

Weekly Newsletter

Coleshill C of E Primary School and Nursery

Inspiring our children to flourish and enjoy **'Life in all its fullness'** (John 10:10)

BDMAT Birmingham Diocesan Multi-Academy Trust

It's beginning to look a lot like

Christmas!

The PTA have brought Christmas a little closer this week now that the Christmas Tree is up and looking splendid.

The tree is decorated with all of the entries to the PTA Christmas tree decorations competition.

Well done to everyone who entered the competition and below are our list of winners chosen by our very own local



Upcoming Diary Dates:

10th December—Junior Panto

12th December—Christmas Event

17th December—Christmas Service Y2 2pm (at church)

18th December—Christmas Dinner

18th December - R & Y1 Nativity Performance 9.30 & 2.15pm (at school)

19th December—Nursery Christmas Performance 9.15am (at school)

19th December—KS2 Christmas Service 2pm & 6pm (at church)

20th December—End of term 1:30pm

councillor, George. So congratulations to...

N	Arabella	3P	Beau H-R
RM	Ava Mai E	3J	Logan B
RJ	Henri T	4G	Ava B
1JO	Billy M-S	4M	Millie W
1W	Danny G	5FH	Beatrice B
2R	Robbie I	5C	Lacey B
2M	Belle B	6J	Reece R

This Week's House Points			
1st	**Pandas**	442	
2nd	Giraffes	416	
3rd	Leopards	382	
4th	Elephants	373	



Attendance

This week's attendance has been 92.7%. Obviously this has been greatly impacted by the sickness bug that has gone around. Thank you to parents who have helped us manage the spread by keeping children off school for the recommended period.

We look forward to healthier times as we approach Christmas and to attendance returning to normal levels very shortly.

2019-20 Whole School attendance to date 96.1%



Top three classes this week; 1JO (98.7%), 6J (97.2%) & 4G (96%) Classes above 96%

Classes below 96%

6B (95%), RM (93.5%), 3J (93.3%), 3P (92.9%), 2M (92.8%), 2R (92.7%), 1W (92.1%), 5C (91.4%) 5FH (90.3%)

6B (89.2%), 4M (87.7%), RJ (86.4%)

Journey to the Stable

Y2 children were privileged to experience a journey to the stable this week. They visited Southfields Farm where the Open the Book group gave children the chance to imagine themselves on a trip back through the ages to the time of Jesus' birth.







Coleshill Primary School PTA CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

STAR PRIZE £225 Family Fortnum and Mason Hamper kindly donated by Coleshill Mortgages

Other prizes include Car Drift Experience, Photoshoot, Meal for 2 at Hilton Metropole, Planters Voucher, Planters Sky Trail Voucher, Bowling for 6 and many more still to come.



Please continue to return your raffle tickets by 12th December. If you need more tickets please ask your class teacher or the school office.



Applications for Free School Meals: Message from the Local Authority

Please advise parents to <u>apply online</u> using the following link <u>www.warwickshire.gov.uk/</u> freeschoolmeals or **by phone** via the customer service centre on **01926 359189**.

These methods of application are quick, easy and allow parents to utilise their existing account set up initially to apply for a school place. Over 95% of Warwickshire parents apply for a school place through the online facility, and it was decided to incorporate other services through the online portal, this now includes:

- 2 year nursery funding
- School places, i.e starting school, changing school and moving onto secondary school
- Registration for the 11+ selection test
- Apply for free schools meals







Decorate and fill a jar with sweets to be sold at the Christmas Grotto and Market.



The jar can be decorated in any way you like but it must be all your own work!

The decorated jar which is judged to be the best in each class will win a prize. Please remember to label the jam jar with your name and class.

Bring your jar in on 10th December 2019.

THANKYOU and GOOD LUCK!

PTA





Bring your Family to

Carols at the Stable



with Coleshill Town Band and the animals in the barn

at

Southfields Farm 4pm Sunday 8th December

wrap up warm, hot drinks to follow



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