

PEAR TREE SCHOOL

NEWTLETTER

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Christmas is well underway at Pear Tree and the next few weeks are only going to get more exciting and even busier. Thank you to Mr Langley for donating the Christmas tree.

Over the past two weeks, opportunities for the children have seen the choir visit the museum, sporting events including football and sportshall athletics, the PTA Quiz Night, Nativity practises, swimming, a Shakespeare launch and World War 2 day. As always, the children have all been amazing and have really shown what it means to 'be a pear'.

We recognise that at this time of year there is a lot going on but as ever, we value your help and support with all that you do for us as a school

Sports

Over the past two weeks, 50 children have represented Pear Tree at sports events.

- Our Year 5/6 Girls Football Team played brilliantly in a tournament at the Crewe Alex Soccer Centre.
- Year 3-6 Sportshall Athletics took place at Brine Leas with both track and field events. The Y3/4 team and Y5/6 team both came in 2nd place!

<u>Choir</u>

The school choir visited Nantwich Museum this week to sing some Christmas Carols. Included in the hits was Frosty the Snowman, Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer, The Twelve Days of Christmas and also Sparkle & Shine from Nativity!

<u>PTA</u>

Last Friday, the PTA ran the Christmas Quiz. With 11 teams competing across 6 rounds, questions were asked about general knowledge, sport, picture rounds and of course, Christmas! Well done to all teams who took part with the overall winners, The Christmas Crackers, scoring 54.5 out of 60! Thank you to the PTA, everyone who took part, those who donated raffle prizes and all who supported the event.

Christmas Parties

The week commencing 16th December sees each class have a Christmas party. On their day, they can come in their own clothes. The dates are below.

- Yellow Class Tuesday 17th December
- Green Class Wednesday 18th December
- Blue Class Wednesday 18th December
- Orange and Indigo Class Thursday 19th December
- Red and Violet Class Thursday 19th December

Christmas Events

There are plenty of other events happening in the lead up to Christmas too!

- KS2 Christmas Carol Concert Wednesday 11th December at St Mary's Church please arrive at 5:45pm ready for a 6pm start.
- Christmas Jumper Day Thursday 12th December
- Elf Run Day Friday 13th December Wear PE kit to school, elf hat will be provided. Please see sponsor envelope, each class will take part during the day.
- Year 6 Primary Carols at St Mary's Church Friday 13th December 11am
- KS1 Nativity Monday 16th December 1.30pm and 6pm at Pear Tree Primary. An email will follow.
- Blue, Indigo, Violet @ New Vic Theatre Tuesday 17th December 10.30am
- Red, Orange, Yellow, Green @ Lyceum Theatre Wednesday 18th December 10.30am
- Christmas Lunch / Special Visitor Thursday 19th December
- Finish for Christmas Friday 20th December. Return Monday 6th January

PTA Wrapping Night

Monday 9th December please join the PTA at Cronkinsons Farm from 7.00pm for a Christmas drink - all welcome but bringing some sellotape might be handy!

Mince Pies and Coffee

We would like to invite you into Pear Tree before the KS1 Nativity on Monday 16th December for Mince Pies and Coffee/Tea. All are welcome to join us from 5:15pm. Children are welcome to join you before they go to classrooms at 5:45pm but refreshments are for adults only.

This is an open invite for all – whether your child is in KS1 or KS2. We will then tick off those then staying for the KS1 Nativity.

We hope you can join us!

Mr Perry's hours at Pear Tree

Next week (w/c 9th December), Mr Perry will be at Pear Tree on Monday and Thursday mornings, as well as all day on Wednesday.

Thank you once again for your continued support of the school and we can't wait to share in all things Christmas with you.

Mr Greasby & Mr Perry