



HILTINGBURY HIGHLIGHTS

DECEMBER 12TH - ISSUE #10

HEADTEACHERS MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Carers,

It was lovely to welcome so many families into our open classrooms on Wednesday. The children were incredibly proud to share their learning, and we hope you enjoyed seeing their fantastic work. Thank you to everyone who then joined us for our *Carols Round the Tree* concert. A special thank you goes to Mrs Nurdin, Miss Chambers for organising the event, as well as to our talented choir for their beautiful performance.

A huge well done also to Year 6 for their charity fundraiser which ran throughout the carol concert in aid of Wessex Cancer Support. Their cake sale raised over £500, which is an incredible achievement. Thank you to everyone who baked, bought, and supported this brilliant cause.

We would also like to congratulate Year 6 on completing their mock SATs this week. They worked extremely hard, and we are very proud of their effort and resilience. Thank you to all staff who have supported them throughout.

A massive thank you to the HSPTA for organising *Elfridges*. The children had a wonderful time taking part in the festive activities and choosing gifts for their families. Your hard work and creativity are greatly appreciated.

As we head into the final week of term, we are excited to round it off with the HSPTA Santa Dash on the last day. There is still time to sign up if you would like to take part!

As we move into the final days of term, we would like to thank you for all of your continued support throughout the Autumn term and wish all our children, families, and staff a very Merry Christmas and a joyful festive season.

Wishing you all a restful and enjoyable weekend.

Charlotte Hartley
Acting Headteacher



UPCOMING EVENTS

CHRISTMAS POST BOX OPEN -
LAST DAY DECEMBER 16

GIVING TREE OPEN FOR BABY
NECESSITIES DONATIONS -
DONATIONS IN BY MONDAY 15
DECEMBER

WINTER HOUSE SPORTS DAY
DECEMBER 15 - COME TO
SCHOOL IN WARM SPORTS
WEAR

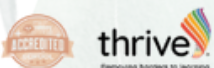
RAFFLE TICKET WINNERS NON
SCHOOL UNIFORM DAY
DECEMBER 16

HOUSE TREAT DECEMBER 16

Y6 VE DAY PARTY PARENTS
INVITED DECEMBER 17, 2PM

SYCAMORE CLASS LISTEN TO
ME CONCERT DECEMBER 18,
2.30PM

SANTA DASH & LAST DAY OF
TERM DECEMBER 19



WEEKLY YEAR GROUP HIGHLIGHTS

Year 3

[Link to our Weekly Highlights & Gallery.](#)

Year 4

[Link to our Weekly Highlights & Gallery.](#)

Year 5

[Link to our Weekly Highlights & Gallery.](#)

Year 6 -

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Our Shoeswap recycle scheme will be back next term

So remember to drop off your outgrown shoes and swap them for a new-to-you pair!

The SHOESWAP DROP & SWAP



CHRISTMAS CALENDAR

Event	Date	Information
Christmas Post Box	Monday 1st December	Closes Tuesday 16th December
Giving Tree in support of Baby Necessities	Monday 1st December	Last day to bring in your gifts Monday 15th December
Elfridges	Monday 8th December	Book via HSPTA website
Carols Around The Tree & Open classroom - share your childs work	Wednesday 10th December	3.30PM share your child's work. Festive treats for sale Y6 charity fundraiser in aid of Wessex Cancer Trust. 4pm Carols begin
Festive Jumper Day	Thursday 11 th December	Gift donations to our giving tree in support of Baby Necessities
Christmas Lunch	Thursday 11 th December	Don't worry if you have not pre-ordered - you can order on the day!
Library Christmas Story Time	Friday 12 th December	After school Christmas story time
Winter House Sports Day	Monday 15th December	Children come to school in warm sports kits /PE kits for the day. See below information.
Santa Dash	Friday 19th December	Book via the HSPTA



CHRISTMAS POST BOX

If your child would like to send their friends in any year group a Christmas card, from **Monday 1st December** they can bring their cards into school and post these in our school Christmas Post Box in the office.

Due to other festive work commitments the last day for posting is
Tuesday 16th December

To help our Elf distributors please ensure the recipients **full name** and **class** are clearly written on the front of the envelope.

WINTER HOUSE SPORTS COMPETITION

On Monday 15th December we will be holding our Winter House Sports Competition. Children will compete in their houses against other teams in their year group

Please could children ensure their water bottle is in school and arrive in:

- PE kit
- School jumper (and other warm clothes suitable for outside sport in December)
- Children may wear a T-shirt in their house colour if they wish to- this is not essential.

This event is just for the children, no spectators

Baby Necessities Giving Tree wish list

YEAR 3 GIVING TREE WISH LIST



YEAR 4 GIVING TREE WISH LIST



YEAR 5 GIVING TREE WISH LIST



YEAR 6 GIVING TREE WISH LIST





A festive
Christmas
Sing-along
at the Hilt **2025**

FRIDAY 19th
December

3.30pm for 4.00pm start

Mulled Wine
& Mince Pies

Just bring your voice
and plenty of good will!

This is an extremely popular
event, so please be prepared
to stand if you are able.

There will be a collection of items
for the Eastleigh Basics Bank.

• **DEC** •

FRIDAY

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NOTE TO PARENTS

All children must be seated with their parents or other responsible adults. Children may be asked to participate at the front of stage and then return to their seats.
PERFORMANCE MAY BE FILMED FOR THE HILT WEBSITE

enquiries@thehilt.org.uk

The Hilt - Hiltingbury Recreation Ground
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