

House Points

No certificates this week as our celebration is the Service of Light.

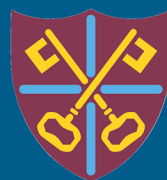
Coming up next week:

Christmas Holidays!



Children return on
Wednesday 3rd January
2024

St Peter's News



15th December 2023

This week in school...

Dear Parents and Children,

What a busy week to end a busy Autumn term!

Thank you to all of you who supported our FOSP Santa's Grotto on Sunday, - and to the FOSP for planning and running such a great event.

Miss Shaw and Mrs Kelly took a group of children to perform in "The Magic of the Musicals" on Monday and it was an unforgettable experience for all with performances from West End stars as well as our own children!

"It was a long day but we had pizza for lunch and it was a lot of fun!"

Our Year 1 Nativities did us so proud with their marvelous singing and dancing. We were so impressed with your story-telling! Year 2 carried the Nativity baton on with their wonderful rendition of "The Innkeeper's Breakfast". No sooner had the hay been cleared off the stage than the rehearsals for the Carol Service began; Year 5 and 6 were so fabulous

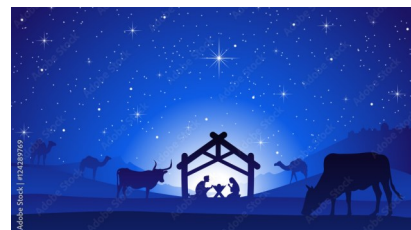
with their readings and singing.

Thank you to all the staff who worked so hard to prepare the children for these traditional Christmas events in our calendar

Thank you also to Jess and her team in the kitchen who provided the whole school with a delicious Christmas lunch - very efficiently served by all the staff, thank you!

When school finishes at 1pm today we will be looking forward to a relaxing, well-earned break and to seeing the children back, refreshed and ready to learn on Wednesday 3rd January.

We wish you and your loved ones a happy and peaceful Christmas and all the very best for 2024
Kind regards,
Mrs Kelly and Mrs Hall



Lessons from the Gospel during Christmas...

On 17th December we celebrate the third Sunday of Advent: we hear some more about John the Baptist, who came to tell everyone to get ready for Jesus who is the light of the world. Let's think about what that means.

Jesus, light of the world, help us to be shining examples of your love and light to all members of our global family. Amen.

On 24th December we celebrate the fourth Sunday of Advent: we hear about how a very special messenger came to visit Mary to tell her that she was going to have a baby. Let's think how we can be God's messengers in the world too.

God of love, help us to be your messengers on earth, showing your love for all people in everything that we do. Amen.

After celebrating our mass on Christmas Day we have Sunday 31st December which is The Holy family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph when we hear about Jesus and his family and a special trip they took to Jerusalem. We hear about the special things that happened to him there and all that was said about him.

God of life, help us to see how important and special all your children are. Teach us to treat all members of our global family with love and respect. Amen.

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School Safeguarding Team

If you are worried
about something
that your own, or
another child has
told you, or you
think that they may
be at risk of harm,
please contact our
Designated
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Supporting Families

We are able to offer
support to any
families experienc-
ing financial difficul-
ties. Please contact
us in confidence and
we will do whatever
we can to help you.



Christmas has ar-
rived at St Peter's!

Photos from our
Reception, Year 1
and Year 2 nativities
and the Magic of
the Musicals event



Well done to
all the children
who took part
in all our per-
formances and
a huge thank
you to all the
staff who
helped them
prepare!



We are so
proud of every-
one!

FOSP News

Christmas Grotto & Craft Event

Our fabulous Christmas event was well attended and, we hope, enjoyed by all!
Thank you to everyone who made the day special for the nearly 200 children who saw Santa and his team of elves.

If you had professional photos taken, you should have received a link for these from the photographer.

For this half term we raised:

Wreath making: £650

Santa's Grotto & Craft event: £1,247

Raffle: £745

Our school support:

This term we provided the advent calendars to each of the classes, dressed the tables for the children's Christmas school lunch and also bought new high quality books for Year 1 & Year 2.

Save the Dates

Friday 26th January will be our school disco event for the children, and an adults only evening on Friday 2nd February of Boogie Bingo. We hope you can join us for them!



Science is All Around Us Photography Competition

Many thanks for all your amazing entries! The Science Ambassadors were very impressed with the skilful photography and great links to science.

After careful consideration here are the results.

KS2 winner: Alex Marshall

KS2 runners up: Allegra Brice Wallis and Jadzia Quijano-Amigo

KS1 winner: Imogen Cunningham

KS1runner up: Sammy Zad

Highly Commended: Jacob and Amelia Nichols, Amy Zad, Amber Thornton, Marc Hinault, Jonny McFarlin, Freya Crome and Jasmine Porter

Please come and see these entries on our Science board.



Dates for your diary

15.12.23 School finishes for Christmas Holidays at 1pm

2.01.24. INSET DAY - School Closed for children

3.01.24 All children return to school

Week beg
15/01/24 Teacher-led clubs begin, details to follow

19/01/24 Year 4 trip to Brooklands Museum

1/2/24 Year 5 and 6 to watch St Andrew's dance showcase

26/1/24 School Disco—details to follow

NEW

2/2/24 Boogie Bingo—details to follow

NEW

9/2/24 INSET Day—school closed for children

Monday 12th -Friday 16th February- - Half Term Holiday

19.02.24 Children return to school

26.02.24 Year 2 trip to Windsor Castle

07.03.24 World Book day—details to follow

28.03.24 School finishes for Easter Holidays at 1pm

15.04.24 All children return to school

Monday 27th –Friday 31st May—Half Term Holiday

14.06.24 INSET DAY - School Closed for children

23.07.24 School finishes for Summer Holidays at 1pm