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**Pinecone Creations** 

The children from Nursery, right through to Year 6 had smiles on their faces, and were immensely proud of their pinecone creations... I hope their reindeer and Christmas tress take pride of place amongst your decorations!

This was the last session this term, however we have arranged to continue our work with The Outward Bound Trust next term, so waterproofs and wellies will need to be returned for the week beginning Monday 11











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☆ Julia for teaching us all about her beautiful gems!

Lewis for telling the story of Kevin the Carrot REALLY well (nominated twice, by Mrs. Capstick and Mrs. Chappell)

 $\bigstar$ Oscar for his excellent art- $\bigstar$ work to send to Carlisle Hospital.  $\bigstar$ 

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☆ Isabella Wood for writing  $\bigstar$ 

- her letter to Santa beautifully!  $\bigstar$
- ☆ Albie for fabulous cutting skills.  $\bigstar$
- Charley and Jas for great progress in reading!  $\bigstar$
- $\bigstar$ Tego for working hard to recognise and write his letters and  $\frac{1}{2}$ numbers!  $\bigstar$
- ★ Matthew Hartley for super estimating and measuring rain-☆ fall in science!
- $\bigstar$ Erin Johnson for amazing progress in her Learn Its!  $\overleftrightarrow$
- ☆ Sid the Elf for being so well behaved, and helpful for Teresa ☆ in the kitchen!  $\bigstar$

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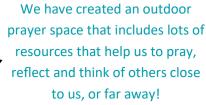
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Prayer Space













° ₩ After analysing the results of our parents' questionnaires, it became obvious that many people do not know who our Governors are, and what their important role within our school is! Therefore, each week we are going to introduce you to a new member of our Governing Body! 

## Julie Graham: Vice Chair, Foundation Trustee Governor

I have lived in Shap since August 2016. As a family we enjoy being so close to the countryside and all the wonderful places in the Lake District. I have two children who attend the school and will often be seen on the daily school run (usually hoping that I've not forgotten something in their book bags).

I am currently a stay-at-home parent but before moving to Shap I worked for nine years for a Women's Aid group supporting survivors of domestic abuse. I have also worked for the Youth Offending Service as part of a mentor scheme. I am able to use some of these skills and experience in my role as a governor. I am part of the school finance committee and I am also the link governor for the subjects of Maths and Science.

I admire the hard work and dedication of all of the children and staff of Shap C of E School and would like to also thank all the families and local community for your ongoing support.





	Provision prepare	re planned an exciting week for our last week of term! In throughout the week will focus on all things Christmassy, so be I'd for 'glitter covered children' returning from school! We have ing special planned each day too, so please read and digest the summary below so you know what to expect!
Date	Activity	Notes
Monday 14th December	Class Productions	Our classes have been busy preparing a nativity, some music and some poetry to share with each other. We will share the links with families too! Reverend Alun will join us and this will couple up as our 'End of Term Service' too.
	Christmas Fun with Action Ants	In the afternoon, we have invited Action Ants to school to do some Christmas themed sports outdoors with our classes! Please can children make sure they wear warm clothes and footwear that are appropriate for doing PE outside
Tuesday 5th December	<i>Covidella</i> Streamed Panto	Kindly paid for as a Christmas treat from FoSS. If they wish, children can come 'Panto Ready' with deely boppers, novelty headwear or anything luminous, flashing or glowing! The children will be treated to a tub of ice-cream too!
Wednesday 16th December	Christmas Movie Morning	If they wish, children can come wearing pyjamas for the perfect snuggly morning watching a Christmas Movie.
	Rapunzel Singalong afternoon	The children will be treated to popcorn and hot chocolate too! In the afternoon, we will take part in the <i>Rapunzel Big Sing</i>
Thursday 17th December	Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper Day	If they wish, children can come to school wearing their Christmas jumpers, ready for a delicious meal prepared by Teresa!
		Please order your child's Christmas lunch online ASAP: https://www.lunchshop.co.uk/user/login
Friday 18th December	Christmas Party Day	If they wish, children can come to school wearing 'party clothes' (nothing too precious, and something that they will be able to dance and play in!)
		The children will be treated to a drink and Christmas biscuit!
		School finishes at the usual times for our bubbles, and Christmas Holidays begin!







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14 December	End of Year Service with Rev. Alun: Classes to share Christmas class performances, and Mrs Chappell	
	will share with you afterwards!	
	Christmas Action Ants Session for all children	
15 December	Covidella and The Masked Ball—streamed Pantomime treat from FoSS	
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16 December	Christmas Film Morning and Rapunzel Big Sing afternoon	
17 December	Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Lunch —	
	Please order your child's lunch via Lunchshop	
18 December	Christmas Parties	
10 December	Chan Sahaal Daffle Crend Drize Drow (reising frunds far own Sahaal Crewede Droiset)	
18 December	Shap School Raffle Grand Prize Draw (raising funds for our School Grounds Project)	
18 December	PLEASE RETURN YOUR ATTENDANCE SLIP FOR MICROSOFT TEAMS TRAINING FOR PARENTS	
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19 December—04	Christmas Holidays, school reopens on Tuesday 05 January	
January		
06 January	First Aid Classes for Catbells children and Kidsty Pike children	
11 January	10.00am: Microsoft TEAMS Training for Parents	
13 January	First Aid Classes for Blencathra children and Helvellyn children	
14 January	5.30pm: Microsoft TEAMS Training for Parents	
14 January		
22 February	Wheelchair basketball	
04 March	World Book Day	
24 May	Young Voices 2021 @ Manchester Arena	
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28—30 June	Helvellyn Residential to Kingswood—more information to follow	

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions regarding the content of this newsletter!

For in-depth information about every aspect of our school, please see our website:

https://www.shap.cumbria.sch.uk

For day-to-day news, reminders and celebrations, please see our School Facebook Page: Shap CE School





For information about fundraising and social events, please see Friends of Shap School – FoSS Facebook Page

Many thanks!

Katie Chappell

Acting Headteacher



Shap CE School: A Safe Branch from which to Soar

With children and the church at the heart of the school, we are 'living in harmony' (Romans 12:16) within our community; nurturing one another in order to create an environment from which all can soar

