



LLS News

01/12/2023



Dear Families

As December arrives we would like to remind you about our festive activities over the next few weeks.

Please come and join us this Sunday, 3rd, for lots of festive fun—3pm-5pm.

Christmas Lunch will be on Thursday 7th December. The menu is featured later in this newsletter. Thursday 7th December is also Save the Children's Christmas Jumper Day. We look forward to seeing your festive outfits.

The first of our Winter Concerts takes place on Thursday 7th December. It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas on the 7th! Please check the schedule on page 5.

Have a lovely weekend.



Events and dates to remember

C@LL Santa's Grotto Event

Sunday 3rd December
3-5pm

Christmas Lunch & Christmas Jumper Day
Thursday 7th December

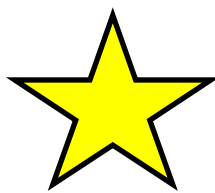
Winter Concerts

Please see full details on page 5

Day of Autumn Term for Pupils

20th December at 1.30pm

Stars of the Week



Unite for great communication on her iPad to tell staff her needs when feeling unwell at Residential.

Ibby for being engaged and focused while listening to a sensory story with Residential staff.

Kindness Award

Abbie for sharing her Astro ball with peers, and being a great friend.

Joseph for showing and teaching his peers about voice over on their phone.





SANTA'S GROTTO

JOIN US FOR ARTS & CRAFTS, MUSIC
AND DELICIOUS TREATS INCLUDING A
HOG ROAST AND VEGTARIAN OPTIONS!

SUNDAY 3RD
DECEMBER
3:00-5:00PM

There is no charge for entry or refreshments so if you would like
to donate to C@LL
please scan the QR code
and follow the instructions



Careers

Hair and Care which is a charity that supports VI people to do their hair and personal presentation have put together a survey to see how they can best support VI people. They will also be doing a workshop with us next month on site.

The link is below.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/DNYKHRJ>

Are you a woman & part of the VI community?

- Are you 12 - 65 years old?
- Are you blind or visually impaired?
- Do you have interest in beauty and hair care?
- Do you like using apps?

WE NEED YOU!

Support Hair & Care to expand it's reach...

Complete Our Survey!

At Hair & Care we are committed to empowering and enhancing the lives of blind and VI community, through our hair care and styling activity sessions.

In our ongoing drive for inclusivity, we are now exploring the development of an exciting new resource that will enable us to extend our work to more people!

Your insights and experiences will be an invaluable asset in shaping the future of Hair & Care and hopefully the VI community.

www.hairandcareproject.com
[@hairandcareproject](https://www.instagram.com/hairandcareproject)

hair care

CIC registration No. 14645047

Secondary

Congratulations to our Young Person of the Year!

Last week Chapman won the Young Person of the Year Sense award! He was nominated for this award because of his incredible talent and hard work at his budding piano career. We are very proud of Chapman at Linden Lodge!

Chapman's shortlist biography.

13-year-old Chapman is an exceptionally talented pianist, achieving a distinction in his Grade 8 exam by age 11, and now playing at music venues across the country. Chapman was born blind and has speech and learning difficulties. Chapman has struggled to make friends over the years, but he has found comfort and confidence through playing the piano, and recently has made a strong connection with his new friend Gabby, who Chapman was matched with through Sense's [virtual buddying service](#). The pair have bonded over their shared love of music and even performed on BBC Breakfast together, showcasing their skills and the power of friendship.

If you would like to watch the Young Person of the Year awards, the link is below:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l5VohYW2OQM>










Alba Centre

Tabla class went to Holly Lodge for a Victorian Christmas experience. Students enjoyed going outside on a woodland trail, experiencing different outdoor activities. We then had fun indoors exploring smells, decorations and sounds of Christmas.

Tabla class students had a very good time at Holly Lodge.



Winter Concerts

Day	Time	Theme	Classes	Location
Thursday 7 th December	10am 	Little Snowflakes	Maracas, Tambourine 	Jasmine Centre
Tuesday 12 th December 	2pm	Winter Adventures	Kalimba and Piano Oboe and Clarinet Flute and Bassoon	SPACe 
Wednesday 13 th December	10am	Going on a Santa Hunt 	Guitar, Violin, Drum, Harp, Ukulele	SPACe
Wednesday 13 th December 	1.30pm	Winter Wonderland	Minerva 1, 2, 3 	SPACe
Thursday 14 th December	10.30am 	Festive Extravaganza	Trombone, SF1, SF2a, SF2b	Isobel Centre
Friday 15 th December	10.30am	Festive Extravaganza	Tabla & Gamelan	Isobel Centre 

Christmas Lunch Menu

Thursday 7th December

