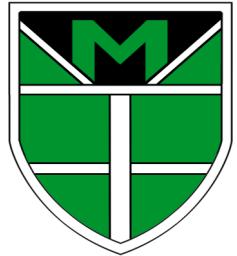


# Newsletter



Dear Malvern Families,

We are looking forward to welcoming families to our Festive Friday celebration on Friday 5th December from 5.00pm to 7.00pm. This event is always a highlight of the year and brings our whole community together for seasonal activities, delicious food and live music.

We are pleased to share that our wonderful friends at Next Energy will once again be sponsoring all of our Christmas activities this year. Their generosity helps us create a memorable festive season for our pupils and wider community. As part of the celebrations, we will be illuminating our school Christmas tree, which arrived on Friday evening and is already looking magnificent.

There are also a few surprises planned for the night, including special performances from Malvern staff. Some familiar faces may even be stepping into the spotlight. The event is free of charge and no tickets are required. Everyone in our community is warmly invited to join us.

We hope to see many of you there as we begin the festive season together.

Mr James  
Headteacher



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## Support from Knowsley Council School Meals Service

We are very grateful to Knowsley Council's School Meals Service for their generous support of our festive activities once again this year. Thanks to their partnership, and the kind contributions from Harlech, TotalServe, Ralph Livesey and Morris Bakeries, we are able to make our Christmas events even more special for our pupils and wider community.

Their support helps us create memorable experiences for the children at a time of year that is already very exciting in school. We appreciate the commitment shown by all involved and thank each organisation for helping us deliver a wonderful festive season at Malvern.



### Reading Plus Achievement

We are delighted to congratulate Leo on becoming a 200,000 word Book Wizard on Reading Plus. This is an outstanding achievement and reflects a great deal of dedication, focus and enjoyment of reading. Reaching this milestone takes real commitment and shows how hard Leo has worked to improve his fluency and confidence.

We are very proud of his success and look forward to seeing him continue his reading journey.



### Reverse Advent Calendar

As we move into December, we would like to thank families for supporting our Junior Leadership Team's food bank appeal throughout November. Many families have already been collecting items at home and your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Donations can be brought into school from **Monday 1st December**. Our Junior Leadership Team will then organise and present the collected items to local charities in preparation for Christmas.

Thank you for helping us support families within our community at this important time of year. Ideas for what to include:

- Tinned Meat / Potatoes
- Tinned Vegetables / Fruit
- Tinned Fish
- Tea / Coffee
- Personal Hygiene Products / Nappies



## Sports Leaders at LFC Academy

Our Sports Leaders visited the LFC Academy as part of the Onside leadership programme. During the visit, pupils took part in a series of coaching carousels designed to develop communication, teamwork and leadership skills. They also had the chance to meet young footballers who are progressing through the coaching pathway and learn more about their experiences.

A highlight of the visit was the opportunity to see the Premier League trophy up close, which created a great sense of excitement and inspiration. The pupils represented Malvern exceptionally well and gained valuable insights into leadership both on and off the pitch.



## Festive Cinema

On **Wednesday 10th December**, we are excited to invite children from Reception to Year 6 to a Festive Film Night in the school hall, where they will enjoy a screening on our cinema-sized screen. The film will begin immediately after school and will conclude at 5:30pm. During the screening, children will be treated to a hot dog, drink and snack, ensuring they have plenty of energy to enjoy the show. To secure your child's place, please make payment via ParentPay at your earliest convenience.

Please note that tickets are limited, and places will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. All bookings must be made by **Friday 5th December** in order for us to organise staff and catering for the event.



## Christmas Toy Swap

As we approach our Toy Swap event, we would like to remind families that our Junior Leadership Team is once again leading this special pre loved toy initiative. The team has already selected a charity to receive all funds raised, and they are looking forward to supporting a good cause through this project.

Toy donations can be brought to school from Monday 1st December to Wednesday 3rd December. We kindly ask that all donated toys are gently used and in good working condition.

On **Wednesday 3rd December**, all children will be invited to take part in the Toy Swap. This year, pupils will visit a special grotto where they will be able to select a toy to take home in exchange for a £1 contribution.

Any remaining toys will be donated to local charities, helping to share a little extra joy across our community this Christmas.



