



**ST HELENS PRIMARY**



Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2023

**Dear Parents and Carers,**

**What a week!**

**Ofsted have been and gone after a long wait of over five and a half years. Now we have to wait for the official outcome. Hopefully we will know before the end of the year.**

**What I have to say is how absolutely impressed I was with how the whole school community pulled together. The staff were outstanding, the children were amazing and the governors fantastic with their support.**

**A good number of parents sent their online replies to Ofsted and the majority of the feedback was very positive. We all want the best for our school so I am pleased that the comments reflected the hard work and dedication of our staff.**

**Needless to say, I am so very grateful and hope the imminent report positively reflects the very hard work and level of commitment I see on a day to day basis at school.**

**Attendance was very positive last week with most classes achieving some high levels. I hope this continues into the final week of the half term.**

**In assembly the children highlighted all the favourites parts of the week. Sam, Miles and Seb loved their maths, Charlie his egg box dragons, Rosie blending colours and Raif his phonics.**

**In Discoverers Georgie has loved doing 6 x tables.**

**Meanwhile in Pioneers, Alba has enjoyed rewriting Rikki-Tikki-Tavi and the children love their new hoodies.**

**Outside of school Emily and Abbie, visited the parish council with the brownies raising £170 following a presentation. Well done girls.**

## FOSH

We have a very committed parents association. However every year, half of the Pioneers leave and often their parents usually follow suit. Accordingly we always need new people to come forward to support the amazing work of the small group of volunteers.

At various times throughout the year, child-friendly events are organised which are great for the children and also help to supplement the budget of the school.

In order for the FOSH to continue and support your children, we need some new volunteers as soon as possible.

It would be devastating if the FOSH disband in July 2024.

On a more positive note the sun is still shining – I will ignore the wind and rain - and we can all look forward to a much needed break this weekend.

Nest week concludes with Harvest Festival and Wear it Pink Day on Thursday and Friday respectively.

Have a great weekend

Mr Wake

### Attendance week from: 02/10/2023 to 6/10/2023

Class	Attendance	Late Arrivals	Minutes Lost Through Lateness	Unauthorised Absences	Authorised Absences
Explorers	97.6%	1	20	1	2
Adventurers	98.9%	1	20	1	2
Discoverers	96%	1	10	10	0
Pioneers	87.3%	1	10	1	32

Although we strive for 100%, our whole school attendance for this week was 94.7% which is **below** the national expectation of 96%

If your child is too unwell to attend school please contact us to let us know. You can phone on 872442 or email us on [admin@sthelenspri.iow.sch.uk](mailto:admin@sthelenspri.iow.sch.uk) If you let us know by phone please can you put the reason for your child's absence in writing when they return to school otherwise the absence will be marked as unauthorised. We are required to ask you for this in order to follow the Local Authority attendance procedures, and if we don't receive a letter or email we have to follow it up.



## THIS WEEKS AWARDS



<u>Class</u>	<u>Worker of the Week</u>	<u>Star of The Week</u>
Explorers	Rowan	Lewis
Adventurers	Charlie	Arlo
Adventurers	Lizzie	Mia
Discoverers	Belle	Travis
Discoverers	Luke	Micah F
Pioneers	Sami	Alba
Pioneers	Josiah	Milly



We would like to wish a very 'Happy Birthday' to the following children who celebrate their special day this week:

Lewis age 5

Daniel age 6

Katy age 11

Ruby age 6

**School Dinner Menu (£2.75) per day or free to Reception, Year 1 & 2 pupils)**

On **TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS only**, the children will be able to order baguettes - fillings cheese, tuna or ham.

