



Yarmouth C.E. Primary

The purpose of the Federation of the Church Schools of Shalfleet and Yarmouth is to educate children in an atmosphere of Christian love where all achieve the very best they can, now and throughout their lives.

<http://fosay.co.uk>

Headteacher: Mrs. E Grainger

Deputy Headteacher: Mrs. G Westhorpe

RESPECT • DETERMINATION • RELATIONSHIPS

Attendance Matters

Our attendance is recorded in line with the Education Welfare guidelines.

Whole School Attendance to Date 95.95%

Congratulations to Yellow Class at Freshwater who achieved attendance last week of 97.22%

Congratulations to Yellow Class at Yarmouth who achieved attendance last week of 99.26%

End of Term

On Friday 18th of December we will be finishing early for Christmas. Pick up times will be as follows:

Yarmouth	Freshwater
Reception - 1.30pm	
Year 1 & 2 - 1.40pm	Year 1 & 2 – 1.30pm
Year 3 & 4 – 1.50pm	Year 3 & 4 – 1.45pm
Year 5 & 6 – 2pm	Year 5 & 6 – 2pm

Upcoming Events

Dec 8 – Christmas Dinner (Yarmouth)

Dec 8 – Christmas Muffin Day (Yarmouth)

Dec 9 – Christmas Dinner (Freshwater)

Dec 9 – Christmas Muffin Day (Freshwater)

Dec 11 – Christmas Jumper Day

Dec 18 – Last day of term

Jan 04 – First day of term

Letters Home

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Romans 15:13

“May the God of hope fill you with all joy & peace in your faith, so that in the power of the Holy Spirit you may be rich in hope.”

Important News

Menu Changes

The school menu has changed slightly & the meal options will now be as follows:

Yarmouth

Thursday 10th December – Spaghetti Bolognaise

Freshwater

Tuesday 15th December – Roast chicken or Quorn Roast.
Fruit & Ice cream.

Wednesday 16th December – Sausage Roll or Mexican Roll served with chips & beans. Cake & custard.



In the Community

- West Wight Advent Trail – page 4
- Family Photoshoot at CHOYD – Dojo
- Aladdin at Shanklin Theatre – Page 4

Christingle

Our Christingle service this year will be held at school on 4th December. All children will be making their Christingles on the morning of the 4th December.

As in previous years, we welcome donations for The Children's Society via Scopay.

Christmas Cards

Children are able to bring into school, Christmas cards they wish to send to their friends. There is a post box in each classroom for them to put them into. Unfortunately, we will not be able to accept any Christmas cards after the 11th December. This is to allow us enough time to quarantine the cards, before sending them home with the children during the last week of term.

Christmas Jumper Day

On the 11th December we will be taking part in Christmas jumper day, should your child have a Christmas jumper they would like to wear. As in previous years, we welcome donations for Save the Children via Scopay.

Christmas Mufti Day

As a school we are aware that Christmas will be a little different this year & would like to reassure you that we intend to make it as good as possible. We will therefore be having a Christmas mufti day on the following dates:

Yarmouth - 8th December

Freshwater – 9th December

As in previous years, we welcome donations for our 3 chosen charities via Scopay.

CTWW Advent Activity Trail

The Holiday Bible Club Team have organised an Advent Activity Trail across West Wight. Local children have coloured in pictures of the nativity with appropriate Bible passages, these will be displayed in local businesses in Yarmouth, Totland and Freshwater.

They have had a tremendous response and willingness from families and local shops and other centres in our community. This is a great way of making sure the important message of Christmas is not forgotten. It is also a fun, intergenerational way of looking at the nativity story.

There are 24 pictures to find and then on Christmas Day there will be a special poster and message on the member church noticeboards. Prizes will be awarded after Christmas to those who find all 25 pictures (please see page 4 for more information).

The West Wight ADVENT TRAIL

Can you find all **25** hidden Nativity Pictures?

Hunt around shop windows in Freshwater, Yarmouth & Totland!
Upload photos of your findings to The Facebook Page
[@WestWightAdventTrail2020](#)
Or Email
westwightyouth@gmail.com




£2 off each ticket when presented at the Box Office

Spotlight IOW Ltd PRESENT

Aladdin

Shanklin Theatre

DECEMBER **JANUARY**

2.45PM: 22-24, 26-28, 30 & 31 2.45PM: 1 & 2
7PM: 27, 28 & 30

RELAXED PERFORMANCE | DEC 29 AT 2.30PM ADULT £18.50 | UNDER 16'S £14.50
THIS PERFORMANCE WILL BE SIGNED USING BSL PARTY RATES AVAILABLE

Box Office 01983 868000 | Online www.shanklintheatre.com



CHRISTMAS RAFFLE PRIZES

- Family Ticket - Camp Festival
- Lunch for Two up to the value of £60 inc glass of fizz each (excludes additional drinks) - The Terrace
- £20 voucher - The Hut
- Family Day Pass (2 adults + 2 children) - Tapnell Farm
- £20 voucher - TLC Beauty Lounge
- Boiler Service (excluding parts) - Boiling Point
- Family Membership (2 adults + 3 children) - West Wight Alpaca Farm
- Family Pizzas (4 pizzas) - Wightwood Pizzas
- £30 voucher - Tiger Lily Beauty
- Family Fish & Chip Takeaway - The Blue Crab
- Gents or Boys Haircut - The Yarmouth Barber
- 2 x Bottles Champagne - Gully Howard
- £15 voucher - Hayley Holistic & Beauty
- 2 x Cream Tea for Two - Gossips Café (2 separate prizes)
- Chocolate Brownies - Mrs S Mears
- Family double-scoop ice-creams or milkshakes - Scoops
- Plus...
- Chocolate Chip Biscuits Tin / Bayliss & Harding Gift Set / Nivea Gift Set / Grin / Clock / Brooch / Strawberry Teddy Bear / Milk Tray
- Chocolates / Prosecco / Decorative Material Heart and more...

GOOD LUCK!