



ST MARTINS SCHOOL

3 December 2021

December is finally here and we can now officially get into the Christmas spirit!! Our Christmas lunch takes place on Friday 10th December, this is the full menu.



We have launched our Grand Christmas Raffle with proceeds going towards the cost of Mr Wilko our very special school dog who will start coming into school on a regular basis after Christmas, now he's a bit older.

Letters with raffle tickets attached have been sent home with every student. If you wish to buy any please return money and raffle ticket with name of your child and their class teacher/tutor on the reverse by **FRIDAY 10 DECEMBER**. If you would like to buy EXTRA tickets please contact reception@stmartins3-16.org Good luck everyone!



Hopefully we will see many of you at the Oswestry Christmas parade on Saturday, give us a shout and a cheer and you may get some sweets — fingers crossed for a dry day!

Covid has altered some of our usual festivities—we will be recording Christmas performances to share with parents. Sadly we won't be able to welcome our parents and wider community to our Christmas service in the church or allow students to hand out Christmas cards in school.

A reminder that school finishes an hour earlier on Friday 17 December and we return on Wednesday 5 January. Covid testing for secondary students will take place during the first week back. We will email out the COVID testing consent form to all parents. If you've already completed one you don't need to complete another one, but it would be great if we could get more students tested particularly in year 7, so please return your forms to school as soon as possible.

Have lovely weekend, Ms Lovecy



ST MARTINS SCHOOL

3 December 2021



Young Writer 2022

This year's competition is open to all year groups. You can submit your piece of writing, which should be no more than a side of A4 (approximately 500 words), to Ms Jones in primary or Ms Phoenix in secondary.

This year's title is

"Today's Heroes"

Closing date: Friday 7th January

Gift token prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd



Well done to our House Point of the week stars! These are the students who have earned the most house points this week in their year group. At the end of the school year there will be lots of prizes to win so keep up the fantastic work!



A massive congratulations to the year 7 boys football team who travelled to Lakelands School on Tuesday 29th November. The boys won 1-0 with a well-placed finished from Harri Edwards. The lads played some great football and showed brilliant sportsmanship and team spirit!

Jesse Lewis, Olly Lewis

Kenzie Vickers, Connor Platt

Harry Nunnerley, Tyler Evans

Kyle Clutton-Moore, Justin Locke, Leighton Lippitt,

Noah White, Harri Edwards, Flynn Woodcock, Luke Hodge, Harvey Ellis, Archie Ford, Archie Ditcher





ST MARTINS SCHOOL

3 December 2021

The Cadets took part in their last session until the new year, taking part in some team building activities. Ms Lovecy congratulated all the cadets who were being promoted from Cadet to Cadet Lance Corporal. Well done to :

Maya Lockley

Jodie Davies Dowd

Sophie Drury Whittall

Lucy Williams



Well done to Niamh Reece in year 11 who has represented Wales in the 'Dance It' freestyle dance championships in Skegness.

Niamh danced in a number of heats as the numbers of dancers were whittled down to a final few. She came Third in pairs, third in teams and fifth in solo—fantastic results over a very big week-end of dance!

After school sports clubs for secondary are moving days from NEXT WEEK:

Monday – Girls football and Yr7 and 8 boys football

Tuesdays – Netball for all years and Yr9, 10 and 11 boys football

Wednesdays – Badminton/Volleyball for all years and Rugby for all years

VILLAGE WINTER HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES AND FOOD PROGRAMME

AN EXCITING AND ENGAGING PROGRAMME OF FREE ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN AGED 5-12 YEARS

Four hours of games and activities for children of all abilities

Children and young people are invited to join us to take part in lots of fun activities, sports and games, all supervised by fully qualified and DBS checked sports activity coaches and youth workers.

All activities will take place in a Covid-19 secure environment. Limited places available. Registration essential.

The activities will be held on the following dates:

Mon 20th Dec	All Saints Church Hall (Sobowen)	1pm - 5pm
Tue 21st Dec	St Martins Centre	1pm - 5pm
Wed 22nd Dec	Weston Rhyn Institute	9:30am - 1:30pm
Thur 23rd Dec	Park Hall Stadium (Whittington)	1pm - 5pm

This opportunity is provided as part of the government's extended Holiday Activities and Food (EAF) programme being delivered across Shropshire, funded by the Department for Education. Thanks also go to a number of other local partners who have provided additional support to enable our free food provision to be free for all children and young people attending. To find out more, view the 'What's On' guide and sign up to the EAF newsletter go to: www.shropshire.gov.uk/eaf

Free healthy meal and beverages for all participants



To book your place, visit: www.tnsfc.co.uk/foundation/holiday-activities

FREE ENTRY

To find out more about the Foundation, visit www.tnsfc.co.uk/foundation or contact us at 01691 889791 or info@tnsfcfoundation.org.uk

Follow us on: 

In Association with

