

# CAMPSMOUNT ACADEMY NEWSLETTER

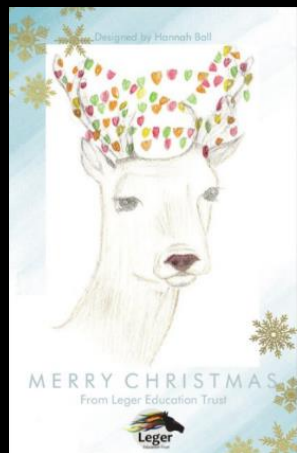
## MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

**As we reach the end of our first term, may I take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support during these challenging times. From everyone here at Campsmount Academy we wish you a very healthy and happy Christmas and New Year and we hope you have the opportunity to spend some quality time with loved ones.**

## REVERSE ADVENT CALENDAR

This Christmas our Family Liason Officer, Lisa Storey introduced a new initiative, the 'Reverse Advent Calendar'. The concept is simple. Rather than taking something out of a calendar each day you put away one food item per day to support a family in need. A reverse advent calendar is all about giving, not getting. Many families in our community have experienced job cuts and earnings wiped out by COVID-19. As a result, demand for food banks has skyrocketed. More than half the people currently using Trussel Trust Foodbanks have never needed to use one before the start of the pandemic. This winter, demand for food banks is predicted to be 61% higher than last year. Many more families within our community will no doubt struggle through Christmas. With the generous contributions of staff, Lisa collected over 65 bags of food and has been delivering these to our local community over the past week to hopefully spread a little Christmas cheer.





## CHRISTMAS CARD COMPETITION

Congratulations to Hannah Ball in Year 9 who drew the winning design for this year's Christmas Card Competition. The card was professionally printed and given out to all staff at Campsmount Academy and other local schools. Other shortlisted designs were produced by Lily Oliver, Phoebe Smith and Isabel Suaznabar.

## CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY

The last day of term was Christmas Jumper day, it was wonderful to see staff and students getting involved. All donations were collected by our Post-16 students and we raised £600. Donations were made to CRY, Askern, Campsall and Norton's Food bank and also The Laurels and Norton and Askern Day Care Centre.



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## REWARDS DAY

On Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> December, we celebrated the achievements of our students. Students were nominated by their teachers based on their Highly Positive rewards and winners were drawn at random on our big wheel! Students received their prizes whilst enjoying their Christmas Dinner!

### Congratulations to our winners!

#### Year 7

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize – Aaron Williamson
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – Caitlin Halls

#### Year 8

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize – Aiden Hamilton
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – Elizabeth Brown

#### Year 9

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize – Lydia Eastwood
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – Millie Hodges

#### Year 10

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize – Aiden Pollard
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – Savannah Haddon

#### Year 11

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize – Keelan Patchett
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – Alyssa Barker

**KS3** - Bethan Jones

**KS4** – Olivia Weston



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