**WEEK 3** W/C: 01/05, 22/05, 19/06, 10/07, 11/09, 02/10

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>HOT MAINS</b>	<b>Cheese and Tomato Pizza</b> Served with Potato Wedges	<b>Butter Chicken Curry</b> Served with Wholegrain Rice	<b>Roast Pork</b> Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	<b>Cottage Pie</b> Served with two vegetables	<b>Breaded Fish Fingers</b> Served with Chips
	<b>Vegetarian Bolognese</b> Served with Wholemeal Pasta	<b>Tomato Vegetable Burger</b> Served with Potato Wedges	<b>Cheesy Ploughman's Picnic Plate</b> Served with Bread	<b>Macaroni Cheese</b> Served with two vegetables	<b>Vegetarian Dippers</b> Served with Chips
<b>JACKET POTATO</b>	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> with a choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> with a choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> with a choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> with a choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> with a choice of hot and cold fillings
<b>Tomato Pasta</b> Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta					
All main meals are served with two vegetables					
<b>DESSERT</b>	<b>Berry Flapjack with Fruit</b>	<b>Shortbread</b>	<b>Chocolate Brownie with Fruit</b>	<b>Ice Cream</b>	<b>Pineapple Upside Down Cake</b>

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**THREE WEEK MENU**  
SPRING/SUMMER 2023

Chartwells Schools

OUR NEW MENU CHOSEN BY PARENTS AND CHILDREN

YOUR FAVOURITES AVAILABLE EVERY DAY

Our menu is subject to change. Please be assured that all notified medical diets and allergy requirements will be safely catered for.

<b>WEEK 1</b> W/C: 17/04, 08/05, 05/06, 26/06, 17/07, 18/09, 09/10						<b>WEEK 2</b> W/C: 24/04, 15/05, 12/06, 03/07, 04/09, 25/09, 16/10					
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>HOT MAINS</b>	Cheese and Tomato Pizza 🌱 Served with Potato Wedges	Pork Sausages Served with Mashed Potatoes and Gravy	Roast Turkey 🐔 Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Beef Bolognese 🍖 Served with Wholemeal Pasta and Garlic and Herb Bread	Breaded Fish Fingers Served with Chips	<b>HOT MAINS</b>	Cheese and Tomato Pizza 🌱 Served with Potato Wedges	Chinese Chicken and Vegetable Rice 🌱🐔	Roast Gammon Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Beef Lasagne 🍖 Served with Garlic and Herb Bread	Breaded Fish Fingers Served with Chips
	Tomato Pasta 🌱 served with two vegetables	Cauliflower Macaroni Cheese Served with two vegetables	Roasted Vegetable Butterbean Crumble 🌱 Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Vegetarian Bolognese 🌱 Served with Wholemeal Pasta and Garlic and Herb Bread	Vegetarian Dippers 🌱 Served with Chips		Vegetable Pastry Roll 🌱 Served with Potato Wedges	Macaroni Cheese Served with two vegetables	Sweet Potato and Chickpea Roast 🌱 Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Vegetable Lasagne 🌱 Served with Garlic and Herb Bread	Vegetarian Dippers 🌱 Served with Chips
<b>JACKET POTATO</b>	Jacket Potatoes 🌱🐔 with a choice of hot and cold fillings	Jacket Potatoes 🌱🐔 with a choice of hot and cold fillings, including Salmon Mayonnaise 🐟	Jacket Potatoes 🌱🐔 with a choice of hot and cold fillings	Jacket Potatoes 🌱🐔 with a choice of hot and cold fillings	Jacket Potatoes 🌱🐔 with a choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>JACKET POTATO</b>	Jacket Potatoes 🌱🐔 with a choice of hot and cold fillings	Jacket Potatoes 🌱🐔 with a choice of hot and cold fillings	Jacket Potatoes 🌱🐔 with a choice of hot and cold fillings	Jacket Potatoes 🌱🐔 with a choice of hot and cold fillings	Jacket Potatoes 🌱🐔 with a choice of hot and cold fillings
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<b>DESSERT</b>	Vanilla Ice Cream	Strawberry Jelly with Fruit 🍓	Hot Chocolate Sponge with Chocolate Custard	Lemon Slice with Fruit 🍋	Crispy Crackle Bar	<b>DESSERT</b>	Oat Chocolate Cookie with Fruit 🌱	Orange Jelly	Chocolate and Banana Marble Cake	Flapjack with Fruit 🌱	Strawberry Ice Cream

