In The News...



Christmas Festivities

This week we have enjoyed Mr Walker's famous KS2 Christmas concert (over 100 parents/grandparents attended!) and the wonderful KS1 Nativity. Today all pupils enjoyed Christmas lunch, being waited on by staff, governors and St Paul's Church! We took part in Christmas jumper day raising over £200 for 'Save the Children'. Photographs of these events will be uploaded to the school website – a big thank you to everyone who supported these events, I hope they helped get you in the Christmas spirit!

Thank you FoSSP!

The staff and pupils of Sarum St Paul's School would like to say a BIG thank you to FoSSP for their generous Christmas gift of £100 to each class. They are very excited about purchasing new items for their classroom!

Notices:

- There will be no after school clubs running week beginning 18th December. •
- We request that water bottles do not get carried in children's book bags please. We have had several • school reading books get damaged because of leaking bottles.
- Next week each class have a Christmas party, KS1 on Monday and KS2 on Wednesday. Pupils can come • to school in non-uniform on the day of their party.
- End of term is Wednesday 20th December, children can be collected at 1.30pm. •
- We are in need of boys' second hand socks to have as spares at school. If you have any that you no • longer need, we welcome donations!
- Our procedure for emergency closure (this includes if it snows!) has been updated and is available on our • school website under the 'Our Policies' tab.
- Tovs and collectable items (including Match Attack cards) should not be brought into school unless arranged with the class teacher. We do not take responsibility for items brought into school that are then lost or damaged.

Governor Newsletter

Attached to this week's newsletter is a letter from our Chair of Governors, Alex Cornelius, outlining and celebrating the work carried out by the governing body this term. I take this opportunity to thank all of the governors for their commitment and dedication to the school and wish them a very Merry Christmas.

January Clubs

After school clubs will start back on the following days:

- Friday football team Friday 12th January •
- Monday football club and Film club Monday 15th January
- Multi skills and Discoverers Club Tuesday 16th January
- Zumba Thursday 18th January

A new cheerleading club for pupils in Year 2-4 will be starting after Christmas... letters to follow!

Key Stage 2 Carol Concert

We warmly invite all parents/grandparents and siblings to our KS2 Carol Concert on Tuesday 19th December. Please join us at 6pm in St Paul's Church, we hope to see you there!

FOSSP notices email: fossp2 @gmail.com Text: 07704 917418

- The Gazebo naming competition has now closed. The name will be announced in 2018! ٠
- We have had another amazing term. Thank you to everyone who has helped out and all of those who have come and supported the FoSSP events. Have a wonderful Christmas and make sure you are well rested for more FoSSP fun in 2018.

This will be the last newsletter of 2017 and what another incredibly successful and happy year at Sarum St Paul's. The Senior Leadership Team led the school through my maternity leave so very well meaning I made a smooth transition back into the role of Headteacher in May! I have loved being back in school and establishing my role again as Headteacher and mummy, both very important roles to me! Although we said a sad farewell to some much loved members of staff, we welcomed new teachers and TAs to the team and have enjoyed getting to know them. Your children continue to be positive, hardworking and dedicated learners and I am so proud of every single one of them. I hope you enjoy Christmas time with your family and have a restful and fun break.



From all of us at Sarum St Paul's – MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!