



1st December 2022

Next Week

- Tomorrow –** Celebration Assembly (9.10am)
- Sunday -** Family Christingle Service (School Hall) 10.15am
Wreath Making Workshop (Glentworth Village Hall) 6.30pm
- Monday –** Scamps Meeting (7pm – virtual)
- Tuesday -** FOSS meeting (3.30pm)
Young Voices (3.30pm)
- Thursday –** School Council Visit to the Stonebow
Guitar lessons
- Friday –** NO Celebration Assembly

Don't forget to keep up with what we are getting up to on our school blog:

www.scamptonschoolnews2022.wordpress.com

Scampton Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony

Scampton Parish Council would like to invite all families and friends to their Christmas tree lighting ceremony this evening at 6.30pm (for a 7pm switch on). A catering vehicle selling hot dogs, biscuits, cakes, hot chocolate etc. will be on site to keep everyone fed and warm to add to the festive cheer!

Christmas Post Box

From Monday, the Christmas Post Box will be in school for children to post Christmas Cards to their friends. House Captains will be sorting and delivering the mail daily. If children would like to send cards this way, please make sure that the full name and class of the recipient is clear on the envelope.

Christingle Service (Sunday in School)



Nativity



Due to the amazing things happening at the church, we will once again be performing our Nativity at school. Our intention is to again have our nativity outdoors where we can accommodate all families and friends – this time on the school playground. We'll provide some seating but it may be necessary for some people to stand. Please make sure you come dressed for the weather!

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If it is blowing a gale or pouring with rain, we'll perform the songs and script as best we can in the hall in a more 'concert style' performance.

Monday 12th Dec – 9.30am (gates open 9am)

Tuesday 13th Dec – 1.30pm (gates open 1.15pm)

Before each performance, FOSS will be selling hot drinks and other refreshments for you to enjoy. Raffle tickets will also be on sale for a Christmas Hamper Prize Draw at the end of each performance.



CHRISTMAS WREATH-MAKING WORKSHOP

SUNDAY 4TH DECEMBER 2022 6.30PM

GLENTWORTH VILLAGE HALL

£25 PER PERSON (inc mince pies + mulled wine!)

PLEASE MESSAGE HANNAH STEAD ON 07595 604197 FOR TICKETS

Scamps

The best way to contact Scamps, for example to cancel a booking, is to email scamps@scampton.lincs.sch.uk or send a text to 07821134400. Both are monitored throughout the day.

For safeguarding and insurance reasons, Scamps Club can only accept pupils that have been booked in via the booking system online. **Bookings close at**

2.30pm (on the day) for after school club and 10.30pm (the day before) for breakfast club. We need to do this in order to arrange appropriate staffing levels based on the number of children booked in to a session.

Hello Annie Fannie! Pantomime Visit



PLEASE REMEMBER NOT TO ORDER A HOT MEAL FOR 14TH DECEMBER AND SEND IN A PACKED LUNCH. We'll be leaving school by coach at 8.45am and returning to school at around 1pm when we'll have our packed lunches. There will not be PE lessons that day so all pupils should be in school uniform. Pick up time will be 3.30pm as usual.

Thank you FOSS for paying for the coach and an ice lolly for the interval!

Hot Christmas Meal and Christmas Jumper Day

REMEMBER TO ORDER YOUR CHILD'S HOT CHRISTMAS MEAL FOR THURSDAY 15TH DECEMBER. Orders must be placed online with our school meal provider by 10am on Thursday 8th December. The same day will be a Christmas Jumper Day – a £1 donation to School Council's nominated charity is requested.

For our Christmas Lunch, all pupils will eat together in their house teams with tables decorated, games and Christmas Songs playing! Children who would rather still have a pack up that day will of course eat alongside their friends and enjoy the occasion.

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Emails to School

If informing us of a child's absence by email, in order to be sure that email messages reach all the necessary people before the start of the school day - please email enquiries@scampton.lincs.sch.uk rather than an individual staff member.

19th-Dec – 2nd Jan – Christmas Break
3rd Jan – INSET DAY
4th Jan 2023 – CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL
16th June (6pm) - **SAVE THE DATE! WATCH THIS SPACE!**

Attendance and Punctuality

Arriving late and missing the same activity each morning over time has a detrimental effect on children's progress. Please make sure that your child has arrived by 9am each day.

A recent review of attendance by the Local Authority has highlighted some attendance issues caused by taking children out of school for family holidays. We would like to respectfully ask that parents DO NOT book holidays during term time. We appreciate that from time to time there may be exceptional circumstances requiring this and absence requests will continue to be considered on a case by case basis. We also appreciate that pupil illness is often unfortunate and unavoidable (and we thank parents for keeping children at home to prevent spread of infection). As a guide – pupil attendance that is below 95% over a 12 month period is considered a cause for concern.

Class Asia Food Tasting

As part of an RE lesson next week, children in Class Asia will be tasting a range of foods from around the world. We are aware of intolerances that have been notified to us from the information you have provided from student details returns each year. If however there is anything additional that you would like to alert us to, please get in touch.

Dates for your diary

4 th Dec -	Wreath making
6 th Dec -	FOSS meeting (3.30pm)
12 th Dec -	Nativity (am performance) (9.30am)
13 th Dec -	Nativity (pm performance) (1.30pm)
14 th Dec -	Pantomime visit
15 th Dec -	Christmas Jumper and Christmas Lunch day
16 th Dec -	Last day of term

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