



## St. John's C of E Primary School Newsletter

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### Congratulations to our Beacon

#### Pupils:

**Class 1: Molly** - A fun member of the class, always kind and polite, behaved very well on the school trip.

**Class 2: Arush** - Always has beautiful manners and enthusiasm for his topic work.

**Class 3: Sam** - Enthusiastic learner in all subjects, great enthusiasm for Maths and problem solving and showing great maturity.

**Class 4: Lola** - Gone above and beyond in her learning, particularly in Maths.

### Finer Diners

The children who have shown good manners and behaviour in the dining hall this week and had lunch with Mrs Evans are: Lila, Rebecca, Ethan, Nahum, Freddie.

Well done to all.

### Kick Rounders

Class 3 attended a Kick Rounders event on Thursday 18th May at Stanborough Pavillion. Well done to all the children who took part and showed great sportsmanship throughout the event. Congratulations to Year 3 who came first overall.

### Class Photographs by Nicola Sanders

Weather permitting Class, Football and Netball team photographs will be taken on Monday 19th June.



value of the Month

Trust



Psalm 9:10

Those who know you, Lord, will trust you;  
you do not abandon anyone who comes to you

### Willows Farm

Class 1 enjoyed their trip to Willows Farm this week, despite the inclement weather. A highlight of the day was the singing tractor ride and learning how to care for guinea pigs. The sheep race was very popular with the children and they cheered on their favourite competitor.

### Harpenden Spotlight on Africa

Hillary Hollick from HSoA came into our assembly this morning to thank Class 4 for raising money for the charity through their dance performance last term and to present the Year 6 House Captains with a certificate saying thank you - see photo on our website blog.

### Sainsbury Vouchers

The vouchers are now finished so if you have any at home please bring them to the school office by half term. Thank you.

### Inset Day

Please remember that it is Inset Day next Friday (26th May). The children return to school on Monday 5th June.

### Celebration Assembly

Due to Inset Day on Friday, next week's Celebration Assembly will be on Thursday 25th May, 9am.

### Governors' Update

Alison Kiernan joined us in Celebration Assembly this morning to present Governors' Awards.

Full Governing Body met this week to approve the School Budget for 2017/2018.

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### Class 4 Book Group

Wednesday 24th May at 1.15pm, we are reading Wonder by R J Palacio, all welcome.

- ☺ LSA Summer Social, Friday 14th July.
- ☺ Year 6 Leavers assembly, Thursday 20th July 2.30pm.
- ☺ **End of Summer Term, Friday 21st July, 1.30pm.**

### Outstanding Dinner Money and After School Club Fees

Please can outstanding money for school meals and A.S.K. be sent into the school office by next Wednesday, 24th May. Thank you.

### L.S.A UPDATES:

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

LSA Café, Class 4. Thursday 25th May 2.30pm.

### Dates for your diary:

- ☺ Welwyn Schools Music Celebration, Hawthorne Theatre, Choir and Dance Club, Tuesday 23rd May.
- ☺ LSA Café, Class 4, Thursday 25th May.
- ☺ Inset Day, Friday 26th May.
- ☺ Class 4 trip to the Isle of Wight, Monday 12th to Friday 16th June.
- ☺ District Sports, Wednesday 14th June.
- ☺ Camp St John, Saturday 24th June.
- ☺ LSA Café, Class 3. Friday 30th June.
- ☺ Governors Award Assembly, Friday 30th June.
- ☺ Wednesday 5th July - Sports Day 1pm.
- ☺ KS 2 performance, Tuesday 11th July 2pm and 6.30pm.
- ☺ Move up day, Thursday 13th July.