

## Friday Round Up!

### 28<sup>th</sup> November 2025

School Vision  
*Rooted and Growing in Love:  
A culture of kindness in which all can flourish  
(Ephesians 3 & 4)*

### Important Term Dates

#### December 2025

Tues 9<sup>th</sup>: Flu vaccinations – see previous email

Tues 9<sup>th</sup>: Robins & Doves Nativity Performance – 6pm

Thurs 11<sup>th</sup>: Robins & Doves Nativity Performance – 2pm

Tues 16<sup>th</sup>: Wrens, Owls & Kites Carol Concert – 2pm

Weds 17<sup>th</sup>: Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Lunch – see email

Thurs 18<sup>th</sup>: Jack and the Beanstalk Pantomime – approximately 6pm return to school

Fri 19<sup>th</sup>: Christingle Service in church 9am – all welcome

Term ends – 1:15pm

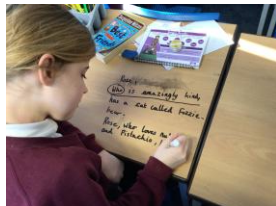
And just like that Christmas has entered Semley School. I am so grateful for the team who organised the Christmas tree for the hall and know that it will look amazing with the decorations on that the children are making. If you are looking for a beautiful tree do support George Cooper's business. Our tree also goes to a local church after it has spent time with us. As always, I am so grateful to all the staff who put in so much effort to support decorations' day, it is always a really special time at school.

Something to note for the village Denyse from Semley Bennett Arms has let us know they have a Father Christmas coming to visit with gift and a photographer on Saturday 13th December. Thank you to the pub for letting us know.

Across the school this week Wrens decorated their clay diva lamps. They heard the Diwali story of Prince Rama and Princess Sita and how their subjects put diva lamps in their windows to welcome them back to the kingdom. Robins and Doves are hard at work creating a fantastic nativity in the two weeks allocated to it. They are working so hard and I keep being sent out of the hall! Owls have continued to enjoy learning about speech punctuation but are also starting to learn the songs for the Carol Service. Kites explored relative clauses which seems to have involved writing on the tables (sorry to our wonderful cleaners!)

The theme for our assembly this week was Advent and we introduced the Advent Wreath alongside a discussion about advent calendars and what we are counting down to. Next week Rev Kate will kindly lead the Collective Worship while I am away.

This week we have finished the week with a cake sale organised by FOSS. Thank you to all of our star bakers. Mrs Mason and I worked hard not to eat all the cake before the sale! Looking ahead to next week I will be out of school on jury duty but know that things will continue to run very smoothly while I'm not here, I will miss seeing all of the fun the children have. If you have any concerns, please do contact the office. I hope that you all have lovely weekend and look forward to being back at school very soon.



Thank you so much to George Cooper for donating a Christmas Tree to us. You can find them on the A30, SP7 8GU (picture to follow next week!)

**Tesco Tokens** – In store, raising money for play equipment. Please support!

<https://membership.coop.co.uk/causes/94558>

FOSS code, please see flyer attached.

**Congratulations to our School Values Award Winners:**

**Wrens: Arthur**

**Robins: All Robins for their trip**

**Doves: Freddie M and Ruby**

**Owls: Flynn and Aleah**

**Kites: Lottie C and Misty**