**AVAILABLE EVERY DAY**  
Water, salad, freshly baked bread, yoghurt & fresh fruit

🌱 Vegetarian 🐟 Oily Fish 🍷 Wholegrain 🍓 Fruity! 🐔 Nutritionist's Choice

If your child would like the vegetarian option on a particular day, please can they let their teacher know so we can order enough portions from The Bay kitchen.

## Dates for Your Diary

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October – Harvest Festival Assembly (time to be confirmed)

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October – Wear It Pink Day – non uniform for £1 donation to Breast Cancer Now charity

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October – School closes at 3.00pm for half term

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November – School reopens at 08:45 for Autumn term 2

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December – Afternoon and evening performances of KS1 Nativity (details tbc)

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December – KS1 Party (a.m.) KS2 Party (p.m.)

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December – Santa visit (a.m.)

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December – School Christmas lunch

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December – School closes at 3:00pm for Christmas break

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December – Staff Development Day – school closed to children

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December – Staff Development Day – school closed to children

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2024 – Staff Development Day – school closed to children



## **Harvest Festival Assembly**

Parents and Carers are invited to join children and staff at our Harvest Assembly on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October.

We are collecting non-perishable food items to be donated to the Aspire Food bank and would be grateful if children could start bringing items in from Monday.

In aid of  
**BREAST  
CANCER  
NOW** The research  
& care charity

**WEAR IT  
PINK**

**YOU'RE INVITED TO WEAR IT PINK!**

You're invited to a wear it pink event  
Friday 20th October

Where  
St Helens Primary School

Bring  
£1 donation per child please

**Dress code: Pink!**

Breast Cancer Now is a company limited by guarantee registered in England (8347608) and a charity registered in England and Wales (1160008), Scotland (SC045584) and the Isle of Man (1200)

## **This Week's Class Updates**

### **Explorers**

Another busy week in Explorers!

Yesterday we were visited by the school nurse.

They explained what germs are and why it is important to wash your hands and cover your mouth and nose if you sneeze or cough.

They then showed the Explorers how to wash their hands using the happy birthday song to know if they've been washing for long enough!

Isabella and Jamie showed the class how easily germs can spread using glitter that mixed when they high fived. The girls then washed their hands whilst singing happy birthday twice.

In phonics this week we have looked at the sounds 'o, c, k, ck' and the tricky word 'the'.

The children have enjoyed a number of activities including playdough, stamps, paint and writing on whiteboards as well as a number of board games!

They are all really enjoying their reading books and love showing off their new sounds. Please do write in their reading records when you have read at home as we change their books after 3 times of reading.

It was world octopus day this week so the children have enjoyed learning lots of facts about octopi. They have been counting up to 8, using stickers and colouring.

We have carried on reading lots of autumn themed books and the children have particularly enjoyed the book Stickman by Julia Donaldson. In maths they have been using real sticks as well as pictures they could cut out to sort and order the sticks from smallest to largest.

They have enjoyed watching the short film and even creating their own stickman to take home!

Have a lovely weekend!



## **Adventurers**

Our penultimate week in Adventurers class has been as action packed as ever. In English we have been making predictions on what will happen next in our class text 'Egg Box Dragon.' Amongst our

ideas, William thinks that Egg Box Dragon will magically come to life in the moonlight... we'll have to wait till next week to see if William is right! In Maths we have been using number lines to add numbers together, with the majority of the class even drawing their own number lines. On a more creative note, we have learnt how to blend watercolours ready for our final piece after half term. In RE, we have been learning about the Hindu festival of Diwali and creating our own Rangoli patterns on clay which the children are excited to bring home next week.

