



**'At the heart of the Community, with the
Community at its heart'**

Newsletter 7- 9th December 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

What a busy 2 weeks in school! Willow and Rowan class had a lovely day out at The Museum of Lincolnshire Life on Monday and we all enjoyed Christmas Jumper Day on Wednesday.

Parish Council Tree planting

All of the children planted a tree on the playing field on Thursday 1st December. A big thank you to Ingham Parish Council for involving the school and Little Acorns.

Tree Decoration Competition

We had such a range of decorations entered into the competition and our tree looks beautiful! It was very tough for the judges to decide-1st and 2nd prize winners were as follows. All children who entered the competition were given a sweet treat. Well done to everyone.

Year group	1st	2nd
Reception	Ted	Stefka
Y1	Oliver	Ophelia
Y2	Henry	Archie
Y3	Hannah	Lily
Y4	Jazmin	Raghalleigh
Y5	Flora	Aaron
Y6	Poppy and Antonia	Dylan

New Theatre Royal Pantomime visit

Yesterday the whole school visited the New Theatre Royal to watch Cinderella. The children's faces were a picture and it was a joy to watch them watching the show! The children joined in at all the right places and the ice creams at the interval went down a treat.

Rudy's run



We are hoping to run, dance, prance or walk a mile for St Barnabas on Monday 12th December. If the weather is poor, we have a reserve date of Thursday 15th December. Please ensure children have trainers in school. St Barnabas have provided us with reindeer antlers and red noses for the day. We will post a video or two and some photos on Class Dojo so parents can see. St Barnabas is a very worthwhile cause and we know they appreciate any donations on the Just Giving page on Class Dojo. Thanks in advance for your support.

Christmas Party Day-Friday 16th December

Children can wear their party clothes on the last day of term and each class will be having a party celebration and party games. Please ensure the children are wearing appropriate footwear and clothing for the weather.

Diary Dates

Friday 9th December

Messy Church

Monday 12th December

Rudy's run (morning/afternoon-weather depending)

Wednesday 14th December

KS1 performance (Willow and Rowan)
2:30pm and 6pm

Thursday 15th December

Rudy's run-reserve date (morning/afternoon)

Friday 16th December

KS2 Christmas assembly to parents 9:10am
(Maple and Oak class only)

Christmas party day.

End of term 2

Wednesday 4th January

Term 2 starts

As always, please catch me at the school gate or make an appointment to see me if you have any questions or queries.

Have a good weekend.

K A Hutchinson

Mrs Hutchinson
Headteacher





Dear Parent / Guardian 😊

It's Rudy the reindeer here from the North Pole to talk about a very special mission Santa has set me this year. This year, Ingham Primary School has chosen to support St Barnabas Hospice by doing our very own Rudy's Run on Monday 12th December 2022 (or Thursday 15th if it is poor weather).

Rudy's Run is all about our beloved children having some festive and educational fun whilst raising much needed funds for your local hospice! Each child will receive a free pair of antlers and a red nose to wear as they **run, walk, dance or prance the Rudy's Run route of one mile around the school field/playground**. They can even keep them for family festivities at home!

I have even sent a Santa suit for one lucky teacher to wear whilst keeping the reindeers in formation! (Mrs Hutchinson!!!)

St Barnabas Hospice is renowned for its outstanding end-of-life care for adults, but they also provide pre and post bereavement support for families too. This invaluable support is free for anyone in Lincolnshire who is struggling with loss, and more work is being done right now at St Barnabas to create a specialist bereavement service for children as young as five. Losing a parent, sibling or grandparent can be extremely traumatic for a child, but it is something which one in thirty children are going through each day. Rudy's Run has been designed to highlight our bereavement support and to help continue to fund this much needed service.

Ingham Primary School has set up a JustGiving page to collect sponsorship money from family, friends and supporters. I would be so grateful if you would consider sponsoring your child and sharing the link to help our wonderful hospice. Visit [this link](#) to start giving now.

I hope you will support your child in this fundraising event and help boost the school fundraising total to give patients and their families at St Barnabas Hospice a joyful Christmas.

Got to dash now – Santa is calling me for flying practice!

Best wishes,

Rudy xxx



P.S – Use #RudysRun when talking about this event on social media!!

