



# Culcheth Community Primary School

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

7<sup>th</sup> December 2018



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## St Rocco's – Beanie toys for sale

We are collecting donations for St Rocco's. Please purchase 'beanie toys' from the school office. The recommended donation is £2. Thank you

## Rotary Shoebox Thank you!

We received a whopping 44 shoeboxes this year. They will be sent overseas to help families who may have very little or nothing in the way of gifts at Christmas so THANK YOU for your generosity!

## Nut free school

We have children in school with severe nut allergies. We do not allow any kind of nuts in school at all to ensure that the well-being of the children with allergies is safeguarded.

Thank you for helping us to keep all of our children healthy and safe

## KS1 Christmas Show

Tickets are now on sale from the office for performances on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> Dec – 2pm and 6pm, Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> Dec – 2pm. Prices are £2 per person, maximum of 2 tickets per child. Thank you

## Trips / Events:

### **This week**

- Decoration Day on 6/12
- Bauble competition on 6/12
- Christmas Fair on 7/12

### **Next Week**

- Yr1 to Priestley College on 11/12
- Choir singing at Bents on 13/12

## Christmas fun

**Decoration Day** – thank you to so many parents for attending Decoration Day and working alongside your children. The children enjoyed wearing Christmas jumpers and we appreciate the generous tombola prizes!

Thank you also to all the children who made fabulous Christmas baubles! The winners were:

R – Faith  
Yr 1 – Nancy  
Yr 2 – Finley  
Yr 3 – Faith  
Yr 4 – Miley  
Yr 5 – Kyle  
Yr 6 – Faye

**Christmas Fair** - thank you for your support in ensuring our Christmas Fair was a great success again this year.

## Water bottles

Can you please ensure your child has their water bottle with them in school at all times. We are trying to reduce the use of plastic in school and do not provide single use cups. Thank you

### Final cross country

It's the final cross country race on Saturday at Walton Gardens. Good luck to all our runners, we always have a fantastic turn out. Meet at the bridge at 10am.

### Car park

Please use the designated car park. If there are no spaces available, please park on Shaw Street and not on the grass verges.

Please leave the designated disabled spaces for genuine users.

Take care when crossing the path and always use the zebra crossing. Thank you

### STEM Club

Young Engineers after-school Club will start on 8<sup>th</sup> January 2019 for 6 weeks at a cost of £42 per child.

Children will construct a range of projects including: Balloon powered cars, vibrating bugs, electronic pocket torches, helicopters and slime. All projects can be taken home.

Register online at [www.stemkids.co.uk](http://www.stemkids.co.uk)

Places are limited therefore first come first served basis. Please register asap!

### Maths Whizz

1<sup>st</sup> place: JJ, Year 2  
2<sup>nd</sup> place: Owen, Year 4  
3<sup>rd</sup> place: Finley, Year 2

### Attendance – w/e 7<sup>th</sup> December 2018

Reception	96.8%
Year 1	97.1%
Year 2	96.8%
Year 3	93.5%
Year 4	93.2%
Year 5	96.6%
Year 6	96.7%
<b>Average</b>	<b>95.8%</b>
Reward when average is 97.5% or more	

### Diary Dates

11/12	Y1 Change for Life
13/12	Choir singing at Bents
18/12	Y3 Change for Life
18/12	KS1 Production 2pm
18/12	KS1 Production 6pm
19/12	KS1 Production 2pm
20/12	Choir singing at Golden Square
21/12	<b>School closes for Christmas 2.15pm</b>
7/1	School opens for the Spring term

### Commended Awards

**The following children have been commended – well done!**

**Reception:** Leighton

**Year 1:** Connie, Riley, Evie M

**Year 2:** Jacob-James, Jack, Finley

**Year 3:** Josh, Zack

**Year 4:** Maison, Owen, Charlie

**Year 5:** Sam, Mia, Alfie, Kyle

**Year 6:** Whole class !

### Junior Parkrun

Everyone is invited to participate in the 3<sup>rd</sup> anniversary park run at Orford Jubilee Hub at 9am. Our school is currently in 4<sup>th</sup> place for the most races completed by a team. Come along, it's free!! You do need to register and print off your bar code. Remember to put Culcheth Community Primary as your running team. Mrs Rodgers looks forward to seeing you there!!

<http://www.parkrun.org.uk/warrington-juniors/>

### Digital Crafts workshop

Livewire are running Digital Craft workshops on 8<sup>th</sup> December at Warrington Library and 9<sup>th</sup> December at Orford Library from 12-1pm and 1-2pm, both events are free.