St Mary's C of E Primary School Newsletter

Friday 9th June 2023
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Go, shine in the world

Dear Parents and Carers,

It looks like summer has finally arrived and it is forecast to be even hotter next week. Please make sure that your child has applied sun cream before coming to school and that they bring in a sun hat to help them enjoy the sun safely. We will be making sure that children are drinking plenty of water and are having breaks in the shade when needed.

With best wishes, Miss Mitchell (Head of School) and Mr Webb (Executive Headteacher)

Looking After Our World Studies:

This week children have been learning about ways that they can look after the world as part of a special project week. Children learned how they can reduce, re-use and recycle waste.

Children discussed how it is good for the environment to reuse items. Y1 children brought in recyclable materials from home and used them to make model boats. Year 3 children made their own toys using items that might have otherwise been thrown away.

Charitable Giving at St Mary's:

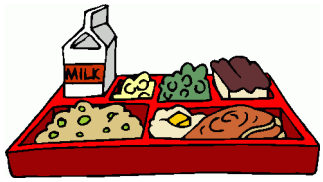
Children show our values of compassion and community through the act of charitable giving. Generous donations as part of non-uniform days go to our chosen charities. One of these charities is Plan International. Our donations go towards sponsoring 2 children and helping to improve the communities that they live in.

One of those children is Janet who lives in Uganda. She lives 45 minutes from her school and the nearest health facility is two hours away. Plan International has used donations to install a well and powered pump in Janet's local area so that everyone, including Janet, can have access to safe, clean drinking water.

Government funded free school meals…

Even if your child already receives a free school meal, please apply check if they're eligible for government funded free school meals and apply today at camden.gov.uk/free-school-meals. It could save you over £500 a year and will give them access to other support too, like activities and food vouchers in the holidays.

If your child is eligible but you prefer to make them a packed lunch, please still sign them up for free school meals because their school will receive vital funding that is used to pay for things like more in-classroom support and after-school activities.



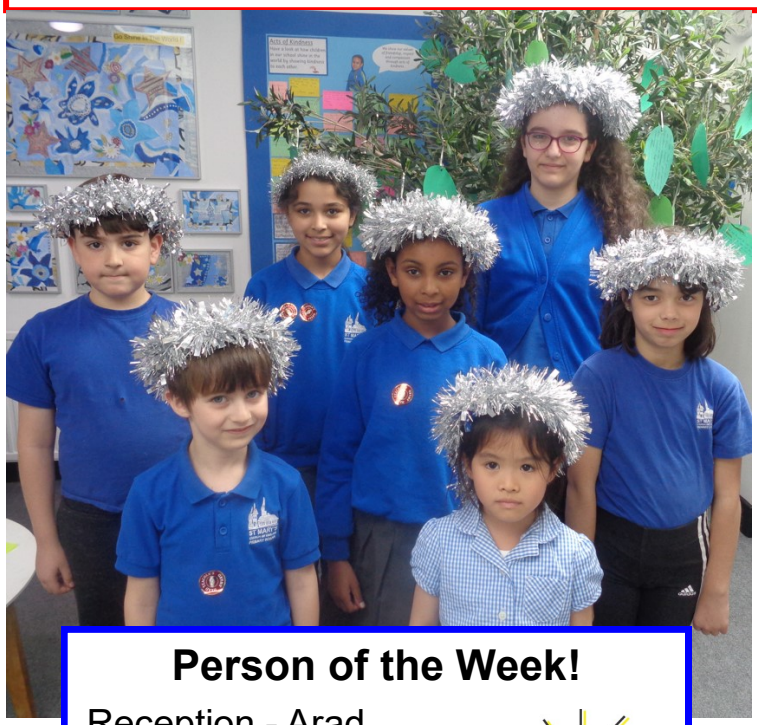
I have received and read the St Mary's C of E Primary School newsletter of 9.6.2023

Name of child _____ Class_____

PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE AND YOUR CHILD MIGHT WIN A PRIZE :)

Important dates for your diary…

Wednesday 14th June— 9.05am—Parent Information Coffee Morning in the school hall — How we teach calculation and how you can help at home
Wednesday 21st June —9.05am—Parent Information Coffee Morning in the school hall —How we teach Relationships, Health and Sex Education
Friday 23rd June— Sports Day (AM— Y3-Y6, PM— Reception– Y2)
Wednesday 28th June– Friday 30th June — Year 6 residential trip to PGL
Wednesday 5th July— Parent information Coffee Morning
Friday 7th July— Academic Review Day
Friday 7th July — 6.00—8.00— Family BBQ
Tuesday 11th July — 10am— Year 6 Production of Oliver
Friday 14th July— Non-uniform day— Children bring in £1 to raise money for charity.
Monday 17th July —2.30pm— End of year service in St Mary's Church— parents welcome
Tuesday 18th July— 9.15am Year 6 leavers assembly in the hall
Friday 21st July— Last day of term



Person of the Week!

Reception - Arad
Year 1 - Harper
Year 2 - Rayan
Year 3 - Sophia
Year 4 - Zohra
Year 5 - Aya
Year 6 - Era

Attendance…

Congratulations to **Year 1** who have been awarded Barney, our Attendance Bear, for having the **BEST ATTENDANCE** last week. The class attendance was **97%.**

Please make sure your child is in school every single day unless they are too unwell to come to school.

Would you like to know how we teach calculation?
Would you like to know how you can help your child at home with maths?

Then come along to our Parent Information Coffee Morning on Wednesday at 9.05am in the school hall. We look forward to seeing you there.

Work of the Week!

This week's brilliant piece of work displayed in the school lobby is by Alfred in Year 2.

As part of their English curriculum, Year 2 have been reading 'Through the Magic Mirror' by Anthony Browne.

Alfred wrote his own fantastic version of the story where his character discovered a world filled with strange, imaginative things.

Alfred presented his work using neat, joined up handwriting.

Well done Alfred!

Our Prayer of the week…

Dear God,

Thank you for this beautiful planet.
Bless it and keep it safe from harm.
We pray for the protection of the animals, the soil, air and water.
May we care for all you have made.

Amen

Don't let a little worry turn into a big one...
If you or your child are worried about something or have any questions, please phone the school office and book an appointment to see their class teacher, Ms Mitchell or Mr Smith.
We are always really pleased to meet with you and chat things through.

Summer Holiday Playscheme

PACE

Play, Adventure & Community Enrichment

We are now taking bookings for our Summer Holiday Playscheme.

Book your spot today, scan the QR code on the right!

www.paceforall.com/forms