



Dear Parents and Carers,

As we approach the end of term, I'm thrilled to share some highlights from our recent activities and provide information about upcoming events. We recently welcomed partners from Whitchurch Little Bears daycare to experience our wonderful nursery provision. This visit was put in place as families consider options for their reception class placement. We're proud to showcase our school and support families in making this important decision.

Our new house system is coming to the end of its first half term and it couldn't be closer – there are only two points separating all the houses! Holly House, who were way behind last week, have made an impressive push to narrow a large gap. We're all eager to see who will emerge victorious next week and discover what treat awaits the winning house! As a reminder, children receive house points for dojos, attendance, physical challenges and impressive home learning. They are keen to do their best for their teams; thank you for your home learning and attendance support, which contributes to this!

Our Robin and Skylark children delivered a delightful performance of "Snuggle up Stable" this week. Their cheerful singing and confident speaking brought joy to us all. I extend my heartfelt gratitude to Skylark and Robin families and staff team for their hard work in making this such a special occasion. Look out for their picture in the Whitchurch Herald!

Our KS2 children will be leading their carol service, which will take place at **6pm on Wednesday, 18th December, at Holy Immanuel Church, Fauls**. Everyone is welcome to attend and the children would love to see the church bursting with friends and family. They have put together a lovely service for us all to enjoy so let's show them our support and come together and raise the roof with some Lower Heath carol singing!

Looking ahead, we have an exciting final week planned. Our KS2 children will be visiting care homes to spread Christmas cheer. We'll also be celebrating with our Christmas dinner and Christmas jumper day. On the final day of term, we'll host our Christmas parties. Children are invited to wear their party clothes for this festive occasion.

There will be no newsletter next week. I'd like to take this opportunity to wish you all a wonderful and peaceful holiday season. As we do not have a PD Day in January, I look forward to welcoming everyone back on January 6th. Thank you for your continued support of Lower Heath CE Primary. Here's to a fantastic end to the term and a bright start to the new year.



Helen Reynolds
Headteacher



CELEBRATION

Happy Birthday to:
 Hugo, Nieve, Ava-Lily, Todd, Astrid,
 Finley S, J-J, Tommy, Charlie W and
 Elliot who celebrate their birthdays
 this week or over the holidays.



AWARD WINNERS



Congratulations to this week's **Award winners**, who are:

All of Robin and Skylark for their amazing Nativity performance
 Anura and Franky

UPCOMING EVENTS



- **18th December:** Christmas dinner and jumper day
- **18th December:** Carol Service, 6pm
- **20th December:** Christmas party
- **20th December:** Break up



Easyfundraising QR code

Please remember to do any online shopping through the Easyfundraising app. Scan this QR code to set it up. Donations will come to Lower Heath school at NO COST to you!

HOLY IMMANUEL CHURCH
 Annual Carol Supper

In Fauls Church Hall
 Friday 13th December
 starting at 7.30pm



All welcome to come and sing for your supper to a variety of Christmas carols and songs accompanied by David and Rob

Adults £10, children £5
 All Welcome

Fauls Crib Festival
 Holy Immanuel Church

Sat 21st December
 10.30am-3.30pm

A variety of cribs will be on display for you to walk round and admire at your own pace. Light refreshments available.



If you have a crib or nativity display that you would be happy to share with others this Christmas, would you like to bring it to Holy Immanuel Church on Friday 20th December between 10am and 3pm.

HOLY IMMANUEL CHURCH, FAULS
 PLEASE JOIN US



Carols around the tree



23rd December
 6.30pm

with mulled wine and mince pies

Please bring torches or headlamps and wrap up warm! Suitable for all ages

WORSHIP



Spring 1 half term, we will be focussing on our Christian Value of RESPECT. Our Bible story linked to this value is 'Moses and the Burning Bush'. Follow this link to hear the story read beautifully by Freddie: [Moses and the Burning Bush](#)
 Our value of RESPECT reminds us to treat everyone with kindness and consideration, fostering a positive and inclusive school community.

