

SUNBEAMS NURSERY

ST ALPHEGE CE INFANT SCHOOL

St Alphege
Values



Love

Loved, Inspired, Shining

Newsletter

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

January 2022

Tues 4th – **Start of Term 3**

Tues 4th – **Creepy Claws after school club begins Y1**

KEY EVENTS

A Christmas Message

On behalf of the staff and governors, we would like to wish you all a very Happy Christmas. We have worked hard to keep the Christmas magic alive this term and it has been so wonderful to see the joy on the children's faces over the past few weeks. We cannot thank you all enough for your continued support to us all in what continues to be a challenging time. Your children are incredible and we hope that you treasure your time together as a family over the Christmas period. Whatever you are doing, stay safe, have fun and make memories that will last forever. We look forward to welcoming you all back to school in the New Year.



Kentish Gazette Christmas feature



The Kentish Gazette will be running a piece on the Nativity plays in local schools in next week's paper (Thursday 23rd December) We are hoping to be featured, so please look out for a copy next week!

Bailey Yanik Cup Winner

Massive congratulations to Karl Gibbard, our Term 2 winner of the Bailey Yanik Cup. This cup is awarded to someone who has the gift of finding joy in everything and this little man certainly brightens up everyone's day with his gorgeous smile and kind nature. Well done!

Miss Johnson is getting married!

We are delighted to say that Miss Johnson is getting married in the Christmas holidays. We are certain that you will join with us in wishing both her and her husband-to-be the most special day. We look forward to welcoming her back to school in January as Mrs Swindells!



A visit from Santa!



The children were so excited this week to receive a special visit from Santa and his Elf! They had the chance to ask him some questions and even sing some Christmas songs. Santa gave each class a special gift to take back to their classrooms this year. We would like to thank Peter and Gemma from the Playhouse Theatre for making this event possible. The joy on the children's faces was so wonderful to see!

Sunbeams are winners!

On the 19th November, Sunbeams Nursery dressed as Dalmatians for the day to participate in the Children in Need competition, run by the IRIS software group. We are delighted to say that they have won the grand prize of £500! Thank you to Mrs Collins for suggesting this challenge and to all our wonderful staff and children for dressing up and looking so amazing!



Creepy Claws after school club – Year 1 only

There are still a few places left for Creepy Claws after school club starting on Tuesday 4th January 2022. Please contact them directly on 07720 771381 or www.creepyclaws.org before Monday 20th December, if you wish your child to attend.

Community

Catch up flu clinic for children in Canterbury next week

The Kent & Medway School Immunisation Service are holding community clinics for Flu vaccinations. They have just booked a clinic for Tuesday, 21 December 2021 at Canterbury Academy. If your child is aged 5 to 16 and missed their flu vaccination at school (Year R to Year 11), you can now book an appointment at one of their clinics online.

To book a flu appointment, just go to <https://kchft.healthit.org.uk/patheks> - it's that simple! There is also availability at other clinics in Kent and Medway – please check the link for venues.



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King Alphege is awarded to the class with the highest percentage attendance each week.



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W/E 17.12.21
Puffins Class – 99%