

# MOSSY LEA MESSENGER

Tuesday, 30th November 2021 XXX.XI· MMXXI

Another week in school and what a lovely one it's been. We've been as busy as ever... We have been over to Tunley Church to make our Christingles, Christmas performance rehearsals are well under way and the Christmas fair at Tunley Moss was a great success.

Thank you for your support so far with the Christmas bingo; ticket sales have been good and we have some great prizes on offer. So come on folks, bring your friends and family, and lets have a great time, good laugh, and raise a fortune..... before Omicron hits us.....

May I conclude by passing on my massive thanks, and congratulations to Antonella at Mossy and Michelle at St George's, for their efforts, and successes in maintaining the very smooth running of the schools during my absence. Indeed my thanks go to you all. It was just as it should be - carrying on regardless.

All the best folks, have a great week,

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## Lights, Camel Action!

Rehearsals are now under way for our Christmas performance. This will take place on **Thursday, 16th December at 4pm.**

Scripts have been sent home, please, please encourage your child to learn their lines, you could rehearse them together, encouraging them to 'perform' the lines, not just read them out. Costume letters have also been sent home, any problems please let me know asap.

All children will be required to attend the performance after school. Families are invited into school to watch. If you are attending we ask that you please do an LFS test in the 48 hours before the performance.

Entry will be free of charge and you will be able enjoy a mince pie and a glass of mulled wine while watching the show!

## Christmas Cards

As part of our drive to become a more environmentally friendly school, we ask that this year you refrain from sending Christmas Cards from your child to their classmates into school. Thank you.

## Parent Governor Vacancy

We have a vacancy on our Governing Body for a Parent Governor.

When nominating someone or yourself, you may want to know more about what is involved; Governors do not need to be experts in the field of education, what is needed is an interest in the welfare of students together with the time and willingness to be involved. Your skills may be very useful as part of the Governing Body. Governors need to build relationships with a range of people, to be able to work as part of a team, to be able to question and the ability to make connections between different types of information. All Governors are expected to be able to read straightforward Budget Report and Data on school standards.

The Governing Body is responsible for the conduct of the school and for promoting high standards and carries out its role by supporting the vision for the school and ensuring that the school works effectively towards achieving the vision. It does this by building a thorough knowledge of the school and its community, by supporting and constructively challenging the school.

The Governing Body is made up of Parent Governors, Staff Governors and Co-opted Governors who are expected to:

- Attend two meetings a term.
- Visit the school formally for monitoring purposes, once a term.
- Attend training courses,

In return, our Governing Body commits to:

- Provide you with a structured induction
- Provide access to quality training via Lancashire County Council
- Provide informal feedback on your contribution to the Governing Body on an annual basis

If you are interested in applying for the role, please complete the nomination form attached and return it to Antonella or by email to [a.greenhalgh@mossylea.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:a.greenhalgh@mossylea.lancs.sch.uk) by **4pm on Friday 17th December**. If we receive more applications than there are vacancies, a secret ballot will be carried out. We will inform you closer to the time if we have to do this.

**Christmas Bingo—Thursday, 9th December, 18:00-20:00**

**Please try to order tickets by Friday, 3rd December**  
**so that we can cater accordingly.**

Prags will be joining us, making us supper, and there'll be loads of prizes on offer.

Tickets are priced £5.00 per adults, and £2.00 per child (up to a maximum of £10.00 per household). This includes your supper and 1 game of bingo each.

A raffle, drinks and a tuck shop will also be available on the night, as well as Christmas stall and game organised by Pingawings Nursery.



**Non Uniform Days**

To support our bingo evening, our final non-uniform day will take place next week:

**Monday, 6th December—Chocolate**

Many thanks once again for your support.

**Christmas Service—Wednesday, 15th December 14:30**

We will be joining Pingawings at Tunley Church for an outdoor Christmas Service. Families are invited to join us. This will be a lovely addition to our festivities.

**Weekly Class Dojo Winners**



**Coming Up**

<b>December</b>	
<b>Wednesday, 1st</b>	PTFA meeting 15:30
<b>Monday, 6th</b>	Non uniform 3 — chocolate
<b>Thursday, 9th</b>	Christmas Bingo 6pm
<b>Friday, 10th</b>	Save the Children Christmas Jumper day
<b>Wednesday, 15th</b>	Christmas Service at Tunley Church 14:30,
<b>Thursday, 16th</b>	Lights, Camel, Action 4pm
<b>Friday, 17th</b>	Christmas party and film day
	Break up at 15:30. No after school club