly this week. He spoke about the Christian faith and why advent is important to them as they prepare for Christmas. The children learnt about advent being a time for reflection and gratitude as the count down to this exciting day begins.





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## Forest school days

**MON** Elm, Year 3

**TUE** Ash, Oak

**WED** Maple



## PE days

**MON** Birch, Oak

**TUE** Maple, Yew

**WED** Elm, Willow

**THU** Ash,  
Juniper, Linden



**FRI** Hazel

## Swimming

**MON**

Year 4



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

## The Big Ambition

The Children's Commissioner is canvassing the opinions of children across the country to inform the government on what children in the UK want from them. Pupils of Akroydon...HAVE YOUR SAY!



Follow this link: [The Big Ambition | Children's Commissioner](https://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/the-big-ambition/)



1. Max W – Linden
2. Abbey B – Maple
3. Alexa B – Oak



1. Martins Z – Juniper
2. Liana Z – Maple
3. Alexandra F – Yew

## Christmas Fayre

Don't forget the Fayre on 16 December!



You are invited to the  
Friends of Akroydon

# Christmas Fayre

**SATURDAY 16 DECEMBER 2023**

**10.00 AM TO 12.30 PM**

There will be lots of festive fun including stalls, games and carols sung by our Akroydon choir.

Refreshments will be available to purchase.

We are asking each class to create a colour themed hamper for our Christmas raffle. Tickets for the raffle will be on sale in the playground from Monday 11 December.

If you wish to donate any hamper items, we can take food, toiletries, toys, games, in the following class colours:

Ash - blue	Linden - green
Birch - black/white/grey	Maple - rainbow
Elm - red	Oak - purple
Hazel - orange	Willow - brown
Juniper - pink	Yew - yellow

There will also be a prize for the class that creates the best hamper!



**Ash**– Max O

**Birch**– Albie S

**Elm**– Rhommie W

**Hazel**– Jayden C

**Juniper**– Gracie R

**Linden**– Riley S

**Maple**– Szymon K

**Oak**– Zuzanna O

**Willow**– Darcy S

**Yew**– Angelina F



**Ash**– Minnie S

**Birch**– Brayden A

**Hazel**– Harry S

**Juniper**– Cassidy B

**Linden**– Sophia G

**Maple**– Reggie H

**Oak**– Mila S

**Willow**– Leo R

**Yew**– Jake B

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