



Wrockwardine Wood C of E Junior School

'Wrockers' Weekly

'Love, Laugh and Learn'

This Half Terms Value — Generosity

Friday 9th December 2022

Experience Christmas Year 5



Well done to year 5, who led a wonderful Christmas Service at Holy Trinity Church this week. Their thoughtful prayers and poems made us all remember the true meaning of Christmas and we thoroughly enjoyed getting into the festive spirit with some of our favourite Christmas songs!

Thank you to everyone for your donations of household items for the class Christmas shoe boxes, which will be given to families in need this festive season.

Christmas Fayre - Tuesday 6th December

At the Christmas fayre on Tuesday, you could play a game called the keyboard, which you had to try a key to try opening a lock. If you did, you would win a prize! If you were unlucky but had some more money, you could have another go, though!

The next game you could go on was the lucky dip, where there was a box full of lovely prizes! The box was covered in confetti, so it was a real surprise! On each stall, there were crafts and decorations that each class from our school had made and we could buy them to take home, each one costing between 50p and £1!

It was a great, fun-filled event and so many families turned up. Thanks to everyone's generosity, we raised £640!

It really got everyone in the Christmas spirit.



Views of the Year 5 children



Dates for your Diary

Monday 12th Dec
Christmas Jumper Day

Year 5 and 6 only
Performance 2pm and 5pm

Tuesday 13th Dec
Christmas Jumper Day

Performance 2pm and 5pm
Year 3 and 4 only

Wednesday 14th
December

Christmas dinner day
Children in all year groups can also wear their Christmas jumpers again

Friday
16th December

Break up normal time

Children to wear normal school uniform

Tuesday 3rd January
2023

PD Day, staff only in school

Wednesday 4th
January

Children return to school—normal time and normal uniform



A special Christmas message from the Eco team.

During the Christmas period, you will probably be opening lots of presents. Please can you think about what you do with the packaging.

Wrapping paper needs to go in the paper recycling. Glasses and bottles from your Christmas parties can be recycled.

Please check your plastic packaging to see if it can be recycled. You may be able to take it to the local tip to be recycled properly.

Unwanted presents can be given to charity shops, or to people in need.

If you go for a walk at Christmas time, please do not leave litter, and if you can, maybe even pick up any litter you come across and take it home to your house and recycle it.

Always remember that the world was given to you to look after. We need to take care of it!

Merry Christmas from Leo, Finley, Charley, Jaxon, Elijah, Lottie-Rae, Penny, Charlie, Danny and Flynn.



Christmas Lunch

If your child would like a Christmas lunch on Wednesday 14th Dec, please make sure you have completed the reply slip and sent it back to school by **Monday 12th**. The lunch **MUST** be ordered in advance even if your child is entitled to free school meals to allow for catering requirements. Here is the link to the letter if your child has not brought one home:

<https://www.wrockwardinewoodjunior.org.uk/media/16623/christmas-lunch-dec-2022.pdf>

Christmas Performances

Virtual tickets have now been allocated for the Christmas performances on Monday 12th Dec 2pm and 5pm (Year5/6) and Tuesday 13th December 2pm and 5pm (Year 3/4). There is a list in the office of all tickets issued and this will be checked off on arrival. For the evening performances, the children need to be back in school by **4:40pm**. Children have been told in their classrooms if they need to wear any particular clothing. The 5/6 **5pm** performance is now fully booked but there are a few tickets available for both the 2pm performances and a very small number for the 3/4 5pm performance. **A PLACE MUST HAVE BEEN BOOKED IN ADVANCE FOR EACH PERSON TO ALLOW FOR FIRE REGULATIONS.**

Please do not arrive at school if you have no tickets as we will not be able to admit you.



Attendance:

Despite being hit hard with seasonal colds and sickness, last week's overall attendance remains steady at **89%**. Final push next week to try and get back above 90% before we enjoy a few weeks rest 😊

In our attendance league, **3B** have regained the title in lower school with an amazing **96.26%** and in upper school we have new leaders: **5H with 94.47%**



**Holy Trinity Church
Wrockwardine Wood
Christmas Musical Extravaganza
and Carols
with Deakin School of Music**
Saturday 10th Dec 7pm
Tickets £5 adults £2.50 Children
available from Church office Monday
to Friday 9:30 till 13:00