



Trawden Forest Primary - School Newsletter

Every child matters; every moment counts.

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Friday 18th December 2020

What a very busy week it has been with all our Christmas festivities! The children have had lots of fun. I think now both the children and staff are all ready for a peaceful and restful break!

Ernie the Elf has been causing some Christmas chaos in the year 2 classroom! Mr Plant even kidnapped him because of the mess and mishaps he has caused this week!

You may have seen the wanted posters around the school railings. If you see Ernie please contact the school office immediately! Please look on our school facebook page at the photographic evidence of his Christmas capers!

The whole school enjoyed the Santa dash this morning, which took part according to class bubbles and staggered times to ensure no mixing of groups. We can safely say Santa was found by everyone!

Details of the track and trace procedures were sent out to all parents this week via ParentMail. These details are to be used by parents who may need to be able to report a positive result after the closure of school today.

Thank you for your continued support, cooperation and understanding throughout this term as we have found new ways to teach and learn.

I would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! Please try to relax and have some quality time with your family whilst staying safe and well.

Take care,
Mrs Stinchon



Congratulations to all our certificate winners last week!

EYFS Jessica



Birthdays over the holidays

YR 1 Mason

YR 2 Miss Hart

EYFS Daniel W

YR 3 Freya

YR 1 Luke, Coco, Cassius,
Felix & Tilly-May

YR 4 John, Ibrahim &
Daisy Mae

YR 2 Jordan

YR 5 Harry & Kara

YR 3 Maddison, Ira & Tom

YR 6 Ryan & Leah

YR 5 Charlie P



YR 6 Harley, Alex,

Helena, Hettie & Theo

Christmas homework for all children:-

During the Christmas holidays, your teachers would like you to :

- ⇒ Spend time with people that you care about
- ⇒ Eat food that you love and try some you don't!
- ⇒ Do things that you enjoy each day
- ⇒ Do something nice for somebody else
- ⇒ Play with your toys and gifts
- ⇒ Make somebody laugh or smile - tell a joke from a cracker
- ⇒ Watch your favourite film/TV Programme (then watch another!)



Have a lovely Christmas and see you in 2021!



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN A CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY SPORTS CLUB?

Pro Sport will run a Christmas Sports Club Mon 21st, Tues 22nd and Wed 23rd December here in school 8.30am - 4.00pm.

If you are interested please fill in their online form:

<https://forms.gle/Pa1n8AL5ztdejXfK6>





Monday 4th Jan - School starts—
gates open 8.45am



Thursday 7th Jan - Year 2
Ballgrove Ramble



Monday 11th January— Pro
Sport Street dance



Wednesday 13th January - Pro
sport Dodgeball



Polite Reminder

May I politely remind all Parents and Carers that only **ONE** adult should be dropping off and collecting children from the school yard. We appreciate that people may get lifts or come as a couple but this is to ease as much congestion as possible please. These measures are in place to keep all children, staff, parents/carers safe and to enable the school to keep within the Government guidelines when social distancing.

Thank you for your understanding.



Thank you to Mrs Dunleavy for donating her lottery winnings of £15.00 back to school!



PARKING:-

We understand how difficult parking is on Dean Street and how congested the road becomes at drop off and pick up times. Please have consideration for residents, other drivers and our children with their parents.

We have had many concerns put to us over the last few weeks and we are trying to find new ways to help to ease this growing problem, as we always have done.

We have had many ideas and listened to new ones, however, unfortunately things do not change over night.

Lancashire highways and Trawden Parish Council have been up to school to assess the situation too. We will be asking the children for their input after Christmas when they will be designing warning signs and instructions too.

There should be no stopping on the zig-zags not even for dropping off. Please drop as you turn at the top off Dean Street. We appreciate that many of you already do but if you can please walk as this helps too. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

After School Clubs



Mondays - starting 11th Jan for 5 weeks Year 5 Street dance 3.30pm - 4.30pm Pro sport letter to follow

Wednesdays - starting 13th Jan for 5 weeks Year 6 Dodgeball 3.30pm - 4.30pm Pro sport letter to follow



Snacks from home

Children in EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2 do not need



to bring so many extra snacks into school! They always have a choice of free fresh fruit available on a daily basis and, if they have chosen to, they have their milk. If you feel that you need to send in a snack it must only be a piece of fruit or plain biscuits. We do not have a fridge so no yogurts, cheese dippers, sandwiches or chocolate are allowed. NO NUTS as we do have allergies in school. We are committed to promoting change 4 life and being a healthy school. Thank you for your cooperation.

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