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# TATTENHALL PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

Dear Tattenhall Park families,

Friday 29th November, 2024

What a fabulous week we have had - the school has been filled with songs, snowflakes and happiness. Christmas is certainly on the way! The staff and children have been working their socks off to prepare for Christmas productions and you are definitely in for a treat!







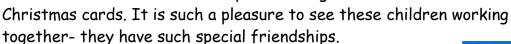


Tonight, we heard our wonderful choir serenade the tractors- a particularly special moment was the last song with Tattenhall choir, who performed the

song in Makaton with the children. A big thank you to Miss Holland for preparing such a super song list. It was amazing to see so many of our children and families driving their tractorswe even had one pupil who made a John Deere tractor of his own, especially for the event!



This week, Year 6 visited **Gifford Lea** to complete their sewing. The bags they have created are really well made and we have lots more exciting projects, with other year groups, to look forward to with the residents of Gifford Lea. Year 6 have also spent time with their buddies in Reception making



On Thursday, we completed the **new signage** at the front of school. There is still a little Coco hedgehog panel to come and we will also be working on some signage outside Squirrels after Christmas.

Governor Elections We are delighted to share with you that Pete Brown (our current Chair of Governors) and Becky Wright have been re-elected as Parent governors. Ruth Morgan, our LA governor has also successfully applied for another term on our governing body. Their work is instrumental to the development of our school and we are thrilled that they will be continuing to support our staff team and parental community.







#### School Meals

Just a gentle reminder that, ordering meals in advance would really help Leeanne, our superstar cook. She is finding it tricky to cook the right amount of meals and this can cause wastage of food.

#### School Uniform

Please could you ensure your child is wearing the correct school uniform. Some children have been wearing hoodies and long-sleeved tops under their polo shirts, instead of wearing jumpers. We have lots of spare uniform in the entrance area and would love families to take some if their child has lost their school jumper.

## Dates for your diary!

To celebrate Christmas, our staff have planned two very special after school events for you.



## An Evening with an Elf

On Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 can attend an after school festive storytelling session with an Elf (and some other festive guests). During this event, they will also take part in some Christmas crafts and have a singing and hot chocolate/marshmallow session around the Wildery campfire.



# All Aboard the Polar Express

On Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December, children in Years 3,4, 5 and 6 can board the Polar Express at 3.15pm, for an evening of lantern making, film watching, Christmas singing and hot chocolate around the Wildery camp fire.

### Both bookable on Parent Pay

#### Christmas Dates for your diary...

Squirrels Nursery and Reception Nativity: Tuesday 3rd December at 2pm & Wednesday 4th December at 9:30am

Year 1 & 2 Christmas performance: Wednesday 4th December at 2pm & Thursday 5th December at 2pm

Year 3 & 4 Christmas Performance: Wednesday 11th December at 6pm & Thursday 12th December at 1:30pm

Whole School Christmas Dinner Day and Christmas Jumper Day in aid of Save The Children: Friday 13th December.

Year 5 & 6 Christmas Service at St Albans Church: Wednesday 18th December at 2pm and 6pm.

Early Years and Key Stage 1 Christmas Party: Friday 20th December (Children to wear party clothes).

Key Stage 2 Christmas Party: Thursday 19th December

School closes: Friday 20th December at 3:15pm.

