

Let your light shine...

HSA NEWSLETTER



28TH NOVEMBER 2025 - ST ANDREW'S DAY

Happy Friday!

Today we celebrate St Andrew's day. Of course we all enjoyed some Scottish shortbread! We also learned about social justice and how to show we care for others in tricky situations. We know the world can sometimes be a scary place, but all of us can make it a little bit better through our actions. Children have been learning today how to be safe and active bystanders and use adults to help in situations where someone is hurt or upset. This can prevent bullying, and is a good thing to practice in the safe world of primary school. We shared the story of the Good Samaritan to help us. This story reminds us that we should help anyone who needs us. And may we all, in turn, be blessed with the help we need.

Ms Cooper



UPCOMING EVENTS

NOV

29

School visits and tours for Reception 2026

DEC

05

PTA Children's disco after school

10

Carol Service, 2pm in the Church

11

Christmas Craft morning

12

Panto in school

15

Nativity Production

16



ATTENDANCE CUP

This week the winner of the Attendance Cup is...



Willow's attendance was an amazing 100%. Very well done, Willow!

Attendance continues to be really good in school, despite the winter bugs. Thank you for sending the children into school when they are well and also for keeping children home if they are unwell. For advice on when to keep children at home please see: <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>



Shining Lights Awards

Let your light shine



Today we have shining lights in sport. As well as our class nominations, all of Mrs Williams' football team are nominated for effort in skills development.

Elm
Hayden
Lily

Willow
Ismail
Phoebe
Laila
Anne
Zarel
Tommy
Lola
Kayden
Christian

Hazel
Paigan
Muhammad

Birch
Aura
Ella
Harley
Iroh
Zach

Hawthorn

Parker
Yasin
Lennie
Jacob
Lola
Kimmie

Ash
Alfie
Aylin



Reminders

Christmas is coming!

We will be journeying through Advent together over the next three weeks as we enter that wonderfully exciting time leading up to Christmas. Please keep an eye on the school diary on the website and all dates coming through.

We're looking forward to seeing you all at the Carol Service, the Nativity, the Craft Morning... or all three!

A reminder: staff don't need Christmas presents. I've checked with Santa and we're all on the nice list, so we will get plenty of gifts from him! This is an expensive time of year (lots of us have kids too and we know it's a lot to manage) so please don't feel you need to buy gifts for staff. If you want to give us something, some of you have sent lovely emails in recently - kind words are always shared and mean so much.

Houseplants

Thank you to parents who have donated plants for school. We love them! And we always need more...



It's cold!

Please make sure your child has:
a waterproof coat
Black joggers for PE
Warm outdoor clothes

Please speak with Mrs Want if you need any advice or support in the run up to Christmas,

Shining Lights

Wonderful behaviour - courtesy and compassion - are not just for school. If you notice any of our children really letting their light shine at the beginning or end of the day, let us know! Manners at the shops? Careful road crossing? If you see something that will make us proud, please tell us.

We are a community, and how we behave in our wider community is just as important as how we behave in school. We love getting shining light recommendations from parents, neighbours and friends of the school.