



Trawden Forest Primary School

Newsletter: Issue 6 – 17.11.23



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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 who thrilled the children in Years 1 & 2. He brought the events of 'The Great Fire of London' and the 'Titanic' to life in his own compelling and invigorating style. He also showed the children how different games would have been played during the Victorian era. I wonder if grandparents or parents recognised any from the pictures on Facebook?! There were some very interesting ones.

Well done to our children in Years 1,2 & 3 who visited Colne Sports Centre and Pendle Vale School to take part in an Indoor Athletics competition. You all showed great stamina and team work and represented our school extremely well.

A big thank you to our Year 5 children and Mrs Dixon 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.

Our Year 6 children visited the Imperial War Museum in Manchester last week, Mrs Clark informs me that you all had a wonderful time and this experience helped embed the learning of their WW2 topic work.

Thank you for your continued support and have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards
Mrs L Stinchon

LET'S CELEBRATE!



Every student. Every day.



EYFS - Nathaniel & Felicity

YEAR 1 – Oliver & Erin

YEAR 2 – Owen & Joe

YEAR 3 – Teddy

YEAR 4 – Oscar & Oliver

YEAR 5 – The whole class

YEAR 6 – Bella & Summer

ATTENDANCE – Year 1 & 4 for 99%

SHOUT OUT – Olive Yr 1



Thank you and Requests . . .

- Thank you to Mrs Stinchon for donating her lottery winnings back to school
- Thanks also to Violet who has donated one of her games to the afterschool club
- REQUEST:- We would love it if anyone had any low maintenance shrubs and/or perennial plants to donate to our gardening club for them to plant into our very large growing space at Trawden Community Centre - this would be fantastic!



Wanted :-

- ❖ We are still requesting donations of games and toys in good condition for our lunchtime groups
- ❖ PE kits and pumps, uniform and socks and underwear (in EYFS+KS1)
- ❖ Junk modelling – our EYFS children love making and building models and they would love you to collect your recycling small boxes, tubes, containers for them to use in class

Please drop any donations into our school office, thank you!



PTFA Annual Christmas Hampers . . .

Our fabulous PTFA are once again, with your very generous support, raising funds to support the children and our wonderful school. Due to popular demand we are again creating our fabulous Christmas Hampers!

For our PTFA Trawden Forest Primary School will therefore be holding a Non Uniform day on:
Tuesday 21st November 2023

**We are asking for each child to donate
at least 2 items or more
from the list towards our Christmas Hampers as
their "fee".**

These items will then be used to make up the fabulous luxury Christmas Hampers which will then be raffled off and awarded to the lucky winners in time for Christmas.

**Hamper raffle draw –
Monday 18th December**

Items can include:

- Bottles of wine/prosecco/sherry/port etc. (alcohol must be handed in by an adult to the office please)
- Mini bottles e.g.; gin and bottles of mixers
- Mini drinks and glass sets
- Jars of chutney/chilli Jam/pickles/dips (not fresh)
- Boxes of chocolates
- Cream Crackers/biscuits for cheese
- Sharing bags of crisps
- Christmas napkins packs
- Christmas decorations
- Mince pies
- Boxes of biscuits
- Hot chocolate/boxes of coffee sachets or similar
- Christmas pudding or Christmas cake
- Tinned custard/cream
- Luxury shower gel/Luxury bubble bath/moisturisers
- Shower body scrub/sponge/nail brush/makeup brush set

and/or

- Any other items that you would like to receive in a luxury hamper!





School Christmas Dinner and Party Day

WEDNESDAY 20th DECEMBER 2023

**CHRISTMAS
PARTY**

This is the day when we invite all children to come in non-uniform / party clothes and join with all their friends to have an amazing Christmas dinner (cooked by our Jayne!) and then an afternoon of party games and dancing (with a snack and prizes provided!)

- ** If your child always has school dinners then you do not need to return the slip.
- ** If your child has packed lunches or a mixture of packed lunches and school dinners and would like a school Christmas dinner please send in the reply slip off the letter and pay for it via ParentMail, thank you.

The letter and slip will be sent out today.

