

Lympstone Preschool



Weekly Round-up (Autumn Term week 13)



What a wonderfully festive week we've had!

We hope you all enjoyed the Christmas Tree Festival in the church. We were delighted to bring our tree back to preschool on Monday. Something very exciting happened this week... the preschool phone rang, and it was Father Christmas himself! He told us he had left a special video for us to watch. The children were absolutely thrilled. We'll be sharing the video on our Facebook page so you can enjoy it at home too.

Christmas Party Countdown! Only **8 days to go** until our Christmas Party! Please remember to purchase your tickets. **Ticket sales close at 10am on Friday 19th December.**

Our raffle will be drawn on **15th December**, and raffle ticket sales will close at **10am that same morning**. All money raised goes directly to the preschool, and **all children are welcome**. Thank you for your support!

Buzzard Room

Naughty Alfie the Elf has well and truly invaded the Buzzard Room! He arrived hanging from the disco ball and has caused all kinds of mischief, creating trains of wellies in the "snow," taking a bubble bath, and getting up to all sorts of silliness. The children have loved it so much they've asked if he can stay longer! Inspired by the big children's concert at the church, some of our Buzzards made beautiful star headbands. We also visited the church to watch the primary school children rehearse for their performance, which really filled us with Christmas spirit. Back at preschool, we made delicious chocolate cornflake wreaths to take home and created fantastic Santa pictures using glue and cotton wool. The children practised their numbers while making wonderfully fluffy Santa beards. We had an amazing afternoon making **huge bubbles** using the tuff tray and a hula hoop. Some children were even able to stand inside the bubble! We also enjoyed a sunny winter trip to the pirate park, climbing, sliding, and having lots of rope-swinging fun.

Music filled the Buzzard Room this week as we got out the instruments for some lively dancing and jamming. We also enjoyed climbing and soft play outdoors while making the most of the beautiful winter sunshine.

Rainbow Room

The Rainbow Room children were delighted to visit the Buzzard Room and discover that cheeky Alfie the Elf had arrived. There were plenty of giggles at all the mischief he had caused!

They also had the chance to try the **giant bubble activity**, and the excitement was huge when they realised, they could actually stand inside a bubble! With climbing and soft play equipment out, the children did an amazing job of climbing, balancing, and practising turn-taking. Using offcuts of artificial grass and loose parts, the children created wonderfully imaginative Christmas trees.

We continued our number-recognition work. Each child took a turn opening the calendar envelope for their number to reveal the picture hiding inside. A super-long car track made of pipes provided endless fun as the children raced their cars down the ramps.

Lots of painting Christmas trees, using Christmas cards and sparkles to create awesome pictures to take home.

Finally, we explored the **cornflour Christmas tree ice cubes** we made last week. Feeling the cold, watching them melt, and talking about the changes we noticed.

IMPORTANT DATES AND REMINDERS

Last day of Term – 19th December 2025.

First day of term – 6th January 2026

Christmas Holiday Club
Booking is open – Email.
22nd, 23rd December 2025 &
2nd January 2026

Lympstone Preschool Christmas Party
20th December 2025
1pm - 2:30pm. £5 per child
[Lympstone Preschool Christmas party 2025](#)

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[Lympstone Preschool Christmas Raffle 2025](#)



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