



● Roof-us, the Sampford Courtenay Village Hall Roof Appeal mascot will be visiting Winter Wonderland and Father Christmas on Saturday (December 12). This popular event, at the village hall, will feature a trail of beautifully hand crafted scenes on the way to Santas Grotto. After it was advertised last month the event was quickly sold out but 50 lucky children will be able to enjoy the spectacular displays on a timed ticket system. Santas ever popular helpers will also be on hand to add to the festive cheer and ensure that all of the current safety requirements are in place. The event was part of a village partnership between St Andrew's Church and the village hall but unfortunately the Christmas Bazaar at the Church has had to be cancelled due to Covid restrictions. Winter Wonderland is part of the Village Hall Roof Appeal which is raising funds to replace the hall roof and save the hall for future generations. The appeal needs to raise £150,000 so after visiting Father Christmas, Roof-us will be joining Mike the Carpenter to encourage visitors to help the funds by donating to 'Buy a Tile' where individual roof tiles, gables and windows can be purchased as lasting and unique Christmas gifts.

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