

Stroud Valley Community School Newsletter



MERRY CHRISTMAS EVERYONE!

We have been celebrating Christmas this week with lots of exciting things going on! We enjoyed the pantomime Snow White, have been having fun and games with our class parties, Amethyst class did a reverse advent calendar for the Stroud Foodbank and we have been making some beautiful Christmas crafts.

Thank you to everyone who bought mince pies and donated to the collection—we have raised an amazing £520 for Stroud Foodbank.

We would like to wish you a very Merry Christmas and look forward to seeing you all back in the sNew Year on Tuesday 9th January 2024!



22nd December 2023
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Dates for your diary

	January
8th	INSET DAY
9th	First day of Term 3
11th	Y1 Spelling Meeting for parents—8.50am
25th	Young Voices
	February
9th	Last day of Term 3

GOOD-BYE TO EMMA McTEAR

We are sad to say we will be saying good-bye to our lovely Emma in the new year. Now her children are of secondary school age she has secured a full-time job.

We are very grateful for everything she has done for Stroud Valley in her 7 years—she will be missed!
Her last working day will be Friday 12th January.

SCHOOL CLOSURE—REMINDER

In the event that the school makes the decision to close—for example in the case of bad weather, we will notify you as soon as possible via email on School Spider and publish it on the Gloucestershire County Council website for school closures:

<https://www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/closures>



COME AND JOIN THE STROUD VALLEY SCHOOL 100 CLUB!

Have you joined the Stroud Valley school 100 club yet? The more taking part the bigger the prize and the more we can raise for school funds.

This is a great opportunity to raise money for our school and have a chance at winning some extra cash for your family. All you have to do is choose a number from 1-100. We will be running it from January—July for an upfront cost of £2 per number per month—£14. Miss Sleep will announce the winning number in assembly on the first Tuesday of every month—the number will be chosen by a randomiser to ensure complete fairness. The prize money will then be split 50:50 between the school and the person with the winning number! For example, if there are 100 participants the winning participant will get £100 and the PTFA £100!

If you would like to request a number please email the PTFA at:

stroudvalleyptfa@gmail.com

Numbers will be given on a first come first served basis and only once the £14 payment has been received.

Payment can be done via PayPal:

[Stroud Valley PTFA PayPal](#)

Or via BACs:

Stroud Valley School PTA
Sort code: 30-98-29
Account number: 01139508
(Please reference your name)

The PTFA would like to wish you a very Merry Christmas and a lovely break with your families.