We are looking forward to our final week before half term with the highlight of course being our Harvest Festival.

Have a lovely weekend.

## **Discoverers**

English

In English we have been explaining how to plant an acorn seed using imperative verbs and prepositions of place.

Maths

This week in maths we have been learning about fact families using the 3,6,8,4 and 2 timestables.

Art

In art this week we have been learning about Georgia O'Keefe and recreating the rams head and mountain landscape.

Science

This week in science we have learnt to use switches in our circuits and learnt to draw them using open and closed switches.

Written by Luke Hughes

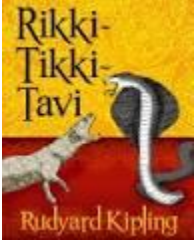
## **Pioneers**

Hello

This week I would just like to say how proud I am of the Pioneers Class and how they have embodied the values of the school , worked hard and fully represented what is great about our school.

We have been immersed this week with the Rikki Tikki Tavi story from The Jungle Book






( how a mongoose protected a family from a King cobra) and we have been independently writing dialogue in readiness for narrative writing next week. The children have also been learning and using PARENTHESIS.

**Parenthesis**

Parenthesis is a word or phrase added as an explanation into a sentence.

We use the punctuation of brackets, dashes or commas to mark parenthesis



E.g Boris Johnson, the Prime Minister, arrived at No.10.  
I lost my phone (an Iphone X) on my way home from school.  
I miss Amelia- my best friend- every day.

In maths we are looking at multiplication and division and soon moving onto fractions, so I think that this is a good moment to remind all parents about the need to support your child with building and retaining fluent times table knowledge.



There are many ways to do this, for instance the children all have access to **TT Rockstars** in and out of school ( their login details are in their reading records, although Year 6 have retained their logins from last year.) Here are a couple of other useful website links. Enjoy your times tables. They are the key to successful maths in Year 5 and 6.

<https://www.timestables.co.uk/>

[https://talkingtimestables.uk/y4\\_ks2\\_mtc\\_practice\\_tests\\_multiplication\\_tables\\_check.php](https://talkingtimestables.uk/y4_ks2_mtc_practice_tests_multiplication_tables_check.php)

Hello Parents and Children of Year 6,  
**YEAR 6 BOOK GROUP**

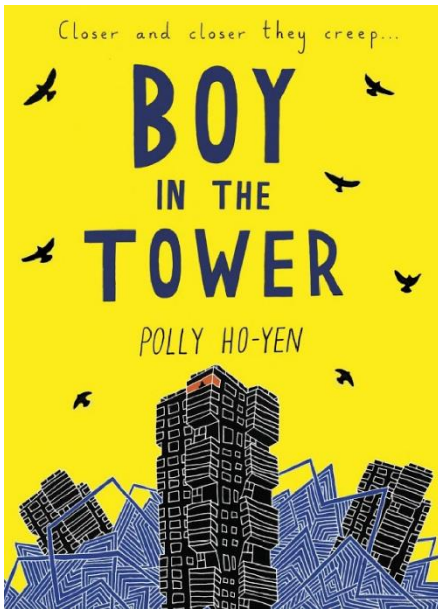
This year to promote a love of reading and create a feeling of group togetherness in Year 6, I am going to run a Book Group.

The idea being that every 4-6 weeks I will loan a copy of the same book to Year 6 (only) to read.

This book will be totally different to the book being used in the class literacy and Guided Reading lessons.

Year 6 you will have 4-6 weeks to read the book. We will meet one lunchtime a week to check progress and give each other encouragement. ( biscuits are available)

Our first book is, The Boy in the Tower by Polly Ho Yen.



*Ade loves living at the top of a tower block. From his window, he feels like he can see the whole world stretching out beneath him. His mum doesn't really like looking outside - but it's going outside that she hates. She prefers to sleep all day inside their tower, where it's safe.*

Thank you for your support and I would be very grateful if you could please encourage your children to look after the books to enable them to be used again.

