



Great Bradfords

INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL

Headteacher: Mrs Anita Easton

Celebration Awards Friday 13th December 2019

Jet	Amelia R, Elliot
Topaz	Jude, Sophie
Amethyst	Jake, Finlay
Opal	Pokerani, Kyan
Diamond	Autumn, Sophia
Sapphire	Millie, Cody
Emerald	Archie
Ruby	Oliver
Moonstone	Charlie

Year 2 Fire Safety Talk

A Fire Safety Officer visited year 2 today to talk to them about keeping safe in the event of a fire.

"Firefighters wear an oxygen mask so they do not breathe in the gas and get poorly. They also wear a special suit so they don't get burnt. If there was a fire in a really tall building they might use their ladder to get you out." By Sienna and Jude (Topaz Class).



Christmas Lunch

Thank you to the kitchen staff at the junior school for cooking us a delicious Christmas lunch on Wednesday. The juniors will be having their Christmas lunch next Wednesday so the hot lunch here will be chilli con carne with a

tortilla wrap or a cold option of a cheese wrap, dessert will be a smoothie. Thank you.

Carols in the Playground

We would like to invite parents and carers to come in to school to listen to the children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 sing Christmas carols. These are the carols the children will be singing in St Peter's Church on Wednesday. **Please come in from 2.30pm on Tuesday 18th December.** The children will be singing in front of Amethyst classroom on the main playground. After the singing children will return to class where parents/carers can collect them as normal.

Save the Children

Thank you to everyone for giving money to our Christmas Jumper Day appeal. We have sent the charity a cheque for £149.97.

After School Reading

The days are as follows:

Reception: Every day

Year 1: Monday, Wednesday, Friday

Year 2: Monday, Thursday, Friday

All sessions run from 2.55pm until 3.15pm.

We hope this will enable more of you to come

along and read with your child.



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Attendance and Punctuality

Well done to Topaz and Jet classes for the best attendance of 98.3%. The classes with 100% punctuality was Sapphire, Jet, Moonstone and Ruby.



Tidy Classroom

Topaz class won the award for tidy classroom this week. Well done everyone.



100 Key Words

A very well done to Jonathan S in Ruby class for successfully reading his 100 key words. We are very proud of you.

Lions Club Float

Keep an eye out for the Lions Club float tonight and Monday. They will be going round the estate with Father Christmas and his sleigh collecting money for Great Bradfords PTFA.

Library Events

Braintree library is hosting a number of events over Christmas.

Winter Reading Challenge running 2nd December-13th January (online mini version of our Summer Reading Challenge)

Christmas Themed Rhyme Time Sessions Tuesday 17th, Wednesday 18th, Thursday 19th and Saturday 21st December featuring a special guest

Christmas Craft Event Saturday 21st December 2pm-4pm

Our ongoing Construction Club every Saturday 2pm-4pm

Books for School

If you read The Sun and The Sun on Sunday, please collect and bring in to school the book tokens they will be publishing between Saturday 23rd November and Saturday 18th January. Once we have collected 3,500 tokens we will receive a box of more than 100 books for FREE. The books will be sent to school in March 2020.



Diary Dates

13.12.19 & 16.12.19	Braintree Lions Christmas Float in local area collecting money for Great Bradfords PTFA	6.30-9.00pm (approx.)
17.12.19	Children in reception, year1 and year 2 sing carols to parents/carers in the playground	2.30pm
18.12.19	Children sing carols at St Peter's Church	AM
19.12.19	Break Up for Christmas	3.00pm
6.1.20	Back to School	8.45am

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