



School News



Friday 4th December 2020

Hello everyone,

Well December is upon us and we are definitely all in the festive spirit, at school and in the community.

Thank you to all who supported our school's Xmas Production last Friday evening. Our kids did a fantastic job led by Mrs Jenny Pickering with support from staff across both sectors as well as her husband, Rob.

We were so grateful for the donations to the various Hampers and would also like to thank SURE, Chandlery and Mrs Selena Lawrence for their contributions towards the prizes.

The winners of the raffle were:

1st Place Food Hamper - Wyatt Leo

Wine Hamper - Mr Anthony Fuster

Beauty Hamper - Miss Jolene Leo

Kiddies Hamper - Kiana Yon-Buckley

Bluetooth Earphones - Ms Lindsay Johnson

Raffle sales and donations at the door came to **£525.00.**

Our Christingle Service was a success and I would like to thank all who took part in this introduction to Advent.





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On Monday morning we were all ready to set off with our Sponsored Walk. We are so grateful to Mr Duncan and his team along with those who allowed us to use the Wide Awake Airfield on this occasion - once again, our kids did us proud. Liana, Nathan and Tarell took the lead throughout and we were very impressed with Zionta (Year 1) who tried so hard to keep up with the leading group.

At this event we raised **£1154.11**. Well done to everyone who made a special effort to collect sponsors. The student who collected the most money was Cohen Roberts with £69.73, well done Cohen!

Year 7 Settling in Parents evening was held on Tuesday 1st Dec. A few parents were unable to attend and this is to remind you that you can make an alternative appointment in the New Year, if you so wish.

Grade cards for Years 8, 9 and 10 will be issued in the New Year followed by Parents Evenings – Dates to be confirmed in January.

Year 11 Mock exams were concluded yesterday. Papers will be marked over the Xmas break and results will be issued in the New Year, along with the Year 11 reports.

HE equipment - Over the past few weeks, students from seniors have borrowed plates, dishes, t-towels, baking sheets and trays. Should you have any of these items at home, please could you encourage your child to return them in the New Year?

Term 2A – Begins 18th January 2021

Just to inform you that for the week commencing 18th January 2021, since we will now have five Primary members of staff with us, **we are allowing Primary children from Reception – Year 6 to come into school** where they will be working through their study packs organised by their class teachers. Senior Students will start Term 2a on the 18th January 2021 as planned and will follow normal timetable, although of course, in the absence of senior teachers, lessons will be covered internally. **Nursery children will start week commencing 25th January 2021.**





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Skittles

The whole school took part in a friendly game of skittles at Two Boats Club on Tuesday 1st December. Results came in as follows:

Dampiers 1st
Cronks 2nd
Elliots 3rd

Highest Score for Dampiers
& overall School Score:
Highest score for Cronks:
Joint Highest Score for Elliots:

Mitchell
Owen
Shon-tay, Rhiann,
Tanzi, Caleb and Zoe.

Thanks to Mrs Crowie for organizing this and to Ms Halden and Mrs Winnie for their help.



The last opening day for the Library will be on Saturday 12th December 1-2pm and will re-open on 23rd January. If you wish to return/borrow a book or DVD over the holidays please contact Mrs Clare Grey on 64570.

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Children's Xmas Party

Yesterday we held the last of our Xmas activities and children ended the day with a BBQ Xmas lunch, followed by a visit of Mother Claus accompanied by Dominic the donkey and her band of merry elves.



Children danced to some Xmas music and were delighted to have their Xmas treat pictured with Mother Claus. Thanks are extended to JAMS for the ordering of selection boxes and to our PTA for funding this event.

Thanks are also extended to Mr Aaron Peters for ensuring Dominic the donkey was road worthy!



Thanks to all staff and students who helped in making the Xmas Party this year a success!

Thank you for supporting Two Boats School throughout the year.
We would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