## Key Dates - Autumn Term

Date	Event
Monday 1 December	Christmas Jumpers can be worn from today
Tuesday 2 December	Y2 - Church Visit
Friday 5 December	Rocksteady Christmas Performance @ 9.30am
Friday 5 December	Festive Friday @ Malvern
Saturday 6 December	Breakfast with Santa
Monday 8 December	EYFS and KS1 Christmas Dinner
Tuesday 9 December	Y3/4 Christmas Dinner
Wednesday 10 December	Y5/6 Christmas Dinner
Wednesday 10 December	Festive Film Night
Thursday 11 December	EYFS Nativity 2.30 pm
Friday 12 December	EYFS Nativity 9.30 am
Monday 15 December	KS1 Nativity 2.30 pm
Tuesday 16 December	KS1 Nativity 9.30 am
Wednesday 17 December	Drama Theatre Club Evening Performance
Thursday 18 December	Drama Theatre Club Evening Performance
Friday 19 December	School closes 1.30 pm

# Christmas Dates

**1st**  
**DECEMBER**

## Christmas Jumper Day

9:00 AM TO 3:30 PM

Wear your Christmas Jumper! You can wear it today, and everyday, until Christmas!

**3rd**  
**DECEMBER**

## Pre-Loved Toy Swap

During School Day

Bring in a Pre-Loved toy (1.12.23) for sale in our Pre-Loved Toy Shop and help raise funds for charity!

**5th**  
**DECEMBER**

## Festive Friday

5:00 - 7:00 PM

Enjoy a spectacular evening of festive family fun! Join us on our courtyard to sing, laugh and make merry!

**6th**  
**DECEMBER**

## Breakfast With Santa

9:30 AM OR 11:00 AM

Enjoy a morning of festive cheer with the 'Big Man' himself. See newsletter for further details.

**8th**  
**DECEMBER**

## EYFS & KS1 Christmas Dinner

11:30 TO 1:00PM

Wear your Christmas Jumper to enjoy a festive lunch with all of the trimmings.

**9th**  
**DECEMBER**

## Year 3 & Year 4 Christmas Dinner

11:30 AM TO 1:00 PM

Wear your Christmas Jumper to enjoy a festive lunch with all of the trimmings.

**10th**  
**DECEMBER**

## Year 5 & Year 6 Christmas Dinner

11:30 AM TO 1:00 PM

Wear your Christmas Jumper to enjoy a festive lunch with all of the trimmings.

**10th**  
**DECEMBER**

## Festive Film Night

3:30 PM To 5.30 PM

Enjoy a festive movie and snacks on our cinema screen!

**11th**  
**DECEMBER**

## EYFS Nativity Performance

2:30 PM

Nursery & reception performance for families. Class teachers organise tickets.

**12th**  
**DECEMBER**

## EYFS Nativity Performance

9:30 AM

Nursery & reception performance for families. Class teachers to organise tickets.

**15th**  
**DECEMBER**

## Key Stage One Nativity Performance

2:30 PM

Year 1 & Year 2 performance for families. Class teachers to organise tickets.

**16th**  
**DECEMBER**

## Key Stage One Nativity Performance

9:30 AM

Year 1 & Year 2 performance for families. Class teachers to organise tickets.

**17th**  
**DECEMBER**

## Drama & Theatre Club Performance

6:00 PM TO 8:00 PM

Drama & Theatre Club performance.

**18th**  
**DECEMBER**

## Drama & Theatre Club Performance

6:00 PM TO 8:00 PM

Drama & Theatre Club performance.

**19th**  
**DECEMBER**

## School Closes

1:30 PM

Wishing you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

# Christmas Activity Days



# Attendance League Standings

POSITION	TEAM	PLAYED	WON	DRAW	POINTS
1	The Happy Horans	8	7	0	23
2	The Smashing Sheikhs	8	5	0	19
3	The Fiery Phillips	8	4	0	18
4	Brown's Busy Bees	8	6	0	18
5	Worthington's Wishmakers	8	3	1	17
6	Resilient Reception 1	8	3	0	17
7	The Corn Dogs	8	5	0	17
8	The Magical Murphys	8	4	0	16
9	Resilient Reception 2	8	3	0	15
10	Pyne's Pynecones	8	3	1	15
11	The McMinions	8	4	0	12
12	The Corn on the Cobs	8	3	0	11
13	Donno's Dragons	8	3	1	10
14	Davo's Dino Nuggets	8	1	0	5

## Attendee of the Week

We are delighted to celebrate sisters Amelia and Sophia, who have both made excellent improvements in their attendance this year. Their commitment to coming into school each day is really starting to shine through and we are very proud of the effort they have shown.



Both girls have approached this year with a positive attitude and a clear determination to be in school and ready to learn. Their hard work is making a real difference and it is wonderful to see the progress they are achieving as a result.

Well done, Amelia and Sophia.



Keep up the brilliant work!

### Weekly School Attendance

**96.2%**

### Overall School Attendance

**97%**

### HOT Winners

Cristian M  
Savanna R  
Mayiah D  
Alfie E  
Connie R  
Samuel K  
Isaac C