



Trawden Forest Primary School

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The background of the slide is a stylized illustration of a jungle. It features dark green silhouettes of trees and foliage at the top and bottom, with lighter green and yellowish-green shapes representing bushes and ground in the middle. Thin, light green lines crisscross the background, suggesting tree trunks or vines.

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Headteacher's Message

It has been another busy couple of weeks here at Trawden school. We had a exciting visit from the History Man on Wednesday, who thrilled the children in Years 1 & 4. He brought the events of 'The Great Fire of London' AND 'The Plague' to life in his own compelling and invigorating style.

Our Year 2 children visited Skipton Castle this week, they had a fabulous time and luckily no dragons were to be seen, therefore, all the children arrived back safely!

A big thank you to our Year 5 children and Mr Trickett for leading the Remembrance assembly last Friday, it was a really moving performance and such a lovely tribute to our fallen soldiers. Well done to all of you.

As part of the Building Bridges initiative, our Year 3 children visited Colne Municipal Hall last week, where they took part in lots of activities with their friends from Marsden Primary School. They can't wait to catch up with their friends again in the new year.

Thank you to everyone who brought items into school today for the PTFA Christmas Hampers – watch out for a letter coming home soon with your book of raffle tickets. REMEMBER ... “ You have to be in it to win it”.

Please take note of the reminder that unfortunately, due to the increasing amount of holidays now being taken during school time, we have been instructed by Lancashire County Council to issue penalty notices for unauthorised absences - effective immediately. A letter has been sent out to all Parents/Carers this week via ParentMail.

Please don't hesitate to contact myself, your class teacher or the ladies in the office, if you have any concerns or queries, our doors are always open.

Kind regards
Mrs Stinchon

LET'S CELEBRATE!



Dates :- 15.11.24

EYFS – Alistair & Beatrice

YEAR 1 – Ronnie, Louie & Joey

YEAR 2 – Oliver & Matilda

YEAR 3 – Jacob & Amelia H

YEAR 4 - Betty & Toby

YEAR 5 – Ben & Ollie H

YEAR 6 – Archie & Sophie



ATTENDANCE – Year 3 – 100%

SHOUT OUT – Pippa F Year 2



Thank you . . .

THANK YOU!

- Thank you very much to Mr G Dunleavy who kindly donated his lottery winnings back to school
REMEMBER:- *“You have to be in it to win it”*
- If you would like to support school by joining our school lottery please follow the link;

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/trawden-forest-primary-school>

- A great big THANK YOU to Mrs Oakley for arranging a fabulous donation of paving flags for our garden and forest school are.
They were kindly donated by Bridge Street Stone, Colne.

Mrs Nelson is very happy



HOMEWORK FOR ALL - Christmas Bauble Competition



This week we are asking all children in school to create a piece of artwork for their homework (given on 15th November).

LANCASHIRE POLICE are looking for young artists to design Christmas e-cards for the Chief Constable and Police and Crime Commissioner.

The theme is 'Bobbies on a Bauble' and designs must include a policing element on the official template of a Christmas bauble.

This could include:

- a police officer, dogs, cars, horses

or

- police symbols like the crest, checkered pattern or thin blue line.



You can be as creative, colourful and imaginative as you'd like – but all entries must be hand drawn and within the lines of the template!

The wonderful designs must be back in school on **Thursday 21st November** and handed in to the class teacher.

A bauble template and letter with more details will be sent out today so please check your child/rens bag!

Good luck!





Dates for your Diary

- **Friday 22nd November** – Year 4 class to lead the assembly (their parents, carers and family members are welcome to join us)
- **Friday 29th November** – Whole school Christmas “SURPRISE”
- **Tuesday 3rd December** – Trawden Village Christmas Light Switch on 6pm – School Choir singing
- **Wednesday 4th December** – KS2 PTFA Christmas pop up shop
- **Thursday 5th December** – EYFS & KS1 PTFA Christmas pop up shop
- **Wednesday 11th December** – EYFS+KS1 Nativity – ticket letter to follow
- **Monday 16th December** – PTFA Christmas Hamper Raffle Draw
- **Tuesday 17th December** – Christmas Carol Service by KS2 at St Marys Church 6.15pm
- **Wednesday 18th December** – Christmas Party Day (party clothes!) and Christmas School Dinner Day
- **Thursday 19th December** – Jingle Jog – donations requested for Pendleside Hospice
– all children can wear Christmas headgear
- **Friday 20th December** – School finishes 3:30pm – **NO AFTERSCHOOL CLUB**

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year



ASDA - CASHPOT FOR SCHOOL

NOT LONG LEFT - PLEASE DON'T FORGET ...

If you shop at ASDA we have until 30th November...

Parentkind – a charity that supports school PTAs - have teamed up with Asda, who is making millions of pounds available to donate to primary schools across the UK through their 'Cashpot for Schools' initiative. To support our school, all you have to do is opt-in through the Asda Rewards app, shop and scan in store or shop online at Asda.com.



Festive Craft Fair

