

Reverse advent calendar

Normally for advent you take something out of a calendar, this year could you bring something in and donate this item for our food hampers. Please drop your donations off at the main reception.

Thank you



1 st - Tinned sweetcorn	2 nd - Tinned carrots	3 rd - Tinned soup	4 th - Teabags	5 th - Coffee	6 th - Tinned tomatoes
7 th - Dry pasta	8 th - Dry rice	9 th - Baked beans	10 th - Tinned spaghetti	11 th - UHT milk	12 th - Long-life fruit juice
13 th - Biscuits	14 th - Tinned fruit	15 th - Cereal	16 th - Tinned peas	17 th - Tinned meat	18 th - Jar of pasta sauce
19 th - Tinned pie	20 th - Jar of cooking sauce (any kind)	21 st - Tinned potatoes	22 nd - Tinned fish	23 rd - Tinned rice pudding	24 th - Toiletries



OADV virtual Christmas Quiz Night

We are extremely pleased to announce that we will be holding our next fantastic Christmas family Quiz night on the **16th December from 5.45pm....** However this year it will be going online. We will be hosting the quiz using MS Teams.

This year what is even better is that you don't need to buy any tickets, all you have to do is sign up at reception with one of our child's email addresses and instead of buying tickets all we ask is that you make a donation to our food bank appeal. The quiz will be held on your child's Ipad!

A tin or packet in return for a great family quiz night, what could be better!

Sign up now at reception or ring the Academy on 01142200400



The BIG BIKE Revival

The Big Bike Revive is coming to OADV

In partnership with Yorkshire Electric Scooters

Provisional date Friday 18th & Saturday 19th December

We are very excited to announce that the Big Bike Revival is coming to OADV.

This will mean that you can bring your bikes for a free safety check, servicing and minor repairs. A qualified and experienced mechanic will complete a free bike health check to ensure your child's bike is safe to ride.

The trained mechanic will be able to spend a maximum of 30 minutes on each bike to be able to carry out a full safety check and minor repairs. This will be carried out in a COVID secure way, therefore bikes will have to be booked in.

Once we have the confirmed date we will be in touch with how you can book your place for this fantastic offer.

OADV are taking part in Christmas Jumper Day this year in aid of Save the Children.

Bring your donations in on the day to support this great cause.





Community Litter Picks



Wednesday 9th December 8.45am

Next Wednesday two of our Academy Hub Councillors, Razia and Lyndsey will be starting our first OADV community litter pick. This will be a monthly event where volunteers will meet and help to tidy up around the Academy and Park area. We are extremely lucky to have such amazing grounds and we want to really take care of them so that they stay this way for our children, families and community.

We are looking for 10 volunteers



If you are available please leave your name and number at the main reception and Razia or Lyndsey will be in touch.

Good news corner ...

This Christmas time, we'd like to help share some joy over the festive period following what has been a difficult year for many. We are hoping to cheer up the residents of the Darnall Grange Nursing home by sending them Christmas cards and letters from the students of OADV. This project will be running from the 1st – 11th December across the whole Academy. This project was inspired by #heartsforhome project, take a look at this wonderful project online:

<https://www.picture-news.co.uk/blog/hearts-for-homes-picture-news-christmas-campaign/>

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



- Food bank donations— please bring to the main reception by 17th December
- Community litter pick - 9th December 8.45am
- Christmas Quiz night—16th December 5.45pm
- OADV Christmas/winter jumper day 11th December

