



Newsletter

Christian Value of the Term: Community

Stanford in the Vale
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Year 24/25 Issue 8
Friday 20th December

Foundation, Year 1 & 2 Christmas Play

On Thursday 12th December Years 1, 2 and Foundation performed The Fleece Force at St Denys. It was a magical performance. The children sang beautifully, remembered all their lines and acted, danced confidently. Well done to all the children involved, the staff, Mr Bailey, Owen and Jayden for the lights and sound, Mrs West for the refreshments and the St Denys Team.

During both performances we also took a collection for Cancer Research and raised £367.77. Thank you for your generosity.



Christmas Jumper Day

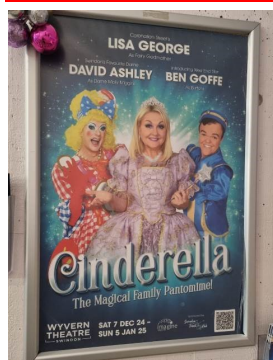
Many thanks to everyone who sent in £1.00 for the charity Save the Children and wore a Christmas jumper. We raised £108.15

Christmas Lunch and our Special Visitor

On Thursday 19th December we had a wonderful Christmas lunch. Many thanks to Mrs West and Mrs Jones for preparing and cooking it. We also had a special visitor come and see us. Due to us all being so good, Father Christmas made a surprise visit and brought us some lovely gifts.



Panto @ The Wyvern



On Wednesday 18th December the whole school went to the Wyvern Theatre in Swindon to watch Cinderella. 'Oh no you didn't, oh yes we did.' We had a fabulous time clapping, booing, singing and dancing along. Our favourite parts were watching the magical carriage scene and getting wet! We also enjoyed our yummy ice creams.



Love

Hope



Community

Diary Dates:

School finishes at 12.05pm
on Friday 20th December

Monday 6th January—Back
to School

Thursday 23rd January—
Stanford's Got Talent @ 6pm
in the school hall

Week beg. 3rd February—
Children's Mental Health
Week 'Know Yourself, Grow
Yourself' More information to
follow

Friday 7th February—Feel
Good Friday Children can
wear clothes that make them
feel comfortable

Friday 7th February—
Children's Disco organised
by FOSS
Foundation, Year 1 & 2 from
5.15pm—6.15pm

Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 from
6.30pm—7.30pm

More information to follow

Monday 10th and Tuesday
11th February—Parents
Evening Online 3.30pm—
6.20pm Booking will open
nearer the time

Tuesday 11th February—
Safer Internet Day 'Too good
to be true?' More information
to follow

Bags to school. Please drop
off any bagged unwanted
clothing on Tuesday 11th
February between 3.30pm
and 6.30pm or Wednesday
12th February between 7am
and 9am



Think you've got talent? Want to share it with the school and community?

If you can sing, dance, act, play an instrument or crack a few jokes, why not **showcase** your talent at **Stanford's Got Talent?** **Children from Foundation up to Year 6 welcome to audition.**

First Round Auditions - Friday 10th January a.m.
Miss Rogers will come and collect you from your classes
Bring your music/instrument/props with you

Second Round Auditions - Friday 17th January a.m.

Technical Rehearsal -Thursday 23rd January a.m.

Performance - Thursday 23rd January 6 p.m.



Attendance

100% Attendance for the Autumn Term

Congratulations to the following children:

Sunflower Class—Bella, Luke, Hunter, Jackson, Elodie, Amelia

Snowdrop Class—Jackson, Charlie, Ava, Louis

Buttercup Class—Esther, Arthur, Elise, Aubree, Hnery, Chloe S, Toby

Bluebell Class—Noah, Archie, Hannah, Isabell, Jessica

Poppy Class—Holly, Emily, Eva, James, Daisy, Ivy, Amelia, Bella, Nefaine

Orchid Class—Sienna, Tilly, Josh, Annie, Molly, Conway, Dylan S, Holly

Forget-Me-not Class –JB, Jake, Lewis, Aphea, Lottie

96% + Attendance for the Autumn Term:

Sunflower Class— Marcus, Eva, Anastasia, Arthur J, Mukundi, Lennon, Arthur O, Riley, Lilah

Snowdrop Class—Macy, Ella, Eliza, Chloe, Kaya, Emily, Antonina, Tariq, Albie, Maita, Alli, Oscar, Teo, Ella

Buttercup Class—Mia, Florence, Liam, Aria, Jasmine, Isabella, Skylar, Pippa, Aiden

Bluebell Class—Lily, Luis, Harry, Daisy, Christina, Lexie, River, Lenny, Eleanor, Mia, Freddie, Eira, Millie, Eriana, Tyler, Christopher

Poppy Class—William, Theo, Georgina, Freya, Sapphire, Archie, Jack

Orchid Class— Elodie, Phoebe, Melody, George, Imogen, Rosie, Renesmae, Bethany, Ollie J, Evie, Alice

Forget-Me-Not Class—Alfie, Bella, Toby, Robin, Sam, Finlay, Olivia, Lexie, Evan, Benji

Rocksteady

On Wednesday 4th December our Rocksteady Bands performed to the school and their parents.

They were amazing singing and playing their instruments.



We all enjoyed listening and clapping and singing along.

Reading Winners

Reading winners visit the vending machine.

Sunflower Class = Mukundi

Snowdrop Class = Alexcia

Buttercup Class = Jasmine

Bluebell Class = Luis

Poppy Class = Freddie

Orchid Class = Molly

Forget-me-not Class = Poppy Ec



Knowledge Organisers

Please find attached the knowledge organisers and enquiry questions for next term.

Carols at the Grange

On the last day of term we all went up to the Grange to sing carols to the residents. The children did a brilliant job especially the choir who sang two songs from the Christmas Big Sing. The residents were very impressed with the children's singing and even gave them some chocolates.



100 Club Winners

December Winners

1st Noah Matthews

2nd Sophia Davis

Believe and Achieve Winners

Our Autumn Term 2 Winners are:

Sunflower Class- Ezra and Elodie

Snowdrop Class - Chloe and Adam

Buttercup Class = Amelia and Jasmine

Bluebell Class- Lily and Freddie

Poppy Class- Jack and Penelope

Orchid Class - Sienna and Ollie J

Forget-me-not Class: Jake and Owen



Community Value Ambassadors

Our Autumn Term 2 Community Value Ambassadors

Sunflower Class- Larissa and Hunter

Snowdrop Class - Ava and Autumn

Buttercup Class - Jon and Pippa

Bluebell Class- Hannah and Alex

Poppy Class - Connor and Theo

Orchid Class - Mary and Annie

Forget-me-not Class Frank and Olivia



Christmas Hampers

The winners from the Foundation, Year 1 and 2 performance were -

Sweets and Chocolate Hamper won by Mia Chang-Ferreira

Children's Hamper won by Jen Hanson

Christmas Hamper won by Barbara Bird

Beauty/Pamper Hamper won by Margo Evans

Drinks Hamper won by Kathy Fox

Gin Gift won by Vicky Witney

Jack Daniels Gift won by Dave Rhodes

Chocolate Basket won by John Carter