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Newsletter – 20th December 2019

Class News

Class One



In class 1 this week, we have been busy with lots of Christmas activities. We have practised our sequencing and writing skills linked to the nativity story, which the children know well due to their Christmas performance. There has been lots of Christmas themed crafting as well as singing and dancing! Enjoy the Christmas break with your families and we look forward to seeing you all in the new year.

Class Two



This week in Class 2 we have been getting ready for Christmas. The children have painted angels, written letters to Father Christmas and designed their own baubles. They have also continued to share their show-and-tells about different countries.

Class Three



Class 3 had a thoroughly enjoyable afternoon with the Art Party as part of the general election activities. Children had the chance to create a handprint wreath and homemade tree decorations. Look at our beautiful decorations!

Class Four



This week in Class 4, we have been using zombies to help us understand and use the passive voice in literacy and we have been working on building our sentences with conjunctions. In maths, we have been exploring percentages of amounts and how to use percentages to increase and decrease amounts.

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Dates & messages

Upcoming Dates 2019/20

Dec 20 th	Christmas Service 2pm End of term
Jan 3 rd	Teacher Training Day
Jan 6 th	Children back to school Music lessons resume this week
Jan 7 th	Class 4 Ashmolean Trip
Jan 8 th	Class 4 Swimming begins Coding & Judo Clubs begin
Jan 9 th	Rugby Club begins
Jan 10 th	Art Club starts
Jan 16 th	Sportshall Athletics Y5/6
Jan 21 st	Football Competition
Jan 23 rd	CSALT Assembly
Jan 27 th	Staverton's Got Talent
Jan 30 th	Police safety visit to all classes
Jan 31 st	Class 2 Cake Sale
Feb 4 th	PDET Maths Day Yr5
Feb 6 th	Sportshall Athletics Y3/4
Feb 25 th	Shrove Tuesday
Feb 26 th	Ash Wednesday Service
Feb 29 th	FoSS Beetledrive
Mar 19 th	CSALT Assembly
Mar 27 th	Class 1 Cake Sale
Apr 2 nd	Easter Service
Apr 3 rd	Teacher Training Day
Apr 20 th	Children back to school
May 11 th	KS2 SATs week
Jun 25 th	KS2 performance 2pm & 6pm
Jun 29 th	Class 3 residential
Jul 2 nd	Sports afternoon
Jul 6 th	Sports evening & stocks
Jul 9 th	Reserve sports evening
Jul 10 th	Speech & Award Day
Jul 16 th	Leavers' Assembly 2pm
Jul 17 th	Leavers' Service 2pm

Birthday Corner

Happy Birthday to:
Grace



Message Board

Christmastime

It has been a long term for the children and there are a lot of tired bodies, but hasn't it flown by!? Our new Preschool children and Reception children have settled so well and even performed their first Christmas Play. Thank you for all your ongoing support for the school and trusting us to have the privilege of educating your children. We all wish you a very happy Christmas, and a fabulous new year. We look forward to seeing you all on Monday 6th of January (after a well-earned rest of course).

Children's General Election

The manifestos were written, the pitches were made to the classes, and children voted for their favourite party who could improve education! Not the real UK vote, but the Staverton vote.

Christmas Carols

Thank you to all the children and families that came to the church on Monday to sing in the parish carol service. The children were fantastic and received lots of praise from the parishioners.

Holiday Club

Staverton Holiday Club have decided not to open over the Christmas holidays due to low demand.

Child in Need

Some parents may remember a former pupil Abbie, sister of our Mia. You may have seen on Facebook that Abbie is not well and needs an operation to help as she is suffering from Adolescent Idiopathic Scoliosis – a curving of the spine which has happened at a rapid rate. As a school, we promote our Christian values everyday for our pupils and compassion is our key value at the moment. We want to do anything we can to support the family and FoSS have already agreed to dedicate upcoming fundraising for the Just Giving appeal online. The Just Giving Page is available through our Twitter and here:

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/abbieswishfund?utm_id=66&utm_term=N8eQYA2E7

Staff emails

Some parents have asked for a reminder of the teacher emails.

