



# Bishop Wood Buddies

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## Buddies BIG Christmas Letter

The Buddies are busy preparing for the exciting month of December. It's packed full of events for children and adults but we need your help to make them a huge success!

**NON UNIFORM DAY** - **Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November** will be a non-uniform day in exchange for chocolate donations for the tombola or £1 (nut free please). There will be a Buddy on the gates to collect your donations.

**CHRISTMAS WREATH MAKING** - **Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November at 7.00pm**

Come & join the Buddies for this creative and fun festive event to really get you in the Christmas spirit. The ticket price is £20 which includes all the materials you need to make a beautiful Christmas wreath to take home at the end of the night. Grandparents, friends and neighbours are also welcome, the more the merrier! Enjoy festive tunes, a mince pie and glass of mulled wine on us! Please bring your own secateurs.

You can email us on [buddies@bishopwood.herts.sch.uk](mailto:buddies@bishopwood.herts.sch.uk) to let us know you are coming or sign up for this event on

<https://www.peoplesfundraising.com/event/bwbudswreathmaking>

**SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAIR** - **Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December**

As well as the beautiful crafts we will be selling, the children will also be able to enjoy the popular chocolate tombola and purchase presents for their family from the gift room. The Fair will be held throughout the day for the children, and we are delighted to be able to invite parents and carers along to the Fair from **2.45pm-4pm**.

**On the day, please send the children in with some pocket money to spend in a purse or envelope.**

In order to make the fair a big success we need to ask our Bishop families for their help:

**Gift Donations-** Mrs McGhee will be running the popular 'Gift's for Grown Ups' stall at the fair where your child/ren can purchase a present to give to their chosen family member/s. We are looking for donations for this so if you have any

new items suitable for the children to buy as gifts that you would like to donate, please send them in with your child **by Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> November**.

**Craft** - If you or a family member are craft makers, we would welcome your donations to sell at our fair. Please contact us via our email (above) or through your class Buddy, if you can help. Anything goes, Christmas decoration, hair bungees, fidget toys, pictures, sweets (giant marshmallows on sticks, hot chocolate cones etc as an example) and jewellery are just a few of the things that sell well. Well actually anything sells, the kids are mad for it!

**Cakes** - We will be running a cake and sweet treats stall during the fair so cake donations **on the day** are gratefully received. (nut free please)

As always, we rely on the generous donations from our Bishop Wood community to make the fair a great fundraising success, so thank you in advance for all your support and we look forward to a fun Christmas period!

**The Bishop Wood Buddies x**