







## Newsletter Issue 13

5<sup>th</sup> December 2025



	<b><u>Head Teacher's Award</u></b> Nainsi- Oak Class	
	<b><u>Attendance Award</u></b> Rowan Class – 98%	

### Upcoming dates for your diary:



Monday 8th December	Drumming Club – Y3/Y4/Y5/Y6 – 3:30pm – 4:30pm
Tuesday 9th December	Arts and Crafts Club – Y3/Y4 – 3:30pm – 4:30pm Band Club – Y1/2 – 3:30pm – 4:30pm Boys' and Girls' Football teams matches x 3 – 4:00pm-6:00pm
Wednesday 10th December	Cooking Club – Y1/2 – 3:30pm-4:30pm JAM Club Christmas Party – Y3/6 – 3:30pm-5:00pm
Thursday 11th December	Performing Arts Club – Y3/Y4/Y5/Y6 – 3:30pm – 4:30pm (Parents of participating children are invited to watch their performance at 4:15pm) Girls Football – Y2/Y3/Y4 – 3:30pm – 4:30pm
Friday 12th December	EYFS Christmas Stay and Play – 9:00am-10:15am Y5/6 Boys' Football Club – 3:30pm – 4:30pm

### Reverse Advent Calendar

This year, we are once again collecting donations for the Trussell Trust Foodbanks using our Reverse Advent Calendar.

Each day, we will open a door and discover the new item to bring in for the collection. Watch out for the posters on the gate every day during Advent.



### Christmas Fair

We will be holding a Christmas Fair In the school hall on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December after school.  
Details to follow next week!



### Prayer

Dear God,

Thank you for all the people.  
Thank you for the animals.  
Sorry for not listening.  
Please help us provide food for people who need it.

Prayer written by Sycamore Class

### Our Christian Value this half-term is:

Thankfulness



## Learning in Sycamore Class

This week, the children had the opportunity to take part in a workshop with *Tales with Tracy*. The children loved watching all the different parts of the story come to life. They had great fun immersing themselves into the story.



In science, they were learning all about the properties of various materials. They took part in an experiment to test the absorbency of materials. We discussed how we could test it, they learnt about making fair tests and making predictions before they started the experiment.



## Oak Class Perform at Hampstead Town Hall

In November, Oak Class took part in three spoken word workshops with WAC Arts as part of their 'Listen Up' project. Poets and artists from Central School of Speech and Drama worked with the children to develop their creative writing and performance techniques in a project inspired by The Old Town Hall in Hampstead, which has served as a venue for key political and social events for nearly 150 years now.

The project culminated in each child performing their final poem up on stage at Hampstead Town Hall on Tuesday. Jo and Debbie returned to school beaming with pride and the children were delighted with how the project had concluded. Thank you to everyone at WAC Arts who made this project possible and invited us to be a part of it.



## [A Wonderful Time at the Pantomime!](#)

What a joy it was to take Years 2-6 to the Lyric Theatre on Wednesday to watch Sonia Jilaly's *Jack and the Beanstalk*. The show was fun, cheeky and ever so playful; our children **LOVED** it from start to finish. There was singing, dancing and clapping galore. Nicholas in Year 2 and Jaida in Year 5 even got to appear on the stage and both won chocolate prizes!

We want to say a huge thank you to St Mary Magdalene's for their amazing contribution towards this trip – their kindness and generosity made the wonderful day possible and brought us true joy in this first week of Advent.

Thank you, in addition, to all of the staff who arranged the day and escorted the children there and back, and also to all of the parents and family members who came along to support their children. What a brilliant example of our school community coming together to put on a memorable day for our children!



## Two Games, Two Wins

For a second week in a row, our girls recorded a thumping 6-0 win. This time, St Mary St Pancras were on the receiving end but it was Khadijatu who was our hat-trick heroine this week. To say 'well done' to Tanisha - last Friday - on her three goal haul, we awarded her with an England football signed by all of the girls who had played – it will be our pleasure to do the same for Khadijatu today.

Our boys' team fought hard to secure a 1-0 win over St Mary's. A tight, competitive game was settled by Jeremiah when he drilled a low, hard shot across the goalkeeper into the far corner of the net. Harry and Grady played out superbly from the back and Rushil made two important saves from long distance.

Next week, we play three important matches against Netley, Argyle and Kings Cross.



# Advance Dates

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December** - EYFS Christmas Stay and Play

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December** - EYFS and KS1 Nativity (10:00am-10:40am)

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December** - Carol Service at St Mary Mags (10am-11am)

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December** - KS2 Nativity Performance (5pm-6pm)

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December** - Christmas Jumper Day

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December** - Christmas Lunch

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December** - Class Christmas Parties (PM)

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December** - Last day of term. School closes at 1:30pm

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