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FoSS Corner

FoSS Calendar

December

6th Christmas Cake Competition
10th Father Christmas Trip
10th 'Elfridges' stalls
12th KS1 Performances

January

27th: Staverton's Got Talent
31st: Class 2 Cake Sale

FoSS News

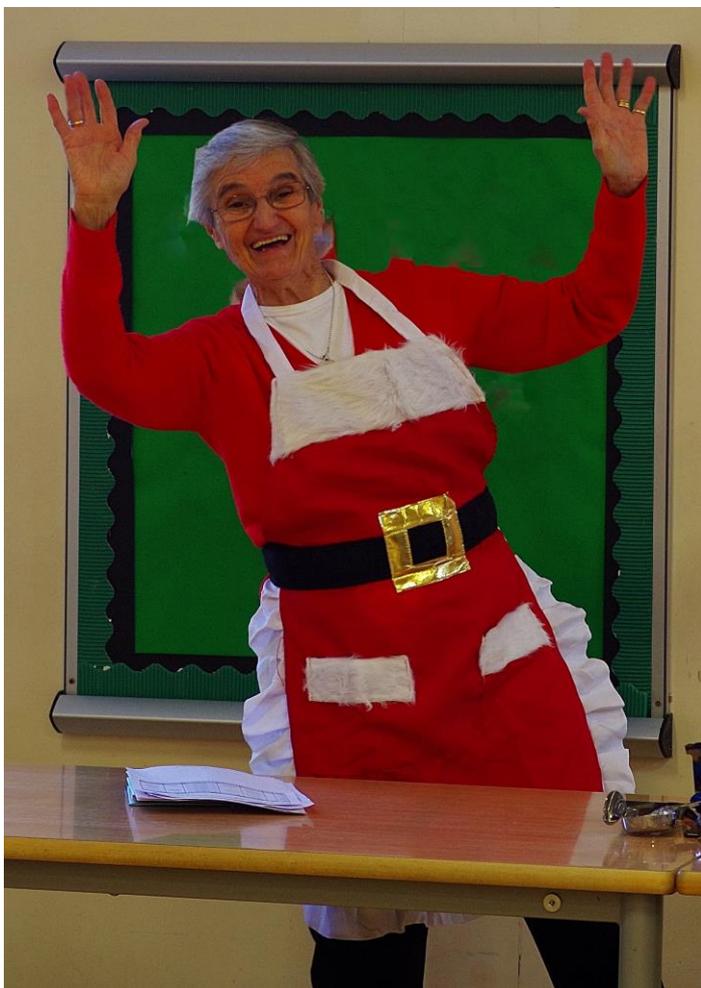
FoSS have drawn the Christmas Raffle on Monday so they will be letting you know if you are a winner.

Children can start thinking about what they want to perform in Staverton's Got Talent.

FoSS Website link

<https://classlist.com>

A Very Fond Farewell



After 14 years serving the pupils (and staff) of Staverton, Lynn has reluctantly taken the decision to retire and spend more time with her husband, children and grandchildren.

Even though I have only known Lynn for the couple of years I have been here, I already feel like a cherished part of her family. Imagine how the children and rest of the staff feel!

There is quite simply nothing I can write that would come anywhere near to expressing our thanks and appreciation; all those years of filling our tummies and warming our hearts. Not a day has gone by where Lynn hasn't shared her smile and great kindness with us all. She will be sorely missed but we wish her all the very best for the future, and have made her promise to come back and see us all regularly.

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Manifesto Afternoon



The Art Party carried out its manifesto promises on Wednesday afternoon this week, hosting art experiences in each classroom and the challenge area. Everyone in school contributed to a piece of artwork for display, and classes made Christmas decorations to bring home to families. Well done to the year 6s who led each session, and a huge thank you and well done to Mrs Bell for organising the whole event.

Christmas Service



Christmas Service is always a lovely way to end the term. The children told the story of the Nativity through short Bible readings with Class 1 role playing the Manger scene. Children shared Christmas prayers and raised the new church roof with their angelic singing. It really does feel like Christmas.