

Sutton St James CP School

Weekly Update

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6th December 2024



Christmas Disco & Party games
Friday 6th December
6 - 7.30pm
Come and join in with the fun and dancing!
Sutton St James Village Hall
On sale: £2 per child
Christmas Novelties
Drinks & Refreshments
All children from Sutton St James School and Pre-school Playgroup welcome!
All children must be accompanied by an adult.
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- ♦ Mon 2nd Dec—Christingle, 6pm
- ♦ Tues 10th Dec—Nativity play, 6pm
- ♦ Wed 11th Dec—Nativity play, 2pm
- ♦ Tues 17th Dec—Christmas Lunch day
- ♦ Wed 18th Dec—Christmas Party Day
- ♦ Thurs 19th Dec—term 2 ends

2024/2025 Term Dates

- TERM 2**— 29th October 2024 - 19th December 2024
- TERM 3**— 6th January 2025 - 14th February 2025
- TERM 4**— 24th February 2025 - 4th April 2025
- TERM 5**— 23rd April 2025 - 23rd May 2025
- TERM 6**— 2nd June 2025 - 22nd July 2025

2025/2026 Term Dates

- TERM 1**— 4th September 2025 - 23rd October 2025
- TERM 2**— 3rd November 2025 - 19th December 2025
- TERM 3**— 6th January 2026 - 13th February 2026
- TERM 4**— 23rd February 2026 - 2nd April 2026
- TERM 5**— 21st April 2026 - 22nd May 2026
- TERM 6**— 1st June 2026 - 22nd July 2026

PTA Christmas Party

Don't forget to come and join the festive celebrations at Sutton St James Village Hall tonight from 6—7.30pm. There will be fun dance competitions, combined with fun and festive party games! Guaranteed to be fun, we look forward to seeing you all there!

Owls and Swans Visit to Flag Fen

Earlier this term, Swans and Owls classes went to visit Flag Fen near Peterborough to enhance their learning about The Stone Age and the Romans. Despite the cold weather, the children had a fantastic time learning all about how people used to live and what their houses would have been like—some of them even got stuck in, using a traditional mixture that would have been used to build with....which included horse poo! Yuck! The children had a great time and the visit brought to life many things that they had been learning about in the classroom.



House Competition Results

With great delight, now that all of the money has been counted, we can reveal the results of the House Competition from earlier this term! On Children In Need day, each House covered their Pudsey with 1p, 2p, 5p & 10p coins...but the House that raised the most was Witham!!

Nene — £42.47

Welland — £37.77

Witham - £92.59

Ouse - £46.28

Congratulations to the winning House! The total amount raised for Children In Need Day (which includes donations for free dress day) is the grand total of **£332.51**. Many thanks to all who contributed.

KS2 Archery Enrichment and Competition



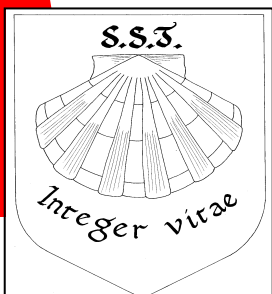
On Tuesday, we welcomed Sport2Day into school to work with all children in KS2, teaching them the skills of archery, allowing time for practice, before the children took aim and tried their best in the inter-school competition. This is a sport that the children would not normally have an opportunity to take part in through the PE curriculum in school and was paid for using the Sports funding received by school.

It is though opportunities like this that unique talents and skills can be realised and hence is an invaluable opportunity for all.



Christingle

On Monday 2nd December, it was lovely to see lots of you at the Parish Church for our annual Christingle service. Led by Micki Carey-Slater, a regular visitor to school, and some children from Herons class, it was a lovely service enjoyed by all who attended. A big thank you to Jenny Rose who came to school during the day to make the Christingles with Herons



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