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School's Out Holiday Squad - After School Club – September 2024 Newsletter

Message from Chris

“Hi to all our parents and guardians and welcome to September’s newsletter”

Welcome back everyone and we say hello to our new parents across all hubs who have settled in beautifully. Our brand new hub at St Paul’s RC Primary has been fantastic and we thank everyone who has given us amazing feedback, it means so much hearing the impact we have already had within 4 weeks. We are expanding St Paul’s RC hub and offering places to pupils who attend St Francis Primary. Please do share this information to any parents you may know from St Francis as we will be accepting bookings from this primary school for pupils to travel to St Paul’s.

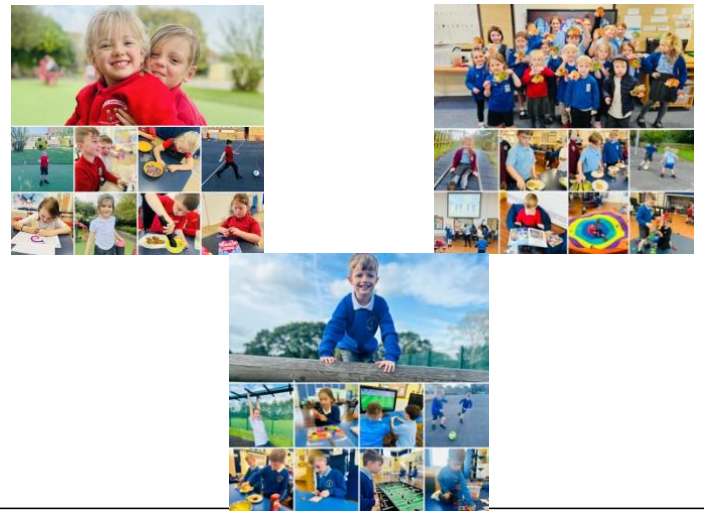
Bookings for October are now live on our booking system so please make sure you book the days you require asap.

Arts & Crafts + Food Technology

We have had a great start with our popular sessions in September. We have created our own ‘Get To Know Me’ charts to help everyone settle into the club and tell us a little bit about themselves, from favourite foods, to favourite activities. We have also created our very own hedgehogs and lots, and lots of wristbands.

Food technology program has been very busy, with the children making their own teas on a Thursday evening. We have also seen children making their own biscuits and crispy cakes.

We cannot wait for the up and coming themes of Bonfire Night and Halloween.



Dates for Your Diary

- 7th October – Deadline for October invoices to be cleared
 - 19th October – All hubs close at 6pm for half term
- 19th October – After School Club bookings open for November
 - 21st October – Holiday Club starts at 7:30am
- 25th October – Deadline for After School Club bookings to be completed
 - 25th October – Holiday Club finishes at 6pm
- 28th October – Shadsworth & St Paul’s RC Hub reopens at 3pm
 - 29th October – Meadowhead Hub reopens at 3pm
- 7th November – Deadline for all invoices to be cleared

Sports & Play Opportunities

Our sports program has been delivered indoors and outdoors in September as we were treated with a bit of sunshine for a few weeks. Football has been the highlight from the children and dodgeball on Wednesdays and Fridays.

Over the summer we had chance to buy some amazing new equipment for our children, inside and outside. Our new activity timetable for the children as been a massive hit, with a daily rota of activities planned on different days to keep the children engaged.

SOHS Club Events

- **October Half Term:** We have selected days available, please contact us for further details.
- **Kids’ Parties:** We have limited spaces available on weekends for children’s parties. Get in touch for more details.
- **Neon-Disco Dodgeball:** We resume our events from October.