



# The Bulletin

Your Weekly News Update from The Suthers School

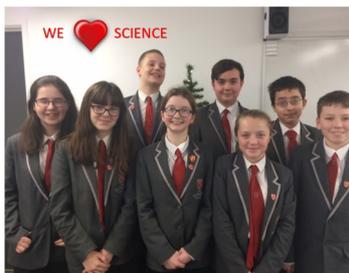
## In Brief:

- ◆ **Our Word of the Week** was 'myriad.'
- ◆ **Thank you to everyone** who has already supported our Reverse Advent appeal. Donations are coming in thick and fast!
- ◆ **Don't forget—it's Christmas Jumper Day** on Friday 14 December. Letters have been sent home so please check the detail.
- ◆ **The House Point Shop** is open! Students can now make purchases and enter our Christmas Prize Draw.
- ◆ **Student Council elections** take place next Thursday. Good luck to all candidates campaigning to be part of this historic group!
- ◆ **Our Amnesty International group** has been busy working towards getting TSS the honour of being recognised as a Human Rights Friendly School. They'll be sending out some more information soon.
- ◆ **Friday 14 December** is the last day of term. Normal start and finish times.

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## BRILLIANT BOOK AWARD LAUNCH

Our Brilliant Book Award team were wowed by award-winning author Kim Slater this week when they attended a launch event in Mansfield. Not only did many of them walk away with signed copies of Slater's books but the local author also inspired them with extracts from her novels, insights into how she got started and clues as to where she gets the ideas for her brilliant stories. Kim Slater was last year's winner and her latest book, *Smart*, is already in our library. As reigning champion, Slater had the honour of announcing the six short-listed titles our team will be reading in the coming months. We are looking forward to reading their reviews and finding out whether once again TSS picks the winner! To find out more and see the books that have made the shortlist, please click [here](#).



## SCIENCE AMBASSADOR TRAINING

Ten of our top scientists travelled to Kirk Hallam Academy, Ilkeston, this week for the first round of training to become Science Ambassadors. They learned about communicating scientific concepts and began preparing to teach taster sessions.

## TSS SCHOOL BUILD UPDATE

We are still awaiting feedback from the ESFA and so have no news this week but would like to invite all parents to attend an information event early in the new year. Letters to follow soon.

