





St. John's C of E Primary School Newsletter

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Newsletter date: 10th February 2017

<u>Congratulations to our Beacon</u>

Pupils:

Class 1: Joshua - Working hard, becoming an independent learner especially in computing skills.

Class 2: James R - Showing positive learning attitude, fantastic talk partner and showing our value of Co-operation in team work in Maths.

Class 3: Kareem - Always happy, chatty and a wonderful talk partner by helping and encouraging others.

Class 4: Freddie - Always motivated, asking great questions and challenging himself.

Finer Diners:

The children who have shown good manners and behaviour in the dining hall this week and had lunch with Mrs Evans are:

Austin, India, Mikael, Ella and James Well done to all.

LSA Quiz night

The LSA would like to say Thank You to everyone who supported the Quiz Night last weekend. It was a fabulous evening with 9 teams and raised £160. Thank you to Mike and Anne Scutt for writing a fun guiz.

Tudor Lives Workshop

Class 4 enjoyed an excellent morning learning about life in Tudor Times with an expert from North Herts Museum Service. See our website for blog for photos.



value of the Month

Cooperation





John: 15:12

This is what I command you: Love each other as I have loved you.

Maths Workshop

5 pupils represented St John's at a fun and challenging workshop organised by Herts for Learning in Stevenage. They experienced a variety of Mathematical challenges and puzzles and even some GCSE level activities.

Thank you to Grace A, Ben Hudd, Ben Ha, William and Darcey for representing St John's at this event.

Half term

We break for half term on Friday 10th February at normal finish time and the children return to school on Tuesday 21st February.

Hope you all have a great half term.

Parents' Forum

Next meeting for Parents' Forum is Friday 3rd March at 9.40am, after Celebration Assembly. More info after half term.

Plea from Class 1

We are in the process of developing our outdoor area and would like to ask if you have any of the following that you could donate to us, we would really appreciate it.

CD cases, wallpaper, guttering, tree logs, kitchen utensils, pots, pans and baking trays, fence trellis or tarpaulin.

Thanks you Mrs Kennedy and Mrs Quicke-Jennings

Birthday card donations

Any finished with birthday cards could they please be handed to the school office to be reused for our birthday celebrations cards. Many thanks

L.S.A UPDATES:

Please keep an eye on the whiteboard outside ASK for any LSA messages and information on up and coming events.

Bags to School. Please note date change. The bags will be collected on 28th February, so any donations need to be in school on that day please. Please refer to LSA letter received this term for items that can be included.

Severe Weather Warning-

A new system is in place for parents to find out if the school is closed due to severe weather. Please register on the link below and set up your profile for St John's School. member.everbridge.net/index/892807736725489

This link will direct you to the "Sign Up" page where you should click "sign up" located at the top right hand side of the page. It takes no longer than 5 minutes to sign up and create a username and password. Once you are signed up you will receive any messages that relate to St John's School.

We will also try to send a Groupcall message to parents to inform you of school closure.

Three Counties Radio will also broadcast the information.

Dates for your diary:

- Half Term Monday 13th—Friday 17th February.
- Inset Day Monday 20th February.
- Governors Award Assembly— Friday 24th February.
- SLSA Café Friday 3rd March 2.30pm. Cake donations from Class 1.
- © Non Uniform, Bottle donations for Fete. Friday 10th March.
- © St John's Bake Off, Tuesday 21st March

- © Easter Service—Wednesday 29th March 9.00 all welcome.
- © Non Uniform, Chocolate Donations. Friday 31st March
- © School finishes for Easter 1.30pm Friday 31st March.
- © Children return to school Wednesday 19th April.
- © Bottle and Chocolate Donations for Fete. Friday 21st April.
- Lemsford Fete Monday 1st May.

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