



DOVEDALE PRIMARY SCHOOL ONE Academy Trust

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Aiming High Together



Dovedale Primary School Association presents.... the 2023 CHRISTMAS FAIR!

Please join us on **Friday 1st December** for festive fun after school from 3.15-5pm in the school grounds **ALL WELCOME**

- Santa is extremely busy this time of year but he has managed to spare us some of his time on Thursday 30th and Friday 1st December, with this in mind we are able to **offer children in Reception, Year 1, 2, 3 and 4** the opportunity to visit Santa in his grotto throughout the school day by **pre-booking a visit** for a small fee of £3.50. This will include a gift from Santa and a souvenir photo to capture the experience.
- Then **ALL ARE WELCOME** to join us after school from 3.15-5pm on **Friday 1st December** in the school grounds; (outside the reception and Year 6 areas) where there will be a host of stalls and activities on offer. Browse for Christmas gifts and treats from our selection of stalls including:
 - a range of crafts
 - hot chocolate
 - mince pies and cakes
 - hot dogs
 - Christmas Jumper stall (we will be asking for small donations)
 - teddy tombola
 - general tombola
 - games with prizes
 - raffle with generously donated prizes
 - the wonderful school choir will also be performing
- Santa will be sticking around for a short time after school at the fair to allow the older children to say hello, parents/carers are welcome to take a photo of their child with Santa. As Santa has a limited time before he flies off to his next destination this will be on a first come first serve basis. There will be a donation bucket located in the Grotto, please note there will be no gifts given to the children during this time.
- We are kindly asking if any parents/carers are able to donate any **cakes/mince pies** to sell on the day; these can be sent in with your child or dropped at main reception from Monday 27th November. (If any



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cakes are homemade could you please pop a note in if they contain any of the main allergens such as gluten or dairy as outlined on <https://www.food.gov.uk/safety-hygiene/food-allergy-and-intolerance>. (This is in accordance with Natasha's Law to allow full transparency). Equally if anyone has any suitable **raffle prizes** or donations they can provide for the **various tombola's**, including **sweets** or **Christmas jumpers** we would be very appreciative of all donations. There will be donation boxes at the school gates every Friday evening for you to place these in or you can drop any donations during the week to one of our collection points:

- **96 Dovedale Avenue**
- **75 Wharfedale Road**
- **34 Wensleydale Road**

If you have any questions you can contact the Dovedale Association either through our Facebook page www.facebook.com/dovedaleassociation or by emailing us DovedaleAssociation@dovedale.derbyshire.sch.uk Please do not contact the school office as they are not able to answer PTA queries.

Thank you for your continued support; everything we raise goes directly back into the school and supporting so many activities and initiatives for the children.

Santa's Grotto Thursday 30th and Friday 1st December 2023

This event will be an online ticket event for Reception , Year 1, 2, 3 and 4 only.

You will be able to use this link below to get to the ticketing platform. If you are not already registered on the platform you will need to register, but you can use it for all of our future events.

Once registered all you need to do is select the Santa Grotto tickets and include your child's Full Name, Class and any Allergies.

Tickets will go live on **Monday 14th November at 7pm** and close at **7pm on Friday 24th November**

****Children will visit Santa throughout the school day, we will not know in advance which day your child will visit.****

<https://www.pta-events.co.uk/dovedaleprimarylongeatonpta>



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