



Weekly Newsletter

16<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Here's what's in the newsletter this week!

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Key Dates for your diaries



**Start of Spring Term**

**Inset Days 22/23**

**Additional Bank Holiday**

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January**

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February 2023**

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2023**

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May**

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a fabulous, amazing and magical finish to this term. This week has been jammed packed with wonderful experiences, performances and events in which all the children have fully immersed themselves and continued to show the amazing enthusiasm that they always do.

On Sunday, our children sang "Away in a Manager" at the St Stephen's Carol Service and you could see the look of admiration on the faces of the congregation who seemed really moved by their rendition. On Monday, Oak and Rowan visited a Mosque in Southampton and they all commented on the incredible sense of community and support that was so evident.

For those of you who were lucky enough to go the KS2 Christmas Kaleidoscope on Tuesday, I am sure you will all agree that it was an incredible spectacle of talent and enthusiasm. Every child shone with singing, drama and music all intertwining to produce an exceptional performance.

Yesterday was another fun packed day full of Christmas cheer. In the morning, the Sports Leaders ran sessions with every class, teaching them some really fun dance routines. Our Christmas lunch was a wonderful opportunity for all the children to be together in the hall as one big family. We enjoyed entertainment from Year 6 who sang some of their songs from the Kaleidoscope and the children read out the jokes from their crackers whilst we all enjoyed some good old Christmas songs that played throughout. In the afternoon, the children were treated to the most amazing entertainment funded by FoSS. In Mrs Gwilliam's words the entertainer's performance was 10/10!

Today we have just held our Celebration Worship, with the Year 6s performing the 'Little Match Girl' for the whole school. We also lit our advent wreath with the Worship Team explaining the meaning of Advent and what the candles represent.

I am hoping that tonight we will see you all at the FoSS Winter Wander Lights Trail down in Ham Green where the children will be singing some wonderful Christmas songs. FoSS do such an amazing job of ensuring we have additional funds to enable us to provide some really special experiences for the children and your support is very much appreciated.

Finally, I want to wish you all a wonderful Christmas and thank you all for the amazing support and compassion you show. We are all incredibly lucky to have such a close knit school community that shows such thought for each other.

I look forward to welcoming the children back on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January refreshed and raring to go as we move into the Spring Term.

Kind regards

Mrs Hanratty

## Core Christian Value Awards

We were very proud to commend our Core Christian Value Award recipients in Celebration Worship today. Children from each class are nominated weekly for each of our Core Values: Courage, Compassion and Creativity.

	Courage	Compassion	Creativity
<b>Willow</b>	Alfie	Alfie	Alfie
<b>Beech</b>	Felix	Allana	Teddy
<b>Maple</b>	Jannah	Bryony	Henry
<b>Rowan</b>	Livinia	Erin	Misha
<b>Oak</b>	Aubrey	Isla	Daisie



## General Information

# Stay in control of your child's health

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## Creative Kidz After-School Club

Following a fantastic start to the new venture between Creative Kidz and our school, we are really pleased to let you know that Creative Kidz have now received their registration with OFSTED for our setting. This means that from **3<sup>rd</sup> January 2023** Creative Kidz will be providing a new and exciting offering, with the following session options:

- Option 1: 3:30pm – 5:30pm
- Option 2: 3:30pm – 6:00pm
- Option 3: 4:30pm – 6:00pm

The prices for these options are as follows:



## PRICE LIST SPARSHOLT PRIMARY SCHOOL

After School club	Contract	Ad hoc
Session 1 - 3.30pm to 5.30pm	£11.80	£ 12.80
Session 2 - 3.30pm to 6.00pm	£ 13.80	£14.80
Bolt on 1 - 4.30pm to 6:00pm	£ 8.20	£ 9.20

For more information, please go to the Creative Kidz website at <https://creativekidz.org.uk/>

## School Uniform provider – Direct4Logos

The Romsey uniform shop will not be open on Saturday's in December.

Direct4Logos will be closing on Thursday 22 December at 4.30pm and will re-open on Tuesday 3 January at 9.30am.



## Other Information

### Sparsholt Crib Service - 4pm on Christmas Eve

The annual Crib Service will be held in St. Stephen's Church, Sparsholt on Christmas Eve (Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> December) at 4 pm. Do come and join us with Christmas songs and stories, and the blessing of the Crib. Mums and Dads, Grannies and Grandpas, children of all ages are welcome at this short service to get you in the mood for Christmas! There will even be a train going around the Christmas Tree in Church.

### Christmas Workshops

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£25 PER DAY  
If not on free school meals

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**HOW THE GRINCH STOLE CHRISTMAS**

TUESDAY  
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WEDNESDAY  
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**JINGLE JANGLE**  
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FRIDAY  
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OR REGISTER FOR  
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DECEMBER  
MONDAY 19TH - FRIDAY 23RD  
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### Children's Craft Workshops at the Cathedral Christmas Market

<https://www.winchester-cathedral.org.uk/event/childrens-christmas-craft-workshops/>



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