



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

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I would like to wish all St John's staff, families and Governors a wonderful relaxing summer, whatever you are doing and wherever you are going. Thank you to everyone for your commitment to and support of the school. We look forward to seeing all of you next term on Tuesday 4th September.

Mandy Evans

### Congratulations to our Beacon Pupils:

**Class 1: Teddy** - for an amazing first year at St John's

**Class 2: Amelia** - for growing in confidence and rising to challenges

**Class 3: Leah** - for stepping up and sharing a bigger role in the KS2 play

**Class 4: Mariella** - for being enthusiastic and energetic during the Gold Coast Games.

### Fond farewells

We all send our love and best wishes to Mrs Davies and Mrs Moss as they leave us today. The staff and Governors would like to say a heartfelt thank you for the wonderful commitment, friendship and dedication they have shown to St John's over very many years. A special thank you to Mrs Davies for her role as deputy of St John's for the last nine years.

### Year 6 Leavers

What a wonderful Year 6 they have been this year and we would like to wish you well as you start the first step of your exciting journey through

secondary school. We have seen you at your very best right to the end of term and know you will carry our values with you as you move on. We will miss you and hope you come back to visit soon! Good luck to you all.

### RM Maths

Our contract expires on the 25th July and due to low home usage of this and very high cost we are no longer going to subscribe. Please keep using the Timetables Rock-stars programme, as this is having clear impact on children's Maths confidence.

### Whole school trip to Knebworth

Thank you to the LSA for subsidising the wonderful trip to Knebworth House. The children thoroughly enjoyed themselves, learnt loads and had great fun - as did the staff.

### Value of the Month

### FREEDOM



2 Corinthians 3:17

Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom.

### Class meeting dates

A letter went home this week about dates for Class meetings:

Class 4 Monday 10th September 3.15pm

Class 3 Tuesday 11th September 3.15pm

Class 2 Wednesday 12th September 3.15pm

We hope to see as many parents as possible.

### Governors Update

The governors wish to say goodbye to the families who will be leaving St. John's this year. We hope that your journey will continue to be a positive one. Have a restful and fun filled summer holiday and we will look forward to seeing you back in September

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## November

### **Mid Morning Snacks**

All mid morning snacks must be taken into class in the morning and not left in lunch boxes. Please can we remind parents the mid-morning snack must only be a plain biscuit, fresh or dried fruit only.

- ☺ Last day of the Autumn term - Friday 21st December
- ☺ Spring term starts, children return to school - Tuesday 8th January

### **Parent Governors Details**

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### **L.S.A UPDATES:**

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

### **Dates for your diary:**

- ☺ End of Summer Term: Friday 20th July 1.30pm
- ☺ Start of Autumn Term, children return to school - Tuesday 4th September
- ☺ Class 4 Parent Info Session - Monday 10th September 3.30pm
- ☺ Class 3 Parent Info Session - Tuesday 11th September 3.30pm
- ☺ Class 2 Parent Info Session - Wednesday 12th September
- ☺ New Parents Cheese and Wine Evening - Monday 17th September 6.30pm
- ☺ LSA AGM all parents welcome - Monday 17th September 7pm
- ☺ Harvest Festival - Wednesday 3rd October 9am
- ☺ Meet the Teacher - Wednesday 3rd October 3.30-6pm
- ☺ Half term - Monday 29th October to Friday 2nd November
- ☺ Occasional Day - Monday 26th