

Dilhorne Endowed Final Christmas Date Drop 13.12.2024

Diary Dates

Tuesday 17th December

- Christmas Carol Service, 9.30am at All Saints Church, Dilhorne– Everyone Welcome
- Final Swimming for Class 3

Wednesday 8th December

- Choir Singing at Wetley Manor

Thursday 19th December

- Reports home

Friday 20th December

- Christmas Party and school closes

Monday 6th January

- Inset Day-school closed to pupils

Tuesday 7th January

- School Re-opens for Spring Term

Wednesday 8th January

- Library Van

Christmas Service

Please join us for our Christmas Service at All Saints Church on Tuesday 17th December at 9.30am. Children may be dropped off at the church from 9.00 when a staff member will be there to meet them. Children who are attending Kingfishers , or are dropped off at school before 9.00, will be walked up by other staff members. Please remember to bring swimming kit (Class 3) and a warm coat as we will be walking back to school.

Wetley Manor

We have been invited to take some of our pupils to sing carols for the residents of Wetley Manor Care Home. Those involved have already been notified and should wear full school uniform, with a Christmas hat, headdress or antlers if they wish.

Christmas Party

Friday afternoon is party time and children may come dressed in their party clothes, or bring something to change into but will need to be warm enough for outside play.

School closes for Christmas at 3.30pm.

ESCOOTERS & THE LAW



DO YOU KNOW THE LAW IF YOU HAVE AN E-SCOOTER?

What is the law if you have an e-scooter?

You can buy one but you can't ride it on a UK public road, cycle lane or pavement. The only place an e-scooter can be used is on private land with the landowner's permission.

Why is this?

E-scooters are classified as Powered Transporters, so they are treated as motor vehicles and subject to the same legal requirements such as:

- MOT
- Licensing
- Tax
- Insurance

As e-scooters do not have number plates, signalling ability and don't always have visible rear lights, they can't be used legally on the roads.

What happens if you are stopped?

We understand the public's support for environmentally friendly modes of transport. We want to work with the public to make sure the roads are safe for everyone.

Following controlled trials of e-scooter hire in two Staffordshire towns these have since come to an end due to the risk and legal implications.

E-scooters are subject to the rules and regulations outlined in the Road Traffic Act 1988. There have been prosecutions in Staffordshire of e-scooter riders in relation to dangerous driving and other offences resulting in their disqualification.

What is a section 59?

Section 59 of the Police Reform Act allows police to give road users a warning if they are reported to have used their vehicle in a manner which causes alarm, distress or annoyance. Staffordshire Police also have the powers to seize vehicles. Please make sure you keep your e-scooter on private land so this doesn't happen to you.

Report a crime to us at staffordshire.police.uk or call 101. In an emergency call 999.



It is important to know who to turn to especially during the holidays. You have the right to stay safe and speak out. Here are some useful links from the NSPCC to help children get the help when they need it and for Parents/carers to get support too.

- **Online safety workshops for parents/carers:** <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/free-online-safety-group-workshops/>
- **Online Safety information packs for parents/carers** [Help keep children safe online with Techosaurus! | NSPCC](#)
- **Support for parents hub:** [Support & advice for parents | NSPCC](#)
- **SEND Support:** [Online safety for children with SEND | NSPCC](#)
- **Right from birth, every time you play with your child, use silly voices, or even sing, you are not just bonding, you are building their brain:** [Look, Say, Sing, Play - Brain-building tips | NSPCC](#)
- [Singing Day | Look Say Sing Play | NSPCC \(youtube.com\)](#)
- **Talk PANTS with your children:** [Let's talk PANTS with Pantosaurus! | NSPCC](#)
- **It is up to all of us to keep children safe. Take our free, 10 minute digital training and learn what to do if you're ever worried about a child or their family:** [Listen up, Speak up | NSPCC](#)



JOIN US TO CELEBRATE THE NEW YEAR

MULTI SPORTS HOLIDAY CLUBS

BISHOP RAWLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Come and join us for some sports, games and activities from **January 02-03**. Our action-packed program gives children the chance to remain active, develop skills and make new friends within a safe and secure program.

MULTI-SPORTS • **ASSAULT COURSE** • **WELLBEING**
PARALYMPICS • **ARTS & CRAFTS** • **ALTERNATIVE SPORTS**
TEAM-BUILDING • **COMBAT SPORTS** + **MUCH MORE!**

FULL DAY 08:30-16:30



We accept payment of childcare vouchers from most schemes. Applies at selected venues.

EARLY BIRD

Full Day
£20.00

Expires December 16

Half Day options available:

AM 08:30-12:30 **PM 12:30-16:30**

Booster Events:

INFLATABLES • **BRING A BIKE** • **CIRCUS SKILLS** • **FRISBEE GOLF** • **MINI GOLF**

**FREE
PLACES**

**HOLIDAY
ACTIVITIES
AND
FOOD**

Children eligible for free school meals can access up to two full days. Includes a healthy meal and drink.

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for better mental health

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Don't suffer in silence.

For more support organisations, you can find the Everymind Mental Health Support Directory on www.everymindatwork.com.

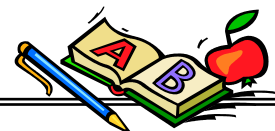
Applications for Reception September 2024

The application process for Reception Class 2025 is now open.

If you, or anyone you know has a child, who is due to start school in September, please be aware that the application process will open soon.

All applications must be done online at www.staffordshire.gov.uk/admissions and by following the links to 'Apply online'. Please be aware that having your child's name in the school book DOES NOT mean you automatically have a place and an online application has to be made.

If any parent requires help with the application process, please contact Mrs Massey in the school office, who will be happy to help.



Swimming

Class Two will start swimming at Blythe Bridge High School on **Tuesday 7th** January 2025, after lunch. Please note girls will need to wear a one piece costume and boys must wear trunks, not baggy shorts. **All** pupils will need to wear a swimming cap and no jewellery.

