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### Certificates

In our assembly this week certificates were awarded to:

Gracie Weston, Annabel Hotham-Gough,  
Lexie Wilson, Sam Austen, Aidan Bowden,  
Eowyn Faulkner, Will Austen, Immy Stevens,  
Callum Potter, Sierra-Jane Waller  
and  
Kayla MacBryde.

### Happy Birthday!

Annabel Hotham-Gough

### Notices

#### Christmas Card Post Box

From next week the post box will be situated by the computers outside Class Torridge. Please post cards into the box ensuring that first name, surname and class are on the front of the envelope. The box is emptied daily. Class Bray will have their own post box in their classroom.

2nd December 2016

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### A Message from Mrs Denham

The PTA Christmas fayre was a huge success and we give huge thanks to all involved. Next week we have the Christmas dinner to look forward to and the Christmas disco.

On Wednesday Class Lyn went over to Pilton Community College and took part in a multi skills morning, all reports say that the children had a wonderful time.

### Christmas Extravaganzer

- **All pupils in years 2,3,4,5,& 6 are in the Christmas Extravaganzer on all performances.**
  - All pupils must be back into school by **5.30pm (but no earlier please)** on **Tuesday 13th.**
  - The doors will open at **5.45pm** on Tuesday for the audience to come in, ready for 6.00pm start.
- **The evening performance on Tuesday 13th should finish at approximately 7.30pm**
- **The performance on Monday will start at 1.30pm and finish by the end of the school day, when your child will be brought out as usual.**
- **The performance on Wednesday at 3.30pm should finish at 5pm.**

If you are not watching the Tuesday and Wednesday performance please wait in the reception area to collect your child.

**We still have tickets available, please contact the office if you would like to have any extra tickets.**

### Notices

#### Christmas Lunch Wednesday 7th December

If you would like to child have a school Christmas lunch please order and pay on Monday 5th December. Children can wear their Christmas jumpers if they would like to.

**Class Caen** The children will be having their faces painted for our Christmas play.

Also for our Christmas party on Thursday 15th December the children will be watching 'The Secret Life of Pets' and having some popcorn! If you have any concerns please see Mrs Gosling.



## Our P.T.A

### Christmas Fair

Thank you to all the helpers who assisted with setting up, helped on a stall and packed away.

Thank you to all who donated.

Thank you to all who have helped set aside their own time to prepare items for the day.

Thank you to my right hand women Louise Hughes. (I couldn't do this without you). Just a massive THANK YOU.

We hope you all had a great afternoon, we made a profit of £890.

**Club 59** winner was Paula Kellaway who won £22 with No 17.

### Christmas Disco

The Christmas disco will be on Friday 9th December KS1 5.30-6.30 KS2 6.45-7.45

£1 donation on the door includes a drink and sweets. Music from Starturns Entertainments (Harrison Sloman's Dad.)

### Christmas Tree Festival

The PTA will be doing a tree this year and will be using the remaining salt dough decorations, if you would like to decorate one for the tree please see Louise Hughes.

### Christmas Extravaganza

The PTA will be doing refreshments at the Christmas Extravaganza, so we are asking for donations of mulled wine please.

To know more about the PTA or if you would like to become more active with helping, don't hesitate to contact Melissa Sloman for more info on [melissasloman1@gmail.com](mailto:melissasloman1@gmail.com) or 07958800614



**PRE-SCHOOL** The mud kitchen has suddenly developed a new dimension with the sudden drop in temperature over the last few days. It has now become an ice factory and frozen the leaves within the utensils - this has proved another aspect for the children's learning and development. As Christmas is quickly approaching, the children are very involved with craft, glitter and decorations ready to adorn our Christmas tree in the church for the Tree Festival which commences next week. Don't forget we are all wearing Christmas jumpers or accessories until the end of term with a suggested donation towards Save The Children charity.

Pre-School is open between 8am and 5pm Monday – Friday and accepts Early Years Funding, where 3/4yr olds can access 15 hours of childcare a week. We are also an approved setting to accept 2gether funding for 2yr olds. For further information or if you would like to arrange a visit, please contact us on 01598 710019 or email us at: [pre-schoolbf@gmail.com](mailto:pre-schoolbf@gmail.com)

**BABY AND TODDLER GROUP** Glitter, glue and cake, what more could you ask for on a Wednesday morning. We decorated our colourful Christmas Stars for our tree with glitter and sparkles that will be on display at the Christmas Tree Festival in the church next weekend. We also had a birthday to celebrate with yummy cake!!

We meet in the Village Hall between 9.30am and 11.30am every Wednesday and welcome babies and toddlers from birth to 5 years. Children can enjoy free play, story time, craft activities and sing-along. For further information, please contact Bratton Fleming Pre-School on 01598 710019



**BRATTON FLEMING SPORTS CLUB:**

**Thursday 22nd December** - CAPTAIN COCONUT Bubble Show 6.30pm-7.15pm All families welcome, free entry! Followed by Xmas Draw @ 8pm (£100 cash prize + bottles, chocs etc. squares available @ £1 each ask at the bar) complimentary mince pies, glass of mulled wine

**Friday 23rd December** - open from 1pm (happy hour 5pm-7pm)

**Xmas Day** - open 11am-2pm

**Boxing Day** - open from 3pm

**Tuesday 27th December** - Clay Shoot at South West Shooting School 10am then back to the Sports Club 1pm for nibbles and drinks, 20 places available.

**New Years Eve** - over 30 v under 30 football match 11am KO

**THE KABIN:** (situated in the Sports Club car park)

**Friday Klub** - youth club open this Friday 2nd & 16th December 6pm-8pm for ages 9-15yrs £2 entry.

**LEANNE FOSTER FITNESS TRAINER** Ladies fitness and toning classes now running at the Kabin located within Bratton Fleming Sports Club car park. Every Sunday and Tuesday @ 7pm. Booking essential as spaces are limited and the classes have become extremely popular. 45 minute class £5 per class. Please contact Leanne on 07789995048/01598710016 or email [leannefoosterfitness@gmail.com](mailto:leannefoosterfitness@gmail.com)

**LIFE DRAWING GROUP** we meet every Thursday evening at The Kabin (situated at the Bratton Fleming Sports Club) 7.30-9pm £6 a session (no obligation to attend every week) this is a self taught session you just turn up and draw. We are a friendly group of mixed ages and abilities, materials available if you would like to give Life Drawing a go. Further info contact Louise 07758077089 email: [brattonfleminglifedrawing@gmail.com](mailto:brattonfleminglifedrawing@gmail.com) or join our Facebook (Bratton Fleming Life Drawing Group) [www.brattonfleminglifedrawing.wordpress.com](http://www.brattonfleminglifedrawing.wordpress.com)