

# **COLESHILL C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL PTA**

## **NEWSLETTER & CHRISTMAS BONANZA**

### **INFORMATION**

**We all know Christmas 2020 will look a little different but we have been on a mission to make it lots of fun for all!**

#### **CHRISTMAS BONANZA WEEK**

The last week of term will be a celebration of Christmas fun and festivities, and although some of the finer details need to be confirmed, will look a little something like this.

Monday – Christmas crafts

Tuesday – Panto day

Wednesday – Christmas lunch and Christmas jumper day

Thursday – Class Christmas parties & A Grotto Surprise!

Friday – Christmas Raffle Draw



#### **Christmas Crafts**

The PTA have funded classroom Christmas trees so all the classes can get in to the festive spirit. We are also funding Christmas crafts so that the children will be able to make decorations to hang on their class tree. They will also be making calendars for 2021.

#### **Pantomime**

This year we are bringing a pantomime to children in their class bubbles. Classes will get the chance to stream “Jack and the Beanstalk” bought to us by Panto Online and Peter Duncan (for those parents old enough to remember him on Blue Peter!). This has been funded by the PTA.

Children can bring in a small bar of chocolate or sweets in a sealed pack, these are not to be shared.

If your class group is isolating we will make sure you don't miss out and will provide a link so you can watch this at home.

### **Christmas Lunch Day & Christmas Jumper Day**

Children are welcome to come to school wearing Christmas jumpers or any festive attire. If you have PE on this day please make sure your outfit is suitable. There is no need to buy anything special, you can always get creative with tinsel!

You will have already have selected and paid (where applicable) for school Christmas lunch.

### **Class Christmas Parties & Special Visit**

Each class will hold their own parties, more information about this will follow. The PTA are very excited to be bringing a special guest in to school to spread a little Christmas cheer. All children will receive a Christmas gift.

### **Christmas Raffle**

In a break away from our traditional raffle, this year every child will receive free entry in to our Christmas Raffle.

We would like to thank Phil Salinas of Coleshill Mortgages for sponsoring our two hampers. His support is greatly appreciated in enabling us to offer this raffle for free.

Prizes are: Harrods Tea for Two Hamper, Cadbury Chocolate Hamper & a voucher for Sky Trail at Planters Garden Centre.

We hope to live stream the raffle draw in to each classroom and to parents via the school Facebook page.

### **Other news**

**Harvest Festival Donations** – We would like to thank all parents who made a donation via ParentPay. We have raised an amazing £295.00 which is being donated to Kingfisher Foodbank.

**Bag2school** – We have a twice yearly collection of second hand clothes, bags, shoes etc. Each child will be given a plastic charity bag to take home and the PTA are paid by Bags 2 School based on the weight of donations. The date for the next collection is **Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> December** and bags and a letter have been sent home. You can also use a bin bag if you have additional donations or haven't received a bag.

**The PTA would like to thank all parents for their ongoing support.**

**We would like to wish you all a very Happy Christmas.**