Mrs Maloney  
October 2023

Textile Bank

Don't forget that we have a textile bank where you can donate unwanted **clothes, belts, paired shoes, bags, hats, (in a tied bag)**. The donated items will be collected and weighed fortnightly and the school will receive 20p per kilo towards our funds. **Donated items (bagged please) should be left near to the front entrance of the school. Please let the office know you have left items!** **Please do not donate duvets, pillows, cushions, household textiles, soiled rags, curtains, blankets as the recycling company will deduct the cost of disposing of these items from our overall total raised.**

Remember to look at the school website for the latest school updates and information at [www.sthelenspri.iow.sch.uk](http://www.sthelenspri.iow.sch.uk)

## From the Isle of Wight NHS Trust

We are offering the following Children's COVID Vaccination Clinics for Years 5-11 and Years 12-15 and Years 16-17 in the **Children's Outpatients Department, North Hospital, St Mary's** (NOT the Hospital Vaccine Hub). Accessible parking is available in the North Car Park.

Appointments must be booked in advance using the National Booking Service, we are unable to offer walk-ins.

For information about eligibility and how to book your Child's vaccination, please use the online link below, you will need your child's NHS number:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-vaccination/book-coronavirus-vaccination/>

All vaccines offered will be the Pfizer XBB.1.5 vaccines.

### Children's Clinics (more to follow)

Friday 27 Oct 2023, 08:00 – 11:00

Friday 24 Nov 2023, 14:00 – 17:00

For any other information regarding Children's vaccination clinics, please email the Hospital Vaccine Hub Team: [iownt.vaccine-hub@nhs.net](mailto:iownt.vaccine-hub@nhs.net).



## Family Hub

### Newport open day

**Wednesday 25 October 10am to 3pm to launch the Newport Family Hub.**

This event is open to members of the public and is a great opportunity for those who would like to find out about the services Family Hubs offer.

#### Programme of events

10am to 11am Arts and crafts
• Rock painting, colouring competition, Lego and toys
10.30am to 12pm Face painting
11.15am to 12pm Randini magic show
12.15pm Ribbon cutting
1pm to 2pm Arts and crafts
• Rock painting, colouring competition, Lego and toys
1pm to 2.30pm Face painting
2.15pm to 3pm Randini magic show

For further information and to secure your place please scan the QR code opposite

**SCAN ME**

<https://www.isleofwight.gov.uk/1651967-directory/1651967-page/1651967-1651967>

Isle of Wight Council

The poster features colorful flowers and a blue and yellow striped border.



**TABLE TOP SALE  
IN AID OF ST HELENS VILLAGE FAYRE  
3<sup>RD</sup> DECEMBER 2023**

**09:30AM TO 12PM  
ST HELENS COMMUNITY CENTRE  
GUILDFORD ROAD  
PO33 1UH  
STALLS, TEA, COFFEE AND CAKE**

**Please e-mail [sthelensvillagefayre.iow@gmail.com](mailto:sthelensvillagefayre.iow@gmail.com) if you are interested in having a table.**



St Helens Village Fayre - IoW

Disclaimer; [St Helens Village Fayre] accepts no responsibility or liability for the quality or condition of items purchased at this event. Purchases are made entirely at the individual's own risk. [St Helens Village Fayre] accepts no responsibility for sellers' or buyers' property on the sale day and accept no liability for loss or damage.



*Coffee Morning Friday 3rd November  
10:30 to 13:30  
The Pavilion on The Green St Helens  
In Aid of The Isle of Wight Toy  
Appeal*

*Tea/Coffee £1  
Cakes 50p - £1.50 per slice  
Also tombola and raffle*

*Donations are always welcome.*

*Give us a follow St Helens Village Fayre - IoW  
[sthelensvillagefayre.iow@gmail.com](mailto:sthelensvillagefayre.iow@gmail.com)*



# Scarecrow Festival

21<sup>st</sup> October to 5<sup>th</sup> November

**Come and join us this October half term at West Wight Alpacas**

**Come and explore our farm and find our bright and colourful scarecrows**

Why not enter our competition for the best dressed scarecrow. Design your own scarecrow and enter them into the hall of fame and be in for the chance to **win an annual family pass for 2024.**

Visitors will be able to vote for their favourite scarecrow. Which one will be your favourite?

