

# STAINDROP MERCURY

## 21st November 2022

### Good Samaritans of the Week



**EYFS - Daisy** for making some excellent, wise choices this week. ★

**Year 1 - The Whole Class**, for excellent behaviour and listening on our trip to Bowes Museum. 😊

**Year 2 - Violet**, for wonderful effort in all areas of school. ★

**Year 3 - Noah**, for determination to improve his handwriting! 😊

**Year 4 - Grace**, for being a good friend and a good all round member of the class. ★

**Year 5 - Jack**, for putting 100% into everything he has done this week! 😊

**Year 6 - Dominic**, for being an expert in history. Thank you for sharing your knowledge. ★

**Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper Day**  
Friday 9th December is Christmas Lunch and also Christmas Jumper Day. If your child usually brings a packed lunch but would like to have a School Christmas Lunch please let the school office know by Friday 25th November.

**Christmas Service Friday 9th December**  
Please join us at St Marys Church at 1:30pm. Children can be taken home after the service or they can attend Football Club which will be running that night.

| ATTENDANCE |       |
|------------|-------|
| Rec.       | 94.7% |
| Class 1    | 98.3% |
| Class 2    | 91.6% |
| Class 3    | 95.9% |
| Class 4    | 94.8% |
| Class 5    | 95.9% |
| Class 6    | 96.7% |

**Friday 16th December**  
Please note that as we break up on Friday the 16th December there will be no after school clubs that night.

**Attendance Award: Year 1**  
Whole school attendance : 95.4%

#### Marvellous Maths Award

- EYFS - Conrad
- Year 1 - Emily
- Year 2 - Lottie
- Year 3 - Elodie
- Year 4 - Josh
- Year 5 - Robin
- Year 6 - Nathan

#### Marvellous Reading Award

- EYFS - Mia
- Year 1 - Lexi
- Year 2 - Dillon
- Year 3 - Arian
- Year 4 - Madison
- Year 5 - Lola
- Year 6 - Bas

#### Diary Dates

- Termly Parents Report Sent Home - Thurs 24th Nov.
- Flu Immunisations - Monday 5th Dec
- EYFS and Y1 Nativity - 2pm Tues 6th Dec
- EYFS and Y1 Nativity - 10am Weds 7th Dec
- Christmas Lunch - Fri 9th Dec
- Christmas Jumper Day - Fri 9th Dec
- Church Christmas Service - 1.30pm Fri 9th Dec
- Whole school panto The Witham - Thurs 15th Dec
- No after school club - Friday 16th December
- Break up for Christmas - Friday 16th December
- Return to School after Christmas - Weds 4th Jan

#### FLU VACCINATIONS

The Nasal Flu Immunisation Team will be visiting school on Monday 5th Dec. If you would like your child/ren to receive the vaccination, please follow the link below to give your consent.  
[https://www.hdftsais.co.uk/Forms/Flu\\_school\\_code\(HD114226\)](https://www.hdftsais.co.uk/Forms/Flu_school_code(HD114226))

#### Christmas Parties

Our School Christmas Parties will be held in our Forest again this year. Further information will be sent out via Class Dojo.

#### Christmas Pantomime

This year we are taking the whole school to the pantomime at The Witham Barnard Castle on Thursday 15th December during the school day. The cost of the trip is £8 per child which will go towards the tickets and transport costs. Consent and payment can be made via your ParentPay account.  
Thank you

*Through God's love, we are the rich soil where roots grow and seeds flourish.*  
Luke 8:4-15