



Bradleys Both Community Primary School

Friday News

6th December 2024



Dear Children, Parents and Staff,

Sshhhhhhhh! It's been Present Room week at Bradleys Both this week! Every member of our school has had the experience of visiting the Christmas Present Room this week to buy, choose and wrap a gift for someone special at home. Thank you to our team of Friends and Parents who have supported this event and helped to re-stock the room and support the children with their gift wrapping.

I expect there may be a few special presents under the Christmas tree this year. Many thanks to everyone who has helped with donations and in running this opportunity for the children.



Eco Class 5 Owl Experience



Eco Class 5 welcomed Chris, along with four owls from SMJ Falconry in Oxenhope to school on Monday. The visit was arranged as part of the children's learning in Science about nocturnal animals. This follows on from investigations in school of nighttime callers to the school grounds using a night vision camera trap. The members of Eco Class 5 were able to handle and fly the owls under Chris' careful direction. They investigated owl pellets and looked at the contents of the bones to identify what they had eaten. Everyone asked great questions and learned a lot from their experience. The four different breeds of owl were magnificent.

Christmas Fair

Please join us at school on **MONDAY 9TH DECEMBER** between **5.00pm and 7.00pm** for this year's Friends Christmas Fair. There will be refreshments, games, activities, chocolate tombola, bottle tombola and even Santa has confirmed that he will be making a guest appearance. We look forward to seeing everyone joining the festive fun and helping to support our school's fundraising. The star prize of this year's raffle is a ... Nintendo Switch bundle! See you Monday evening!



Christmas Performances & Dress Rehearsals

We are well underway with our Christmas performance rehearsals and really impressed by the children's efforts in learning their lines and singing their songs. We hope that you will be able to join us for one of their performances. This year we will be opening our dress rehearsals for any grandparents or family members to attend. The dress rehearsals are planned for the following dates:

- **Tuesday 10th December 9.15am Rainforest Class 2 Dress Rehearsal** - please arrive from 9am and wait at the Brads rear entrance
- **Tuesday 10th December 10.15am Ocean Class 1 Dress Rehearsal** - access will be through the car park gate which will be unlocked at 10.00am. Entry after 10.15am will be through the main front door only.
- **Friday 13th December 9.15am Polar Class 3, Climate Class 4 & Eco Class 5 Dress Rehearsal** - please arrive from 9am and wait at the Brads rear entrance.
- **Ocean Class 1 Performance** - **Wednesday 11th December** - arrive 2.15pm for 2.30pm start through the car park gates and enter through Brads Club rear entrance.

- **Rainforest Class 2 Performance** - Thursday 12th December - arrive 2.15pm for 2.30pm start through the car park gates and enter through Brads Club rear entrance.
- **Polar Class 3, Climate Class 4 & Eco Class 5 Afternoon Performance** - Monday 16th December - arrive 1.45pm for 2.00pm start through the car park gates and enter through Brads Club rear entrance.
- **Polar Class 3, Climate Class 4 & Eco Class 5 Evening Performance** - Tuesday 17th December - arrive 5.45pm for 6.00pm please enter through the playground Hall door. **Please understand that tickets for the evening performance are strictly limited to two tickets per family** due to the capacity of the hall. Thank you.

This year's Key Stage 2 performance is an Old Time Music Hall and we really hope our audiences will both '**dress to impress**' and join in with some **audience participation and singing**. Don't forget your flat caps and feather boas! Everyone has worked incredibly hard and we all, hope you will enjoy being part of the performance fun!

School Christmas Dinner

Please book your child's school Christmas dinner on SchoolGrid. Our Christmas dinner is being held on **Thursday 19th December**. It is important that all bookings have been received by **Friday 13th December** to enable our school cook, Scott to order enough food. Thank you in advance.

Dates for your diaries

Autumn Term 2024

9.12.2024	Friends Christmas Fair 5-7pm
10.12.2024	9.15am C2 Dress Rehearsal & 10.15am C1 Dress Rehearsal for grandparents, extended family and local community
11.12.2024	2.30pm Ocean Class 1 Nativity Performance
12.12.2024	2.30pm Rainforest Class 2 Christmas Performance
13.12.2024	9.15am Polar Class 3, Climate Class 4 & Eco Class 5 Performance Dress rehearsal for grandparents, extended family and local community
16.12.2024	2pm Class 3, Class 4 & Class 5 Performance
17.12.2024	6pm Class 3, Class 4 & Class 5 Performance - initially two tickets per family due to capacity
19.12.2024	8.40am Christmas Sing-along Round Mr Rogers' Piano
19.12.2024	School Christmas Dinner
20.12.2024	Break up for Christmas holidays

Spring Term 2025

6.1.2025	Staff Inset Training Day
7.1.2025	Children return to school
27.1.2025	Bags 2 School collection for Friends

I can not believe there are only 18 more sleeps to go until the big day is here! We are certainly starting to get excited in the Rogers' household!

I would like to wish you all a happy and safe weekend

Kind regards

Mr B Rogers

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WOW Awards of the Week



Ocean Class 1	Wolf & Miles
Rainforest Class 2	Una
Polar Class 3	George T
Climate Class 4	Louie
Eco Class 5	Millie & Harry