

XIS CTU



Dear Parents, Carers, Children and Staff,

Newsletter Date: 22/12/2023



We would like to say a huge well done to all the children in Years 2, 3 4, 5 and 6 for their wonderful Christmas performances this week, they have made our final week at school this term feel very special indeed! I would like to say thank you to all the staff who have made every performance one to remember. Also, a special thanks to Lesley, from All Saints church and our very own Mrs Edwards for helping to make it all happen. It has been a very busy term at Allesley and I know both the children and the staff are looking forward to a well earned break. I wish all our family and friends of Allesley Primary School a wonderful Christmas and all my very best wishes for the New Year!

**Thank you from the PTA** to everyone who helped raise over £4300 this term through the Christmas fete and raffle, Halloween disco, Bag2School clothes collection, Your School Lottery, and buying pre-loved uniform. Your support has funded the fantastic murals on the KS2 playground and in the hall. We're discussing how else PTA funds will be spent this year. If you'd like to get involved in PTA activities we'd love to hear from you. Email <u>allesleyprimarypta@gmail.com</u>.

**Bluebirds** have been busy making handprint Christmas trees and lovely paper chains to decorate the school. We would like to thank everyone for their continued support and for the lovely cards and gifts we received. Merry Christmas and a happy new year. Love from everyone at Bluebirds.

sssshhhhh Room Once again, the Sssssshhhhh Room has been a massive success. The children had so much fun picking gifts for

family and friends and having their gifts wrapped all ready to put under their Christmas Tree. We made over £1034, which we think you will agree is an amazing amount. A big thank you to everyone who donated gifts and to all of the children who visited the

Ssssshhhh Room. We will update you on how the monies will be spent once we have met with the School Council in the new year.

Dinner money As we are at the end of the Autumn term, please make sure your child's dinner money is up to date. Thank you.

**Bluebirds Invoices** Autumn term balance's are available to pay and outstanding balance's for the 2022/23 academic year have been sent home today. Please make payment on Mychildatschool app, If you have any queries please contact the school office in January.

**Casual Lunchtime Supervisor** we are looking to recruit a casual lunchtime supervisor to join our friendly team. If you are interested in the position please contact the school office in January for more information.

Parental controls on new devices over Christmas your child may receive a new electronic device. Please see information on our website or Mychildatschool app to help support setting up parental controls.

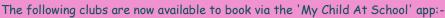
**A huge well done** and thank you to all the children who gave up their own time to perform at 'The All Saints Church' carol service on Sunday. They were an absolute credit to the school and a pleasure to watch and listen to. The choir will now be having a well earned rest until the New Year when they will begin their rehearsals for 'The Royal Albert Hall'

Please be reminded that Monday 8th January 2024 is a Teacher training day and children return to school on Tuesday 9th.



Headteacher





Monday - External provider—Key stage 2- Trampolining

Tuesday - Football - Years 1 & 2 - Mr Johnson - £1-5 sessions (Fully Booked)

Wednesday - External provider—Key stage 2- Nerf Wars

Thursday- Girl's Football - Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 - Mr Knight-  $\pounds 1$  - 5 sessions

Friday - No club's next half term

Starting week beginning 8<sup>th</sup> Jan and ending week beginning 5<sup>th</sup> Feb 24.





## Poppy's thought of the week ...

Wishing you a howling good Christmas may you get everything you barked for, here's to a pawsome 2024



## Attendance

Week 11th — 15th December 2023 Highest Mrs Forde Year 5 class 100% Attendance. Whole school 96%! Our school percentage is above the National average Year 1 The polar express by Chris Van Allsburg recommended by Sadie M
Year 2 The Gingerbread Man by Ladybird books recommended by Cooper
Year 3 Rapunzel by Sarah Gibb recommended by Evie
Year 4 Cat Tales by Linda Newbery recommended by Isla K
Year 5 Varjack Paw by S.F Said recommended by Dan W
Year 6 The Christmas Pig by J K Rowling recommended by lots of Year 6 children!



To everyone that celebrates their Birthday over Christmas

## We hope you enjoy your special day!

Charlie E Year 6 Harley W Year 3 Milo J Year 6 Sebastian P-S Year 6 Jessica B Year 6 Jessie F Year 5 Leonardo N Year 5 James M Year 4 Toby F Rec Alyssa C Year 5 Hal P Year 2 Francesca D Year 1 Kassidy T Year 6 Kirath S Nursery Muci L Year 6 Evangeline N Year 6 Sampson C Nursery



Harry C-L Year 4 David S Year 3 Rosie O Rec Arthur M Year 4 Iris M Year 3 Lola B Year 3 Evie M Year 5 Stas S Year 6



Aaliyah, Aneshka, Ada F, Mabel and Clara H. All took part in a festive procession on their ponies around Allesley Village last Sunday. They helped raise £194.00 for the RSPCA. They saw lots of their school friends from school on route, thankyou to them all for donating!















Our Christmas holiday now is here, and all the children and teachers can cheer. The wrapping now has all been done, and so it's time for lots of fun. Our family will be all together, on Christmas day whatever the weather. And presents will be opened with joy, by lots of smiling girls and boys. The lights will sparkle baubles shine, the Christmas cards stand in a line. Turkeys cooked and mince pies baked, lots of visits we need to make. But the busy time soon will end, and now to spend our time with friends. We hope you all enjoy your break, with lots of chocolate and Christmas cake.

And a happy new year we wish to you, with love and luck the whole year through.











Yesterday, Year 2 designed and made a chair out of paper and tape for our classroom cuddly toys. We looked at which 3-D shapes would be best and tested the stability and strength. Olly the Octopus was very comfortable!



This week, **year 4** completed their Christmas houses and hosted a village light switch on for year 1.



Following our World War II theme this term, **Year 5** created Wartime themed Christmas Cards, we hope you enjoy the holidays!



This week, **Year 3** enjoyed reading 'Harvey Slumfenburger's Christmas Present' and thought of weird and wonderful ideas for what his present could have been using the articles a and an.





**Year 6** enjoyed playing with their electronic games on Wednesday whilst having a few Christmas treats!

Year 1 had so much fun making fruit kebabs as a healthier snack for Santa to have. We hope he likes our ideas.





Nursery children enjoyed their Christmas party we played pass the parcel, musical statues and hunt the reindeer.

We have had lots of fun getting ready for Christmas and enjoying our Christmas party in **Reception** - we hope you all have a great time in the holiday!!