



# Parklands Community Primary & Nursery School Bulletin



## FESTIVE FUN IN THE FINAL WEEK!

**AUTUMN 2 WEEK 6**

There's lots happening in the last week of term, from festive performances and fun classroom activities to our Christmas dinner. And of course, Santa will be making a special delivery of presents for the children on the last day! Celebration assembly will be at 1pm on Friday; school finishes at 1:30pm - just in time to start the holidays.

## GOLD AWARD WINNERS



Mya, Grayson & Amber  
Ivy-Rose J & Luca T  
Max B  
Oliwia G  
Chester & Xander F  
Amelia F  
Isabella

## EVERY LITTLE HELPS

Cheshire Council have a benefits calculator which could help maximise the income of families by identifying any benefit entitlements that are unclaimed. This calculator also assists to reduce living costs by providing details of social energy and water tariffs.

Residents can access this calculator at <https://benefits.inbest.ai/cheshirewestandchester>

The office will contact parents when the Aldi vouchers arrive for those families entitled to benefits Free School Meals (most likely Thursday).

## JOIN OUR GROWING SCHOOL COMMUNITY!

Over the last couple of years, we have been delighted to welcome many new families as our school has continued to grow in popularity. We are proud of the strong, caring community we have built together. We do still have a small number of spaces in some year groups – particularly Reception and Year 2 – so if you know of any families who are new to the area or considering a change of school for 2026, please do encourage them to get in touch with us.

## CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCE

We are very much looking forward to sharing our school play with you this week. Our dress rehearsal will take place on Monday at 2.00pm, followed by two performances on Wednesday at 9.30am and 2.00pm. The children have worked incredibly hard and are so excited to perform for you. We kindly ask that audiences remain as quiet as possible during the performance so that all children can be heard and fully enjoy their moment on stage – but please do show your appreciation with lots of clapping after the songs and at the end. You are very welcome to take photographs, but we politely ask that these are not shared on social media if they include other children. Thank you, as always, for your support – we can't wait to welcome you.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Every at Friday 2:45pm - Celebration Assembly  
15th - 19<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Jumper Week  
15th December - 2pm Dress rehearsal for parents with young children  
17th December - 9:30am and 2pm Christmas performance  
17<sup>th</sup> December - Raffle drawn  
18<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Dinner Day  
19th December - 1pm Celebration Assembly  
19<sup>th</sup> December - School closes at **1:30pm**

# Christmas Raffle

Raffle drawn  
Wednesday, 2pm,  
at the end of the  
Christmas  
performance.



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# Dear Parents, Guardians and Father Christmas/Santa,

## Has your little elf asked for an e-scooter or e-bike for Christmas?

The following is basic information on where e-bikes and e-scooters can be used within the law.

### We want to make sure your Christmas presents end up in a pile like this...



### ...and not this



	E-Scooter *	E-Bike (pedals)	E-motorbike (no pedals)
<b>What is it?</b>	Any scooter powered by a battery.	A bicycle powered by a 250w max battery with pedals to propel (15.5mph)	A battery powered motorbike, moped or bike with no pedals to propel.
<b>Under 16 in public</b>	No *	14+ only	No
<b>In a public area</b>	No *	Yes, if compliant	Yes if taxed and insured
<b>On private land - with the landowners permission</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Can I use it on cycle paths?</b>	No	Yes	No
<b>Can I use it on the pavement?</b>	No *	No	No
<b>Can I use it on the road?</b>	No	Yes	Yes
<b>Is there a safety risk?</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Is there a fire risk?</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Would it be seized?</b>	Yes *	Yes, if not compliant	Yes if not taxed and insured
<b>What can I get instead that is legal for public use?</b>	Commuter or stunt scooter. These can be used in public areas such as parks, skate parks and pump tracks. Always wear safety equipment.	Consider a mountain bike. A great way to commute, offering independence and exercise, use in forests and on pump tracks. Always wear safety equipment and use a bike lock.	Age dependent, if over 14 then look at an e-bike, following our guidance and doing your own research. Head to a local private track for more information
<b>Where can I use the legal scooter or bike?</b>	Search for pump tracks to test your skill levels and look at skills training.	Local councils offer information online for the area and clubs for mountain biking and BMX.	Motorcross Clubs.

\*This does not include rental scheme e-scooters which are insured to be used by riders over 16 with a license. Refer to scheme

## No one wants to seize anyone's presents!



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# Stay safe and legal

