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## **PROJECT 25**

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### **NEWSLETTER 8 – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> of December 2024**

Dear Parents,

We made it! Christmas is finally here. Thank you to all of my staff, volunteers, governors, PTA & parents who have managed to make this time of year so special for the children during this term. These last few months the children have been able to go on numerous trips, had visitors in, sporting events, carol concerts, nativities, Christmas Parties, and even a fantastic trip to the Buxton Opera House for the whole school to attend the panto! On behalf of my staff, thank you for all the kind messages and gifts. They are greatly appreciated by everyone at the school.

With this in mind I would also like to give a special mention for all the contributions we had for the tickets and transport for the recent pantomime held at the Buxton Opera House. An event that totalled well over £2200, which the children got at a highly reduced rate. Thank you to one special member of our community who wishes to remain anonymous, who contributed £900 of their own money to cover the transport (you know who you are!) The children had a wonderful time.

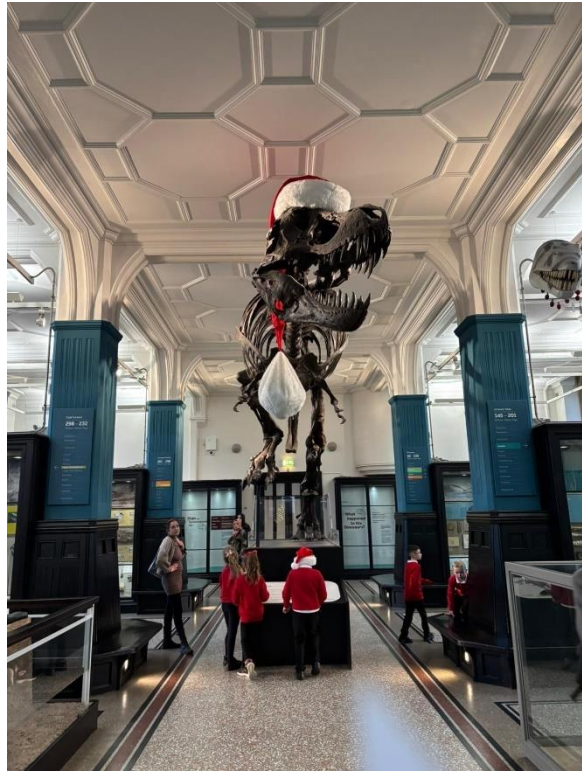
Sycamore have been enjoying playing their brass instruments and would like to showcase what they have learnt in a brass concert for parents to watch, this will be held on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> January at 1:30pm in the hall.

Horse Chestnut class will begin swimming on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2024, further details will go out to parents in the New Year.

Congratulations to children who took part in the Reindeer Run, the winning House was Mount Fuji. Winners of the House Trophy this term were House Everest.

I will leave you with some images of our busy term.











The children are due back on Tuesday the 7<sup>th</sup> of January, Forest School and P.E will begin first week back. Clubs will begin on the week beginning the 13<sup>th</sup> of January, a club list will be sent out in the first week back.

All that is left for me to do is wish you all a happy Christmas and a healthy New Year. Enjoy the well-deserved rest with your families at this time of year.

I look forward to welcoming all the children back in January.

Best Wishes,

Mr Bertram

## PROJECT 25

Our school's core values in developing our children to where they are going to be at the age of 25:

Resilience

Compassion

Trust

Entrepreneurial spirit

Environmentally aware

Keeping Safe

STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths)

Respect

Thankfulness

Friendship

**SAFEGUARDING** is very important to us as a school. The Designated Lead at the School is Mr Bertram if you have any concerns about a child in our area please don't hesitate to contact him for advice. Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility.

I have also located a useful one stop shop of mental health support sights if anyone should require the need. [Mental health resources for children, students, parents, carers and school/college staff - The Education Hub \(blog.gov.uk\)](https://www.blog.gov.uk/2017/05/16/mental-health-resources-for-children-students-parents-carers-and-school-college-staff/)

