

Newsletter 13th December 2024



The Award Winners



Mr. Thomas Award – Harriet Hynam and Layla Thomas
Year 6 – Ollie Thomas and Alice North-Rowlands
Year 5 – Finn Thomas and Jacob Bowen
Year 4 – Jessica Park and Poppy Richards
Year 3 – Willow Palmer and Ava O'Sullivan
Year 2 – Elia McGregor and Evie-Rose Saltmarsh
Year 1 – Maisie-Ivy Surridge and Philipa Westley
Reception – All Reception
Nursery – Lee Snelling and Jake Rees

Learning to Shine

- The **PTA Christmas Raffle** will be drawn on Thursday 19th December with big prizes including a £100 cash prize! Thanks to everyone who has sold tickets. Please remember to keep selling the tickets and more are always available in the school office. **Let's have one more big push**
- Next Thursday, we will be holding our festive '**Carols Around the Quad**' in the Junior building. All the children will gather in the Quad, and the doors for you will open at 1.30pm. The children will start singing at 1.45pm and it should be finished by 2.15pm. You can then take your child / children home to begin the Christmas holidays. However, if you are unable to attend the event, your child / children will be safe with us until the normal pick-up time.
- Also, next Thursday with the **Christmas buffet lunch**, the children can bring a Christmas Cracker to school.
- These are some of the remaining **Christmas events** for next week. The full list is on School Story (dojo).
 - Christmas Jumper day (19th December)
 - 'Break the Rules' Day (16th December) – Year 1 – 6
 - Christmas Buffet lunch (19th December)
 - Carols In the Quad (19th December – 1.30pm doors open) – all Parents and Carers welcome!
 - INSET day (20th December)
- It is important to **contact the school** before 9.30am if your child is going to be off school. You can either call us on 02920 852527 or email us at thetwyschool@sch.caerphilly.gov.uk
- Please make sure that your child does not bring anything to school that **contains nuts**. We have children in school who have severe nut allergies, and it could be extremely dangerous.
- This **Autumn half term finishes** for Christmas on Thursday 19th December. There will be an INSET day on Friday 20th December. The children return to school on Tuesday 7th January 2025. There will be an INSET day on Monday 6th January 2025.
- Our **attendance target is 93%**. This week's attendance champions are 1J with 97.6% attendance. Da iawn Dosbarth 1J.



Have a great weekend,
Lee Thomas



Weekly attendance (week beginning 2/12/24)

