St. John's Church of England Primary School Newsletter



<u>'The JOY of the Lord is Your Strength'</u> (Nehemiah 8:10)

Friday 10th March 2023

Thank you to everyone who attended parent's evening this week. We hope the time speaking to teachers and looking through your child's books was enjoyable and informative. A big thank you must go to our teachers as well for staying so late to speak to you on each night.

Thank you to all who have added a message to the book of condolence we have open in the foyer for Ms Adam. I will try to keep the book there until Monday morning if anyone still wishes to add a message or memory. This will be prior to Ms Adam's funeral which many of the staff will be attending on Monday morning. Please be aware that staffing in classes will look a little different for that day and we appreciate your support during a difficult time for all. A letter was posted onto Class Dojo on Thursday regarding Ms Adam's funeral if you have not yet seen it.

We had a great time celebrating #LetGirlsPlay on Wednesday with girls in all classes able to take part in football sessions with Mr Willmott. Colder than anticipated but hopefully the girls enjoyed their day and, maybe, someone is inspired to follow in the steps of our wonderful lionesses! Hopefully we should have some matches soon for the team to put their skills to the test!





Industrial Action

Please ensure you have seen the letter regarding industrial action by the NEU which I posted onto Class Dojo. We will be closed to pupils on both days. A letter has been sent home today to parents of children in receipt of free school meals so that lunches can be ordered on each of the strike days if required.

<u>Clubs</u>

A reminder that clubs restart on Monday for their FINAL week.

Comic Relief

Next week will be a MUFTI day in exchange for a donation to Comic Relief (suggested £1) Red clothes and noses are optional but encouraged!



Respect Thankfulness Compassion Truthfulness Trust Responsibility

St. John's Superstars

Superstar Award	Year Group	J.O.Y. Award
Daniel	Reception	Dominic
Gabi P	<u>Year 1</u>	Charlie
Esme	<u>Year 2</u>	Harper
Alex	<u>Year 3</u>	Macey
Ava-Louise	<u>Year 4</u>	Skyler
Tommy	<u>Year 5</u>	Isabelle
Ben St.	<u>Year 6</u>	Ella-Rose

Dates for this term:

Please keep an eye on the newsletter each week as the list of dates will be added to / amended over time. Further details of key events and festivals will be sent out nearer the time in case we need to make any logistical changes. Teachers will keep you updated on Class Dojo regarding key events for your child's class.

2nd March – World Book Day

2nd March – Football League Night 1 at Birkdale High starting at 4 pm

6th and 9th March – parent's evenings. These will be face to face meetings.

8th March – National Let's Play football for girls

Day – Mr Willmott has plans.... 13th March – last week of clubs

 15^{th} and 16^{th} March – NEU industrial action.

17th March – Comic Relief – MUFTI day in

exchange for a suggested donation of £1

20th March – Swimming gala – team notified soon

22nd March – Y5 & Reception visit to Chester Zoo

23rd March – Y4 River Study trip

24th March – MUFTI day for PFA Easter bingo event

27th March – PFA Easter Bingo – our PFA have sent a letter out about this event

- 31st March Easter Services in Church
- 31st March last day of term. No FAST club today

17th April – back to school

ATTENDANCE

Whilst COVID is still very much around and in the news, it is important that children are in school as much as possible to catch up academically and socially. Each week the class with the highest attendance will get a little extra treat and a mention in assembly.

Reception – 90%			
Year 1 – 97%			
Year 2 – 97%			
Year 3 – 96%			
Year 4 – 90%			
Year 5 – 98%			
Year 6 – 95%			

Useful contact details

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Prayer for the week

Dear God, Bless our school and all who work and play there each day. Look after each and every one of us and help us to be the very best we can be. Amen