CHRISTMAS Lunch

Traditional Roast Turkey with Chipolata Sausage or Roast Quorn Fillet with Vegetarian Sausage served with Sage & Onion Stuffing Roast & Mashed Potatoes Seasonal Vegetables & Gravy

Iced Vanilla Sponge

ORDER FORM FOR Christmas Lunch

Please complete the form and return it to the school by the **Friday 8th December**

Don't complete if your child already stays for lunch or is entitled to free meals.

The cost is **£ 2.50 per child**

Name.....Class No.....

If your child has an allergy or special dietary requirement, please contact your school office to inform them of your child's requirements.

THIS SLIP MUST BE RETURNED BY THE DATE GIVEN ABOVE TO ENABLE THE KITCHEN TO ORDER

If your child would like to join in the fun and they don't currently stay for school meals, please contact your school for payment details.

The school dinner needs to be paid for via **ParentMail. Thank you.**

Lancashire County Council

Something for the weekend. . .

 **PENDLE HIPPODROME
THEATRE** 

Arts, Crafts & Gifts Fair

**Saturday 18th November to
Sunday 26th November 2023**



**Monday to Friday
11.00 am to 6.00 pm**
**Saturdays and Sundays
11.00 am to 5.00 pm**

Entrance £1
FREE catalogue
FREE re-admission all week
Accompanied children under 16 FREE

**Over 70 local Craft Exhibitors
Artists and Gift Ideas
Light lunches, tea and cakes
Food served from 12.00 noon
Licenced bar open throughout**

Pendle Hippodrome Theatre New Market Street Colne Lancs BB8 9BJ
Tel: 01282 863210 Website www.phttheatre.co.uk and Facebook
Registered Charity 513275 Limited Co: 1664358




FESTIVE CRAFT FAIR

Trawden Community Centre
Wednesday 29th November
2-7pm

*Local crafters & creators
Gift shopping
Refreshments & mulled wine available
Raffle, with prizes contributed from all
of our stall holders*

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 **LittleVoices**
Drama & Singing Lessons of Distinction

£25pp
**LIMITED
PLACES**
*SIBLING & LV PUPIL
DISCOUNT
AVAILABLE

Festive Fun Winter Workshops

Join us to enjoy Christmas songs, drama and
crafts to get into the festive spirit

Saturday 2nd December 1-4pm

Saturday 16th December 1-4pm

At Trawden Forest Community Centre BB8 8RZ



Please feel free to wear comfortable
christmassy outfits, and bring a
nut-free snack & drink

**PRE BOOK
YOUR PLACE
TODAY!**

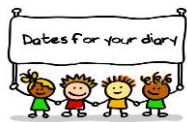


Book either or both sessions

After School Activities

- **Monday** – Karate with Sensei Simon :- weekly 3.30pm – 5.00pm
(Years 1-6) Please contact; enquiries@budokaimartialarts.org for more information.
- **Tuesday** – Kurling Club :- w.b. 7th November for 5 weeks 3.30pm – 4.30pm (Key stage 2 children)
- **Wednesday** – Gardening Club :- w.b. 30th October for 5 weeks
3.30pm - 4.45pm
- **Thursday** – Choir Club :- w.b. 2nd November for 5 weeks 3.30pm – 4.30pm (Key stage 2 children)





Dates for your Diary

- **Tuesday 21st November** – annual non uniform day for PTFA Christmas Hampers – each child to bring **AT LEAST 2 ITEM OR MORE ITEMS** off the list as their fee
 - **Tuesday 5th December** – school choir singing at Trawden Village Christmas Light Switch on
 - **Wednesday 6th and Thursday 7th December** - PTFA Christmas Pop-Up-Shop items between £2.00/£3.00
 - **Wednesday 13th December** – EYFS/KS1 Nativity (letter to follow)
 - **Tuesday 19th December** – *** KS2 School Carol Service @ 6:15pm in St Mary's Church, Trawden – **ALL KS2 CHILDREN ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND**
 - **Wednesday 20th December** – school Christmas dinner day and class party day – non uniform/party clothes to be worn
 - **Thursday 21st December** – Jingle Jog – all children to wear Christmas headgear and bring at least £1 donation to Pendleside Hospice
 - **Thursday 21st December** – Finish for the Christmas holiday
- MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR**
- **Monday 8th January 2024** – start school 8:45am