Normal farm entry fees apply.

WEST WIGHT Alpacas

www.westwightalpacas.co.uk f i

Sandown Soccer - Isle of Wight

# SANDOWN SOCCER

at The Bay CE Secondary

**FOR CHILDREN AGED 4-11**

**Week 1: 23rd Oct - 27th Oct**  
**Week 2: 30th Oct - 3rd Nov**

**10AM - 3PM**

FA Qualified coaches with enhanced DBS and up to date first aid and safeguarding training.

Fun football games to develop agility, balance, coordination and speed!

Win medals by becoming Penalty, Keepy-uppy, Crossbar or Speed Champion as well as our Best Attitude, Most Improved and Future Star awards!

Take part in the Sandown Soccer World Cup where one team will be crowned **WORLD CHAMPIONS!!!**

Mini-Soccer camp for children. Aiming to provide a fun and enjoyable environment whilst developing and improving players footballing ability!

**SANDOWN SOCCER**

Player of the day!

Win Player Of The Day trophies and t-shirts!

**5 hours of fun EVERY day!**  
10am - 3pm  
Inclusive football for ALL abilities!

Only £14 a day  
Special Discounts!  
Full Week £65  
Sliding Discount available!

Have questions or would like more information?  
Contact Lewis (Mr Mitchell)  
sandownsoccer@yahoo.com  
07594 389531

**SANDOWN SOCCER**

Children are welcome to come for one day or for ALL the days!

Attend at least 4 out of the 5 days during the week and win a medal for all of your hard work!

To book a place text your child's name, school year, dates and your name to **07594 389531**

# WHAT'S ON

**OCTOBER HALF-TERM AND CHRISTMAS**  
Tudor House, SeaCity Museum & Southampton City Art Gallery



To book and for detailed information on any of our activities visit

[www.wegotickets.com/southamptonculture](http://www.wegotickets.com/southamptonculture)

**ART FOR ALL: Watercolour and Wax Autumn Paintings (5yrs+)**  
Mon 23 Oct / 10am, 11.30am or 1.30pm / Art Gallery / £7  
Join us in amongst the paintings at the gallery to create a beautiful mixed media autumn picture using wax crayons, watercolours and collage.



**HANDS ON HISTORY: Frankenstein's Clay Creations (5yrs+)**  
Mon 23 Oct / 10.30am, 1pm / Tudor House / £8  
Venture into Dr Frankenstein's lab and mould your own hideous clay creation to take away with you. The session will also take a look at some other nasty ways people used to ward off ghosts in the past.

**ART FOR ALL: Clay Owls (5yrs+)**  
Tue 24 Oct / 10am, 12.30pm or 2.30pm / Art Gallery / £3  
Twirl twirl! Twirl twirl! Enjoy a relaxing hour and a half, playing with clay to create a seasonal owl sculpture and at this fun and friendly workshop.

**ART SCHOOL: Zombies sculptures (7yrs+)**  
Wed 25 Oct / 10am-3pm / Art Gallery / £20  
Be inspired by the sculptures on display in the gallery to create a macguffin from wire before coating with layers of clay to create a spooky sculpture of your choice and a surrounding scene.



**TOUR FOR ALL: Scary and Spooky Southampton Walking Tour (5yrs+)**  
Wed 25 Oct / 11am, 2pm / Tudor House  
£7 per person, £24 family ticket  
Join guide Andy Skewen in exploring the hidden histories of Southampton by venturing into vaults and scale the tower's ancient walls. Discover tales of woe, plague, villainy and ghosts! Bring a torch and wear sensible shoes.

