

Treales Church Of England Primary School Newsletter 7– Friday 9th December 2022



Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

What a week! Christmas has definitely arrived at Treales! All the children had a wonderful time at the pantomime on Thursday. Jack and Florence even made it onto the stage to wow the audience by playing musical instruments. Whilst the children were out of school, a group of Christmas elves (AKA the wonderful PTFA) transformed my office into Father Christmas' grotto and prepared the rest of school for the Christmas Fair. Our three lucky winners met the big man himself and travelled to school on his sleigh to open the fair. Much appreciation and thanks to everyone who helped make the event such a success. The children have enjoyed using the grotto this morning to share Christmas stories.

Years 5 and 6 deserve a special mention. For the last 5 weeks we have been working with Lee Cadwallader from Wyre and Fylde Sports Partnership to develop playground games for Oak class to enjoy. The children have learnt leadership, teamwork, presentation skills and how difficult a job teaching is! Today they all delivered their games during PE to Oak class and they were AMAZING! Every child took their role on with diligence and commitment and made sure that Oak class had LOTS of fun! I can't wait to see how they continue to develop their skills and leadership at lunchtimes next term.

Please do not forget that our Christingle Service will be held in church on Sunday at 6pm. We would love for you to join us with your friends and family. The children have recorded a song which will be played during the service. Some of the children in attendance will be invited to present a reading.

Next week is lining up to be just as busy and exciting. We have a group of children attending Sportshall Athletics on Tuesday – what an achievement that every child in KS2 will have represented school at an event this term! It's also School Christmas dinner on Tuesday – crackers and party hats at the ready!

On Wednesday 14th December the children will perform their nativity at 2pm and 6pm. Children will go home as usual before returning to school between 5.30pm and 5.45pm. Children should be brought to their usual entrances and the doors will open at 5.30pm so that they can change in the classrooms before going to church. Whilst we are not issuing tickets we ask that you are considerate of others and try to split your party over both performances. Any children who are booked in Afterschool Club will be sent to classes to get ready when Afterschool Club closes. Please remember that the PTFA Grand Draw will be held in school following the evening performance.

On Thursday 15th December children are invited to wear their Christmas jumpers for our annual Elf Run in aid of Brian House Children's Hospice. Please see the letter sent on Parent App for more information.

On Friday 16th December, children are invited to wear their own clothes for our party morning. We are having a short act of worship to celebrate Christmas with readings and carols at 1.20pm. All are welcome to join us – get your singing voices ready. Please remember that collection is 2pm and there is no after school club.

Exciting News! Our new parent app, School Spider is now live. We will be using Parent App and School Spider in the short term to give everyone opportunity to download the app and sign on. All booking for After school club and our extra-curricular club offer for January 2023 will need to be booked on the new School Spider app and will be available from Tuesday 13th December. Get logged on and see if you can **find our welcome message**. Any issue do not hesitate to contact us on Monday.

Friends of Treales News

Well..what a super Christmas Fayre! Thank you to everyone who helped; to parents, grandparents, staff and everyone who supported..over £600 raised for school! An extra special mention to our surprise guest who arrived in style in his sleigh! Thanks also to Pete Marquis for supporting once again..the children were delighted!!

A reminder that nativity photographs are being sold after both performances on Wednesday; £3 each or 2 for £5. If you haven't yet had chance to see them, please please do; they really do capture all the hard work the children have put into the nativity and are such a lovely keepsake! A huge personal thanks to Gill Hodgkinson for bringing this together!

Finally, on behalf of Friends a huge thank you to you for supporting the events this term in order to raise money for school, and our young people!

Merry Christmas





Christmas Grand Draw

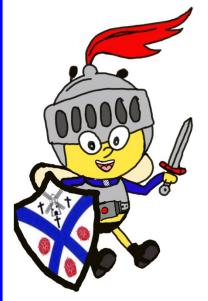
Don't forget to purchase those last minute tickets by close of play Monday please.

Please see below the list of prizes for our 2022 Grand Draw so far. We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone below for the extremely kind donations!! A huge thank you also must go to J Wareing and Son who once again have kindly sponsored the tickets! It's going to be a super draw! If anyone would like any more tickets, please pop into the office!

- 1. £100 cash
- 2. Honeywell's Christmas Hamper
- 3. Blackpool Zoo Silver Membership
- 4. Smoosh non surgical face lift
- 5. Curling voucher for the Flower Bowl, Barton Grange
- 6. Family photo shoot donated by Memory Box Pictures
- 7. Voucher for Stringers, Lytham
- 8. Serendipity House Gift Voucher
- 9. Back massage donated by The Beauty Spot
- 10. House clean donated by Victoria cleaning service
- 11. BIAB/acrylic nails donated by Beauty by Dani
- 12. Mini facial donated by The Beauty Spot
- 13. Christmas Bouquet donated by Creations Floral Design
- 14. Massage donated by Euphoria
- 15. Dance lessons donated by Euphoria
- 16. Cut and Blow Dry donated by The Salon at Clifton
- 17. Necklace donated by Peter Jackson the Jeweller
- 18. Martin Williamson 2023 calendar
- 19. Martin Williamson Christmas cards
- 20. Gift voucher donated by Miss Millie
- 21. Goody bag donated by Book, Bean and Ice Cream
- 22. Bottle of Baileys
- 23. Large box of chocolates

Any further prizes will be added to Friends of Treales PTA

I Am Mighty Awards have been presented to the following children:



W/c 28th Nov	W/c 5th Dec
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Reception Amber R Oak Class Charlotte &

Lilly

Year 1 Dylan Willow Class

Year 2 Joel Year 5 Milana

Year 3 Stanley Year 6 Ruby

Year 4 Bruce

Year 5 Dexter

Year 6 Hannah

Well done and keep up the good work.

KEY DATES

Sun 11th Dec Christingle Service, 6pm in Church

Mon 12th Dec Special Worship, 3pm in Church

Tue 13th Dec Whole School Christmas Lunch

Tue 13th Dec Sports Hall Athletics Competition at Carr Hill, 3.45pm—4pm pickup from

Carr Hill.

Wed 14th Dec School Nativity, 2pm and 6pm in Church

followed by Friends of Treales Christmas Grand Draw, Approx 7.30pm

Thu 15th Dec Elf Run, Brian House Children's Hospice Fundraiser

Fri 16th Dec Close for Christmas, 2pm finish (no After School Club)

Tue 3rd Jan School Opens for Spring Term 2023

Fri 10th Feb School Closes for Half-Term

Mon 20th Feb School Opens

Fri 31st Mar School Closes for Easter, 2pm finish (no After School Club)

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School Spider

Please down load the app. On the login screen there is a link to create your account. You will need to input your email address, if this matches what we have on record you will be sent an email to create an account. Please try over the weekend and let us know if you have any problems.



Community News







