SMSJ News



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On behalf of the staff and governors, I would like to thank you all your support this term in working with us to provide the very best primary education we can for your child/ren here at SMSJ.

Wishing you and your family a blessed Christmas filled with peace and love and a happy and healthy New Year.



A very Happy Birthday to those celebrating birthdays over the Christmas Holidays



Florence Jones
James Pridmore
Poppy Tully
Mollie Morais
Luna Jones
Anna Joster
James Foster



Coming up......

Mon 19th Christmas Jumpers

Carol Service 9.00am in Church Last Day of Term 2.15pm Finish

Wed 4th Jan 2023 First Day Term 3

The School Bus will run at 2.15pm on the last day of Term



Head Teachers Awards

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF YOU ON GREAT ACHIEVEMENTS



This week in **Reception** there are two Head Teacher awards.

The first one goes to **Betts Graham** for being a super star in the Nativity. Betts was our stand in Mary and did an incredible job. At the last moment, Betts performed as Mary in our dress rehearsal and the performance to our families and did it with a huge smile on her face. We are incredibly proud of how well she did and for being brave enough to take on a role she hadn't been originally. Amazing!



The second one goes to the **whole class** for being incredible in our recent Nativity. You were all amazing at remembering your parts, standing bravely in front of everyone, singing beautifully and doing all the actions. All the parents and teachers were so impressed with your super performance. Great work Reception, we are all very proud of you.



In **Year 1** this week the Head Teacher award goes to **Faith Hyland** for her super writing! She has been creating sentences all week and written a super story independently at home. Faith we are very proud of your writing and the progress you are making. Well done!

The **Year 2** Head Teacher award this week goes to **Zachary Watts** for his amazing work and contribution in computing lessons. Zachary joined in the discussions about digital photography with thoughtful ideas and was able to demonstrate his understanding when taking photographs. He was also able to give supportive feedback to his peers in order for them to improve their work. Well done Zachary.



In **Year 3** this week the Head Teacher award goes to the **whole of Year 3** for putting a lot of hard work and effort into learning their class song and performing it beautifully at the Carols Around the Tree concert. They worked exceptionally well as a team and really helped each other to perfect it. Mrs Thornton can't wait to see more of this next term.



This week in **Year 4** the Head Teacher award goes to **Bertie Anderson** for his superb effort and improved determination in all areas this week. Bertie has shown great resilience and super concentration. Well done Bertie.

In **Year 5** this week the Head Teacher award goes to **Florence Goodison** for working so hard on her model of a lunar rover last week and this week. Florence was able to saw, hammer and drill, hot glue and solve many problems during the 3 days of work. We are so proud of you.

The Head Teacher award in **Year 6** this week goes to **Kara Husband** for her fantastic approach to trying new things and developing her confidence. Kara confidently read during the EYFS Nativity at church, Mr Flowers was very proud of her. Kara also continues to be an amazing class secretary and is always helpful, ready and responsible. Well done Kara.



Winners of the House Cup this week:



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