



## Bradleys Both Community Primary school

Friday 17th December 2021



Dear Children, Parents and Staff,

Well, everyone we got to the end of term! Our Autumn term at school has been full of exciting learning, fun and hard work. In all my years of teaching I think this last term has been one of the most challenging with the ongoing pressures and impacts of Covid on all of us. So much goes on in a day at school and I am so grateful to work with the Bradleys Both staff team who have once again been amazing in making each and every day workable.

Our children have been wonderful in their approach to school life and towards each other. They have been resilient and shown us all how to approach each day positively, remembering to support one another as part of our whole school family. I am proud of the way our school has managed this term and the way in which our children have grown and progressed. Well done everyone!

### Class Christmas Assemblies

A big well done to each of our classes for their hard work in sharing their Christmas assemblies over these last two weeks. It was great to be able to share these with those parents who were able to join us. We appreciate everyone's understanding in following our protective measures to enable these to go ahead. Many thanks for your lovely emails and feedback received.

### Sports Partnership Basketball Competition

Our Sports Coach, Jonny shared the results of our inter-school basketball competition this week, announcing our in-school winners who were:

In Key Stage 1 - Bronze - Rory, Silver - Henry, Gold - Xander  
In Years 3 and 4 - Bronze - Eadie, Silver - Arthur, Gold - Reuben  
In Years 5 and 6 - Bronze - Summer, Silver - Lillah, Gold - Noah

In competing against the other local schools in and around Craven, I am proud to announce that the following children were awarded medals. A very special congratulations go to:

- **Xander in Class 2 won Bronze medal** in the overall competition with other local schools
- **Reuben in Class 3 won Bronze medal** in the overall competition with other local schools
- Noah in Class 4 won Bronze medal** in the overall competition with other local schools

Our Year 5/6 combined total scored second place and was very close to winning the trophy! Well done everyone for taking part and for representing our school so well.

Jonny runs a lunchtime sports club for classes on Mondays and Wednesdays and next half term will be involving our children in another inter-school sporting competition as part of the local School's Sports Partnership.

### Charity

Thank you to Class 3 and Class 4 who have made Christmas cards to support the 'Skipton Step Into Action' Charity this Christmas. This charity was founded by one of our parents in school and are organising a lovely Christmas lunch for local people and everyone will receive one of the children's Christmas cards sending Christmas wishes. We wish everyone a very Happy Christmas!

Congratulations to Millie in class 2 for winning a £5 Amazon voucher from Dolce after picking up the lucky tray! We would like to also say a huge thank you to Leanne and Nikola from Dolce for serving a wonderful Christmas dinner today.

End of term

The Christmas holidays are a time for us all to enjoy time with our families and I wish everyone a happy and safe time at home. Please take care of each other and keep yourselves safe.

Staff return to school on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2022 for a staff professional training day and the children return to school on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2022.

Now children, don't forget to get to sleep nice and early on Christmas Eve. I will have my stocking hung up along with Matilda and Henry's hoping and wishing that I've made it on the good list this year. I hope you have a wonderful family day and enjoy yourselves. Remember to look after the grown-ups at home over the holidays and we will all look forward to seeing you back at school in 2022!

Wishing you all a very merry Christmas and Happy New Year 2022.

Kindest regards  
Mr Barry Rogers

