# WOODCROFT WEEKLY

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Families are invited to ...

#### **Year 2 Festive Shows**

Tuesday 3rd at 2.15pm Wednesday 4th at 9.30am

#### **Year 1 Festive Shows**

Thursday 5th at 2.15pm Friday 6th at 9.30am

## **Nursery & Reception Shows**

Tuesday 10th at 2.15pm Wednesday 11th at 9.30am

#### **Little Oaks Party**

Thursday 12th (this is also the last session)

## Year 6

## **WWII Christmas Experience**

Friday 13th from 9.30am to 11.00

#### **Christmas Lunch**

Thursday 12th

#### Winter Ball

Monday 9th Tickets on sale

#### **Twitter**



## **PSHE Theme**

In school we are thinking about.

**Advent** 



### **Autumn Music Concerts**



The Woodcroft musicians have had a busy two weeks showcasing their talents in a series of concerts. We started with our string musicians on Thursday 21st who performed a rich programme of music which displayed the incredible progress all our cellists and violinists have made this term. On Monday we moved onto our Year 3s who learn ukulele as a whole class. After only nine lessons they performed 3

chords and eight songs with passion and confidence! Our concerts for this term were brought to a close by our incredible brass and woodwind musicians who performed on Friday morning. Congratulations to all our young musicians for all their hard work this term, and thank you to our fantastic tutors from BEAT (Barnet Education Arts Trust) for all their efforts in supporting Woodcroft music.



Miss Sherring

# **Primary Maths Challenge Results**



The results of the Primary Maths Challenge are in! A huge well done to all the pupils who took part in the challenge - you really persevered and took the challenge seriously. Every Woodcroft pupil managed to solve some of these extra tricky problems and your positive attitudes made the morning so enjoyable. The final placings are as follows:

Bronze awards: Maya, Olivier and Dalo (Year 5) & Said and Dawid (Year 6)

Silver awards: Yash and Ethan (Year 6) Gold awards: Felix and Lugman (Year 6)

We have also received the exciting news that Felix and Lugman's top scores have qualified them both for the PMC National Finals in February 2020!

This is a real achievement; last year over 67,000 of the nations top primary school mathematicians took part in the challenge, but only 3% qualified! A huge congratulations to the boys, we wish you luck for February... get practising!

Miss Maynard



## **Christmas Book Fair**

Thank you to everyone for supporting our school Book Fair. We sold £800 of books, enabling us to get £420 FREE books for our library! Special Thanks to Mrs Smith and Miss Mercer who volunteer to run our School Book Fair every year! Miss Llovd



## **Christmas Cards**



We shall be putting out the Christmas Post Box on Monday 2nd December. It can be found in the main entrance. We ask that all cards are distributed using the post box as children are not allowed to hand them out during the school day. Please put envelopes in bins we don't want to find them littering the playground or streets.

## Winter Ball Disco - Monday 9th December 2019

Tickets are now on sale for our Winter Ball Disco on Monday 9th December, take a look at the flyer with today's news and book your child's place using School Money.

3.15pm to 4.30pm Y1 to Y3 Winter Ball Y4 to Y6 Winter Ball £3.00 5.15pm to 6.30pm

Entrance to the Winter Ball will be by pre-booking only. It is important to tell us how your child will make their way home after the disco, so please return the consent form as well.

Nursery and Reception will have their very own Winter Bop between 2.15 pm to 3.00pm



# **Travel to Tokyo - Competition Finale!**



This is the last weekend for our Woodcroft Travel to Tokyo Class Competition! You have all done extremely well, increasing your daily activity and logging it on the Olympic Get Set website. Mr Tallon will be now collating the final scores - so make sure you have added all of your exercise to increase your team's total. The final positions will be announced in next week's newsletter!

## Time Tables Rock Stars - Autumn Term Battle of the Bands for Y3 to Y6



Classes will be battling it out to prove who is the fastest and most accurate at recalling their times tables. The current champions are 5M who scored the most points overall in our half term battle last month. With 3V, 4G and 6G winning their respective Year Group tournaments. Make sure you all take part to score points and your class take the top prize! More importantly, you are improving your own knowledge and skills at the same time.

# **Reception Class Applications for 2020**



Parents of children in Nursery should now be completing their application for Reception Class in September 2020. Get it done before the January deadline!



## Winter PE Uniform Reminder

A request from Mr Raw: Please don't forget to send your child to school with a navy-blue sweatshirt and joggers for PE and games lessons during the cold weather. Thank you.

# The Birthday Book Club

Thank you to all of the pupils who have enjoyed recent birthdays and joined the Birthday Book Club by donating books for the Library. We would like to wish a

very Happy Birthday to... Kamilah (Y2) age 7 and Lorin (Nursery) age 4

**Whole School** Attendance ₽ 95.6%₽ Aiming for 96%

# **Weekly Class Attendance Champions**

Week Beginning 18th November 2019

KS1 Class of the week: 1CP 96.9%% Well Done

KS2 Class of the week: 5M 98.6% Year 5 at the top for another week!