**KEY:** Dress for mess 🍷 Bring a snack 🍌 or packed lunch 🍱 Venue/tour has accessibility issues ♿

## SCC CULTURE CLUB

Southampton Culture Club for Kids (6"-12yrs)

Mon, Tues, Wed: 9am-4pm

(drop off from 8.45am) SeaCity Museum

£35 per day (£90 for 3 days)

Days of investigation, imagination and discovery for children aged 6yrs to 12yrs who love being creative and learning through fun activities. Led by the experienced cultural services learning team, at Kids' Club children will explore the past, experience the museum and gallery and make really cool things!

**Halloween**

**Mon 23 Oct: SPOOKY SHIPS AND HAUNTED HOUSES**

Get spooky making your own ghostly ship and haunted house using range of arty techniques

**Tuesday 24 Oct: 2D MONSTER MASH UP!**

Try your hand at art techniques and create some gruesome pictures of amazing monsters from your mind.

**Wednesday 25 Oct: 3D MONSTER MASH UP!**

Get creative and invent your own monster using recycled toys. A fun sculpture day full of making

recycled toys.

**Halloween at Tudor House**

Family Fun Day Thurs 26 Oct

10am-12pm

Spooky fun in the Banqueting Hall and all the part in loads of spooky, fun activities throughout the day! There'll be creepy crafts, gruesome games, face painting and a haunting trail!

Join one of our famous spooky ghost tours to discover the stories hidden in the house.

\*Charge apply for some drop-in activities. Tours are pre-book.

**Why not add a festive afternoon tea at our cafe where the whole family can enjoy a range of tasty seasonal sweet and savoury treats while overlooking our beautiful gardens. Book in advance. Adults £17.50 Children £10.50**

**Christmas Holidays**

**Monday 18 Dec: CHRISTMAS CHARACTERS**

**Tuesday 19 Dec: CHRISTMAS CRACKERS**

**Wednesday 20 Dec: ALL WRAPPED UP!**

**LETS GET FESTIVE**

**TOUR FOR ALL: Christmas Lantern Tour**

Sat 16 Dec / 5pm, 7pm / Tudor House

£7 per person, £24 family ticket

**ART FOR ALL: Winter Watercolours (5yrs+)**

Mon 18 Dec / 10am, 12.30pm or 2.30pm

Art Gallery / £3

**ART FOR ALL: Brilliant Birds (5yrs+)**

Tues 19 Dec / 10am, 12.30pm or 2.30pm

Art Gallery / £3

**ART FOR ALL: Print your own Wrapping Paper (4yrs+)**

Wed 20 Dec / 10am, 12.30pm or 2.30pm

Art Gallery / £3

**LETS MAKE A: Christmas at Hogwarts (9yrs+)**

Tues 19 or Wed 20 Dec / 10.30am or 1pm

Tudor House / £3

**ART FOR ALL: Wire Reindeer (12yrs+)**

Tues 19 Dec / 11am-1pm / Art Gallery / £22

**ART FOR ALL: Wire Christmas Decorations (12yrs+)**

Wed 20 Dec / 11am-1pm / Art Gallery / £22

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**Birthday Parties for kids**

If you've got a history fan or art enthusiast at home then why not throw them a birthday to remember at one of our unique venues?

Create a special day for your child full of hands-on activities. From £10 per child. Email [museums.education@southampton.gov.uk](mailto:museums.education@southampton.gov.uk)

**Father Christmas & Christmas Crafts at Tudor House (all ages)**

Sat 5, Sun 16, Sat 16, Sun 17, Mon 18 Dec

£15 per child

Discover the magic of a Tudor House Christmas with your family this year. Enjoy a festive visit to Father Christmas in beautiful surroundings, complete with a traditional gift and craft activity where you can make a decoration to take home.

Ticket includes entry to the house, where you can enjoy our super cute Christmas Tudor House Mouse trail.

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