



Good afternoon all,

The weather has certainly chilled and Christmas excitement is in the air! I would like to pass on huge thanks to the Lloyd family for providing the school with a fantastic Christmas tree which has put us all in the festive spirit.

We have lots of exciting things planned for the children over the next few weeks and I would encourage you to check the calendar carefully.

Year 1 and 2 have enjoyed a fantastic trip to see Father Christmas in Madley this afternoon and Year R will visit next week.

The older children will enjoy a trip to the theatre to see the Panto in the last week of term.

The PFTA have been very busy! The front of the school is currently playing host to some amazing Christmas hampers. Please make sure you buy your raffle tickets to be in with a chance of winning some amazing prizes. Thank you to all those involved in putting them together.

Don't forget to join us on Thursday 21st December after the Christmas Carol Service

to draw the winners and share refreshments together.

Don't forget coats, hats and gloves for this cold snap!

Have a fantastic weekend,
Mrs Matli

Interim Head Teacher



Dear Parents and Carers,

Another term has flown by and what a busy one it has been!

My favourite time of the year where we are putting up those decorations and making preparation for Christmas. The school calendar looks like it is full of lovely activities and special events for the children to enjoy.

We are pleased to welcome 2 new governors - our co-opted governor Donna Wylie and our new staff governor Cathy Chesworth.

We look forward to having them on board and thank you for joining us.

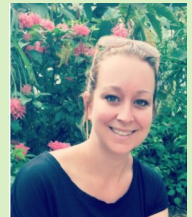
I want to wish the staff team and children all

the best as we approach the run up to Christmas.

Keep doing what you're doing, it's brilliantly!

*Best wishes
Lauri Lloyd*

(Parent Governor)



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Percentage Attendance for each Class for the year to date.

★ Class 2	98.25%	↑
Class 3	97.85%	↓
Class 1	96.99%	↓
Class 4	94.85%	↓
Class R	95.24%	↑
Total Percentage	96.60%	↓

Well Done to the 28 pupils who currently have 100% attendance for the year so far.

Congratulations to Class R & Class 2 who have managed to improve their overall attendance percentage.



The KS1 children enjoyed a visit from local naturalist Tim Kaye and despite the weather they had great fun collecting a variety of mini beasts. Tim also brought with him his travelling museum which consisted of animal bones, fossils and a shark tooth and many other items.

CANCELLED

There will be no after School Activity Club on Friday, 22nd December

School Diary

Dec	8th	Class R Christmas trip PM
	8th	PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DATE: Christmas Jumper Day (voluntary £1 to PTFA funds please) Celebration Assembly in the church — 2:30pm All parents/carers welcome
	12th	Class R Nativity in school 9:30am
	15th	Reception Class eye screening AM
	19th	KS2 trip the Panto AM (No swimming for Class 4)
	19th	Christmas Disco KS1 (Yr R, 1 & 2) 3:30-4:30pm KS2 (Yr 3,4,5 & 6) 4:30—5:30pm
	21st	Please Note, this is not Christmas Jumper Day as previously notified. (See above 8th Dec) Carol Service in church (1:30pm), followed by Hamper Raffle and refreshments in school
	22nd	Christmas Party & Christmas Lunch – children to wear Christmas party clothes
Jan 2024	9th	Back to school
	10th	Class 6 Young Voices trip to Birmingham (returning to Ewyas Harold <u>Memorial Hall</u> approx. 11:45pm)
	11th	No swimming Class 3
	18th	Swimming starts for Class 3 (Thurs AM weekly)
	23rd	Full governing body meeting

WANTED:
Smaller size (4-6yrs old)
pants and socks/tights

THANK YOU!
All your donations raised:

Children in Need
£118.80



Poppy Appeal
£130.95



Also a huge thank you to Ewyas Harold village events committee who have donated £250 to PTFA and Pre-school from the Fireworks Event.

GROUP BOOKINGS AVAILABLE

Breakfast with Santa

Treat the kids to some festive magic!

Weekends throughout December
**December 2nd and 3rd,
 9th and 10th
 16th and 17th
 and the 23rd**

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Ewyas Harold Scout Group

CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

Sunday 3 December
2.00 to 4.00 pm

Ewyas Harold Memorial Hall

Locally Made Crafts
 Father Christmas
 cakes & refreshments
 Raffle
 Games

Happy Christmas

Get your Christmas shopping sorted!

G.V. Cafe - Pontrilas

Christmas

Family Festive - Free FILM SHOW

FRIDAY DEC 8th 4.00PM til 6.00PM
 Family Tea included: Pizza - Popcorn - Hot Chocolate or Milkshake

Booking is Essential:
 01981 240235

THE POLAR EXPRESS
Train Ride

GROUP BOOKINGS AVAILABLE

Santa's Grotto

Santa and his Elves are Back for 2023!

Meet and chat with Santa
 Gift for every child
 Sleigh photo opportunity
 Woodland walk selfie points

December
**2nd and 3rd, 9th and 10th
 16th and 17th and the 23rd**

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