



Summerseat Methodist Primary School Newsletter



EPWORTH
EDUCATION TRUST

12th December 2025

Head of School's Message....

Well, what a week it has been in school this week!

Firstly, thank you so very much for all your support with the Christmas Fair. The donations of gift bags, chocolate and toys were so generous and very much appreciated. The fair was a huge success and the hall looked wonderful. Staff worked exceptionally hard to ensure the grotto was magical and fit for our very special visitor. There were some great raffle prizes and some gorgeous wreaths available. There was a lovely buzz at the whole event and we are delighted to say that, thanks to everyone's efforts we raised £987! This is wonderful and will be put straight back into curriculum resources for the pupils. A massive thank you to all the fantastic volunteers who came to help us out, to all the staff who gave their time and especially to Miss Jones and Miss Ward for visioning, planning and organising.

We are now on with thinking of ideas for Easter and Summer so watch this space! Following on from the parent forum last night, we are looking to develop a 'school fundraising team'. If you are interested in being part of this then please do contact the office.

Thank you to those who were able to attend the parent forum... issues discussed were attendance, assessment and other matters raised by the parent community. The next one will be scheduled for the end of January so please do consider coming along if you can.

Christmas is obviously a very busy time in school and the pupils and staff are busy practicing for the performances next week. We look forward to welcoming you into school to share this with you. Please read the earlier email regarding filming and photos due to safeguarding reasons. If your child does not have a costume in school then please ensure it is in on Monday, thank you.

We will be holding a Christmas service in church on the final day of term at 2pm and you are very welcome to join us. We will be taking collections of Christmas food items and non-perishable foods to support the church with their porch box gift service, so please donate if you are able. Children can leave with parents after the service but school will remain open until 3.20pm and club will be on as usual.

This weekend will be the 'Herbie's Christmas switch on so please join us there if you can to support this community event and our choir.

Have a lovely weekend, Mrs Brown x



01706 823427



School Details

office@summerseat.epworthtrust.org.uk



Website: <https://www.summerseatmethodistprimary.co.uk/>

Twitter: https://twitter.com/Summerseat_mps

Attendance Every Day Counts!

This week's winners are...



	Acorn	Oak	Beech	Ash
% this week	96.2	94.5	95.5	86.1

December diary dates

12 th Dec	Christmas jumper day
13 th December	Choir singing at village tree lights event 6pm
15 th , 16, 17 th Dec	Christmas concerts 2pm, 3.30pm, 2pm
18 th Dec	Party Day
19 th Dec	Christmas service 2pm School closes
5 th January	New Term starts
9 th January	SEND workshop 9.30am

This Week's Awards

Who has been shining at Summerseat this week?

Shine Award	Value Award
Acorn (Nursery & Reception) Millie	Acorn (Nursery & Reception) George
Oak (Year 1 & 2) Evan	Oak (Year 1 & 2) Reeva
Beech (Year 3 & 4) Archie	Beech (Year 3 & 4) Teddy
Ash (Year 5 & 6) Ben	Ash (Year 5 & 6) Aoife



Remember, you are always welcome to join us for our Friday Shine assembly. It is an open invitation. If your child is going to receive a reward, you will get a message on Thursday via the Parent App.

House Captain Awards



Hoyle



Hamer



Rogerson

Saturday, 13th December - 6:00 PM

HERBIE'S GRAND CHRISTMAS SWITCH- ON! 2025 ✨

📍 Summerseat Park, Waterside Rd 🌲



Join us for a magical evening:

🗣️ Hosted by local
Poet and Author Paul
Jenkins
Setting the festive
mood!

👏 Supported by
Councillor John
Southworth
Celebrating with our
community!

🎵 Summerseat
Methodist School
Choir
Leading the Carols.

💖 A Special Bench Dedication for Viv Knight 💖
Remembering our cherished community leader

🍰🥤 Festive Refreshments Available to Buy! 🍷🍸

Warm up with hot drinks, and food!



EVERYONE WELCOME! ✨

SCAN ME

Come together and make this a night to remember filled with joy and holiday spirit!

We hope to see you there, celebrating the festive season with us and create wonderful kinsay memories together!

