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ADDENDUM

# High Firs Primary School

# NEWSLETTER

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## Message from Mr Kilbride

I do apologise, but I completely forgot to share with you two events that are connected to this week, so here is an addendum to Friday's newsletter to ensure that everyone is kept up to speed.

We are marking Children in Need once again this year by filling up a Pudsey with pennies brought in in exchange for wearing items as detailed below.

**Children in Need**  
**2024**  
**On Friday 15th November**  
**Wear something spotty**  
**or**  
**Children in Need clothes / accessories**

**Please bring some pennies to help us fill Pudsey!**

I had put Anti-Bullying Week in the dates section of Friday's newsletter, but I forgot to describe the Odd Socks Challenge. Basically, we are challenging children to choose their own day, between now and Christmas, to come to school wearing odd socks – with the message being – it is ok to be different.

*Note – there is a national Odd Socks Day on Tuesday – but we are deliberately avoiding that – we want the children to experience the feeling of being different for the day and of noticing that others are different for the day – all with the aim to practise being appropriate and comfortable about welcoming and involving difference as a normal part of daily life. We feel this is better done with surprise, sporadic odd sock wearing, rather than everyone all wearing together on the same day. Children will tick off on a list in class when they have had their turn.*



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