

# Castlechurch's

## NEWSLETTER



### A message from the Senior Leadership Team

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas—everywhere you go in school! With Christmas songs, mischievous elves, nativity practices, decoration making—all in between our usual lessons! It is a hive of activity!

Thank you to Michelle Rush and the PTPA for all their support with organising the Christmas Fair, it was a real success despite the early close due to a medical emergency. Don't forget to claim your raffle prizes! See Facebook for the list! Thank you to Mrs Whiting and Mrs Hewison for all their medical support during the emergency.

The children watched the EYFS's dress rehearsal yesterday and were amazed at their confidence and talent! We know that you will be in for a treat next week! All children will watch the dress rehearsal in school next week as a preview for the main event!

The children have enjoyed watching Dick Whittington today performed by Shooting stars production and our Early Years were entertained with A Search for Santa. Thank you to the PTPA for funding this wonderful festive experience! A wonderful time was had by all! Oh no it wasn't—oh yes it was!! Thank you for your continued support and have a great weekend. Take care, from Team Castlechurch! :)

### Next Week...



Monday	UKS2 Nativity 1:30pm
Tuesday	EYFS Nativity 9:15am
Wednesday	LKS2 Nativity 1:30pm
Thursday	KS1 Nativity 2PM
Friday	Christmas Jumper Day Additional UKS2 Nativity for

Termly Reports—18th Dec  
Xmas Dinner 18th Dec  
School closes on 20th Dec  
School opens on 6th January 2025

Calendar - Castlechurch Primary School |  
Stafford

### This Week's winner

is:

**ELM**



### Class Attendance

Hazel	95.24%
Maple	95.16%
Willow	96.17%
Beech	97.12%
Pine	95.99%
Rowan	95.1%
Cedar	95.82%
Elm	97.61%
Oak	95.63%



### Elf & Safety!



Please can we remind you to ensure long hair is tied up when children are at school to minimise accidents and the spread of headlice.

We are aware that some children may be brought to school using electric scooters, these are unsafe during busy times on the pavements and should only be ridden by one person at a time for safety reasons. We would advise that younger children wear safety helmets to reduce risk of injury.

Thank you!

Our whole school attendance  
This week, our school attendance was:

**95.82%**

# Celebrations

**CONGRATULATIONS**  
The Amazing Author Award is presented to \_\_\_\_\_  
for \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Be Safe Be Respectful Be Ready

**CONGRATULATIONS**  
Our Maths Magician Award is presented to \_\_\_\_\_  
for \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Maple— Amanda-  
Jane

Willow – Noah

Hazel— Ava

Pine - Scarlett

Rowan – Lucas R

Beech – Scarlett

Oak – Layla

Elm – Shiylah

Cedar – Antonia

Maple – Lucas

Willow – Matei

Hazel - Sarah

Pine— David

Rowan— Joshua

Beech – Oscar

Oak – Siya

Elm – Jasper

Cedar— Adam

Maple – Ellie-Mae

Willow - Samden

Hazel – Kaiser

Pine— Rosie-May

Rowan – Mollie

Beech— Jake

Oak – Kayden

Elm— Oscar K

Cedar – Mia

**CONGRATULATIONS**  
Our Castlechurch Champion Award is presented to \_\_\_\_\_  
for \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Be Safe Be Respectful

**CONGRATULATIONS**  
The Remarkable Reader Award is presented to \_\_\_\_\_  
for \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Be Safe Be Respectful Be Ready

## House Points

	Week	Total
<b>Fox</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>2177</b>
<b>Squirrel</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>1900</b>
<b>Hedgehog</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>1924</b>
<b>Badger</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>2109</b>

## Lunchtime stars

KS1 – Sophie

LKS2– Poppy

UKS2— Eleanor

Maple - Hattie

Willow - Jessica

Hazel - Alivia

Pine — Luka

Rowan— Oscar

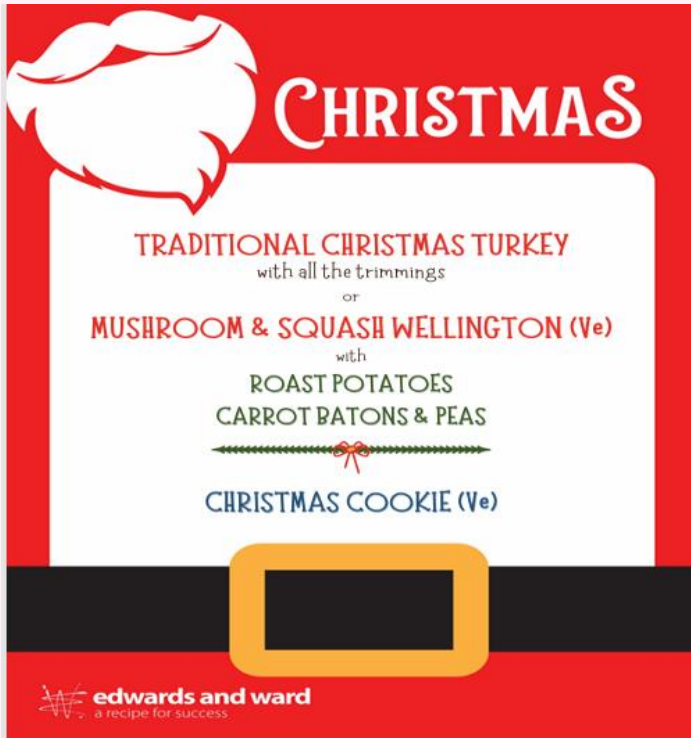
Beech – Fleur

Oak – Demi

Elm— Alfie

Cedar – Rocco

# School & Community Information



Wednesday 18th December 2024

If you would like your child to have a Christmas dinner then please follow the link below to book one. Please complete even you child is entitled to free school dinners to help us with food orders. Many thanks

<https://forms.office.com/>

Christmas Jumper Day -

Friday 13th December

Due to Christmas performances, Castlechurch will be holding its own Christmas Jumper day on Friday 13th December!

We would like to see as many of you as possible in your festive attire.

We will not be asking for donations for this - just looking to get everyone feeling festive!



# School & Community Information

**time4sport**  
Festive  
**KIDS' CAMPS**

**CASTLECHURCH  
PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
ST17 9SY **THU 2 & FRI  
3 JAN**  
**SUN 22 &  
MON 23 DEC** 1.15pm -  
5.15pm

**HOLIDAY  
ACTIVITIES  
AND FOOD**

Join us for a winter packed with action-packed days of adventure, games, and fun! 🧊

Expect all your Time4Sport favourites—multi-sports, enrichment activities, non-stop excitement (and a free healthy meal each session!) 🍽️ 🏃

Whether you need time for some last-minute gift wrapping, are returning to work after the holidays, or want your children to kick off the new year with a burst of energy, T4S has you covered this festive season!

- 📍 **Castlechurch Primary School**
- 🍽️ Open to children aged 4-13 who qualify for benefit-related free school meals
- 📅 **Sun 22, Mon 23 Dec & Thu 2, Fri 3 Jan**
- 🕒 **1.15pm-5.15pm**
- 🔗 **Booking Link: [eequ.org/experience/9313](https://eequ.org/experience/9313)**

❄️ We do have limited capacity, so we suggest booking early to avoid disappointment!