



Halam Church of England Primary School

Life in all its fullness

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Friday, 15 December

Dear Parents and Carers,

May I start with a huge 'well done' to the children for their singing and performances at "Carols and Mince Pies" on Wednesday, it was a super afternoon, and made me feel very proud of all of our pupils.



Terrific Assembly Awards

Well done this week to:

- Cherry Class:** Sidney for making excellent progress in Maths.
Megan for helping other and showing super partnership.
Bobby for having a wonderful conscientious attitude to everything in the classroom.
- Maple Class:** Klay for performing so well during "Carols and Mince Pies".
India for making excellent progress in her learning.
- Oak Class:** Emily for going that "extra mile" with her homework.
Dora-Jane for making excellent progress in maths.

Head Team Award: Klay (again!) for being confident enough to play and sing.

Lunchtime "Good Manners" Awards: Alex and Ronald

Best attendance this week: Maple - 99.3%

Housepoints:

- First – **Sapphire** (63 points)
Second – **Ruby** (45 points)
Third – **Emerald** (26 points)



Dates for the diary:

Tuesday, 19 December	Christmas Church Service – 9.15am in Halam Church
Wednesday, 20 December	Pantomime – "Snow White"
Thursday, 21 December	Party Day – come to school in your party clothes!
Friday, 22 December	Christmassy Film & Sing Song Break up for the Christmas Holidays
Thursday, 4 January	INSET DAY
Friday, 5 January	INSET DAY
Monday, 8 January	School reopens for pupils



Christmas Party Day

It is our Christmas Party on Thursday, 21 December. The children may come to school in their party clothes (there is no P.E. on Thursday), but please make sure that they have a warm coat and sensible shoes as they will still be going outside for playtimes.



Sports Club Next Week

There **is** Sports Club is on Tuesday, 19 December for KS2 (Maple & Oak), but there is **no Sports Club for KS1** (Cherry) on Thursday, 21 December.



Pantomime Visit

A reminder that on Wednesday, 20 December we are going to the pantomime. Please remember to send your child with a packed lunch on Wednesday, or order one from Innovate before midnight on Saturday, thank you.

Finally, with this newsletter is a flyer from Southwell Minster about their "Family Festive Carols" on Sunday, and another flyer from Music for Everyone about the Big Youth Christmas Sing in Nottingham tomorrow.

Thank you for your continued support,

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