

# Dane Bank Primary School Newsletter

Friday 3rd December 2021

I would love to start by saying how wonderful it was to see so many of you at our Christmas Festival last night—after so long without events like that, it was great to see everybody together. Staff have commented today that it felt like a ‘taste of normality’ after such a long time—so, thank you for your support.

I am so pleased and proud to share that we **raised £1328!** Wow! That is absolutely incredible—and takes us a big step closer to purchasing an addition to the KS1 climbing frame which the children will get use out of for years to come. So thank you, we are feeling very lucky to have all of your support.

I would also like to thank all the staff for their support with the event, from the initial planning, the preparation and their help on the night itself—it is very much appreciated.

Have a lovely weekend and wrap up warm! Mrs Lennon ☺

## Christmas Jumper Day

Remember, Friday 10th December is Christmas Jumper Day in aid of Save the Children—donations of £1 are welcomed. Thank you!

## Stars of the Week



These children have been chosen by their teacher to receive the “Star of the Week” certificate in Friday assembly—what a great achievement!

We are very proud of them all.

Nursery: **Sienna Sharpe-Mulholland** : For trying hard to writing the initial sound in her name.

Reception: **Mila Thornley** : For always trying her best and being a good friend. Mila is a delight!

Year One: **Brooke Endor** : For being a shining star!

Year Two: **Alfie Watson** : Great contributions in “Santa’s on Strike”!

Year Three : **Ayaan Hussain** : For an amazing solo performance in the show.

Year Four : **Lottie McKay** : Having a fantastic attitude to learning and editing her work confidently!

Year Five : **Sofia Laycock**: For being a thoughtful learner and smashing her Maths this week!

Year Six : **Eleanor Allen** : For having a quiet confidence in everything she does and being a fab role model.



## Christmas Performances

Reminder...

Early Years parents—you should have received a letter inviting you to watch the Nursery/Reception show, with 2 tickets attached.

Y3 parents—you are invited to watch your children’s show on Monday afternoon and should have received 2 tickets.

Please do not attend without tickets as we have to limit numbers strictly so as to be as COVID-safe as possible.

Y1 and Y2 parents—you are invited to come and listen to the songs from the show on Wednesday morning on the KS1 playground.

We politely ask that parents wear face masks to all of these events.

## Year 5 Science Day

The Science Day was a great success—the children had a fantastic time taking part in workshops and virtual lessons with staff from Jodrell Bank. I am also so proud to hear from staff at the event that our children were amongst the most polite on the day and remembered to thank all those that they worked with, including the Headteacher of the host school! Well done Year 5!

