



TRAWDEN FOREST PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Every child matters; every moment counts!

Friday 8th November 2019

Headteacher's Note:

Thank you to everyone who attended our Year 6 Remembrance assembly and sale this morning. I think you will agree that Year 6 were outstanding and produced a very moving and poignant performance. Well done to all involved!

Thanks also to all the parents and carers who joined us for a coffee/tea and a piece of cake this afternoon at our Remembrance Cafe. It was lovely to see so many of you with your children supporting school. The Y6 children held their sale again this afternoon raising funds for Help the Heroes. They will let you know how much they raised next week!

Next week is national Anti-bullying Week and we have many activities planned including wearing odd socks on Tuesday and a Respect assembly on Wednesday. Also on Friday for Children in Need we are not dressing up but we are asking children to bring in pennies for Pudsey. Let's see if we can fill our large cut out Pudsey with pennies!

Thank you for your continued support, Mrs L Stinchon

Parent governors play a vital **role** on governing bodies, holding the unique position of having a parental viewpoint of the school.

Governors set the aims and objectives for the school and set the policies and targets for achieving those aims and objectives. They monitor and evaluate the progress the **school** is making and act as a source of challenge and support to the Head teacher.

The qualities and skills that governors need:

- * a strong commitment to the role and this includes dedicating your time regularly during each the school term and throughout the year to carrying out your duties.
- * a strong commitment to making sure there are high aspirations for the all the children in your school and a commitment to achieving the best possible outcomes for all the pupils.
- * to be naturally inquisitive and have the ability to question and analyse, and a willingness to learn.
- * good inter-personal skills.
- *The skills to understand the particular ethos of the school and its implications for the way it is governed.

If you are interested in becoming a parent governor please contact Mrs Stinchon before Friday 15th November.



Diary Dates

Tuesday 12th November

Odd socks for Anti-bullying week



Friday 15th November

Children In Need "Pennies for Pudsey"



Tuesday 26th November

Fun with Maths free course for EYFS parents



Monday 2nd December

PTFA Toasty Morning - 10p per slice



Tuesday 3rd December

PTFA pop-up Christmas Shop



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Fun with Phonics free course for EYFS parents



Thursday 5th December

PTFA pop-up Christmas Shop



Friday 6th December

Intra Health Flu Immunisations



Wednesday 11th December

EYFS+KS1 Nativity performance
2.00pm & 6.00pm



Friday 13th December

Santa sing-along round the village - wear a Christmas hat!



Tuesday 17th December

KS2 Carol Service in church 6.30pm



Wednesday 18th December

Christmas School Dinner and party day



Thursday 19th December

School closes for Christmas at 2:00pm



NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB



After School Clubs

Mondays - starting 4th Nov for 6 weeks
KS2 Archery with Pro Sport

Wednesdays - starting 4th Nov for 6 weeks
KS1 Dodgeball with Pro Sport - Pro Sport letters went home on Wednesday

Thursdays - Karate with Sensei Simon.
3.30-5.00pm

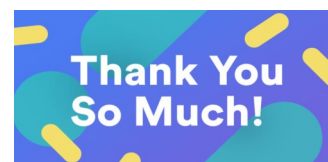
Mr Irvine will be holding netball and football training session at lunchtimes.



Our School Lottery

Thank you to everyone who has joined our school lottery, we now have 53 subscribers, which brings in a fantastic £1,100 per year for our school! There is still time to join – tell your friends!

Well done and thank you to our first winner Shannon Oakley, who has very kindly donated her winnings back to school.



We need your empty jars please!



It is that time of year again when we would like you to send in your empty clean jars so that we can turn them into sparkly coloured lanterns for our carol service in church. Thank you.

Operation Christmas Child Shoe Box Appeal



A reminder that all shoe boxes need to be returned to school by **Wednesday 20th November 2019**. Thank you in anticipation of your support for such a worthy cause.

Trawden Parish Council



We would like to say a huge thank you to Trawden Parish Council for their generous donation of £500.00 which will be put towards the purchase of our new stage. It is very much appreciated. We can't wait to perform!

We're holding
ODD SOCKS DAY
for Anti-Bullying Week
again this year

Tuesday 12th November

Andy and O's Socks

SafeToNet

School Dinners

If your child/children are currently having school dinners and are in KS2, can we politely ask that payments are made in advance and kept up to date.

Please make all payments via ParentMail.

If payments fall into arrears by more than two weeks, unfortunately the school will be unable to provide further meals until full payment has been made.

Thank you for your cooperation and understanding in this matter.

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