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19 June 2023

What have Year 3 been up to?

Year Three have had an extremely busy and packed week this week! In English we have been continuing with our class text 'The Tin Forest', learning how to write in the present perfect tense, future tense and also looking at the themes of the story.



In reading we created informative posters based on our text for the week 'Strange but true: Animals'. They looked amazing were filled with lots of amazing facts!





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We made some lovely habitats for mini-beasts in the nature garden, reusing natural materials. They looked fantastic!



In maths we have been doing a brilliant job learning about time, we have been focusing on the difference between a.m and p.m and also looking at days and hours.



We also had a brilliant time in P.E preparing for Sports day!





Are you up for the challenge?

Lambeth Council and Cycle Confident have selected our school to be one of 7 who will join in with a mass bike ride of up to 160 children starting at Brockwell Park and finishing at Clapham Common on Tuesday 18th July.

Our Year 5 children who have completed their Bikeability Level 1&2 course with Cycle Confident are attending this year.

The children will be accompanied on the ride by trained and experienced Cycle Confident instructors and marshals; there will also be support along the route from a professional traffic management team who will close road junctions for cyclists where necessary.

We are looking for any parent volunteers who would like to take part in the event; this would involve cycling the route with the children! If there any parent volunteers who are interested, please let the school office know as soon as possible.

The event will run all day, starting at 9am and ending in time for the end of the school day.







School Photographer

Our school photos will take place on **Monday 3rd July** this year. This will include individual, sibling and class shots.

Please make sure your child is wearing their full school uniform on this day.



Year 1—change of PE days.

There has been a change to the PE time table for summer term 2. The children will be having PE on **Tuesdays** and **Wednesdays**.

Sports Day

We are looking forward to Sports Day this week **(Wednesday 21st June).** This will start from 9.30am in Brockwell Park (flat area of land next to the Lido). We aim to be finished at approximately 11.30am.

We will need parent volunteers to support us walking to and back from the park. Please let your child's class teacher as soon as possible if you are available to support and can commit.

Our Sports Day is designed for lots of collaboration in our year groups. The children will take part in a carousel of different sporting activities, earning points for their house (Matthew, Mark, Luke or John). Following this, there are sprint races for every child and a special event: the teacher race! We will not be hosting a parent race.

During the morning, there will be a designated area for parents and carers to watch their children take part in all the events. Please stay in this area so that the events can be managed easily by the staff. It is also essential that the children stay with the school staff at all times. Please refrain from taking your child away from their class and school staff (including to go to the toilet).

We can't wait to see you all there!





Friday Stars!

Reception

Reception's Friday Star is Evie. Evie has been doing some fantastic writing about our local area this week. She wrote an amazing sentence about Brockwell Park using capital letters, full stops and finger



Class 1

Class One's Friday Star is Kofi. Kofi has been working really had during phonics. Well done Kofi!



Class 2

Class Two's Friday Star is Maite. Maite is always super enthusiastic about her learning and ready to be a have a go hero. She has really impressed us with her attitude and approach to learning. Well done Maite!



Class 3

Class Three's Friday Star is Sienna! Sienna has shown fantastic resilience and has been a real have a go hero this week in Maths with our new topic, time. She has



shown great listening and focus and I've been really impressed with her attitude to learning. Amazing job

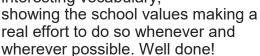
Class 4

Class Four's Friday Star is Freya. Freya has shown real motivation and determination in maths this week. She has been working really hard to tell the time using an analogue and digital clock. Well done Freya.



Class 5

Class Five's Friday Star is Theo. For always sharing ideas in a well thought out manner, with clear and interesting vocabulary.





Class 6

Class Six's Friday Star is Florence, Florence has shown amazing motivation and an infectious enthusiasm for production. She is always suggesting new ideas and gives 100% to all of her rehearsals. Well done Florence!



Dojo Winners

With **413 points**, this week's

Class dojo winners are:



You got most of your dojos this week for being on task. You are the class to beat at the moment!





Saints and Workers of the Week





Each week, the staff nominate children to be our Saints and Workers of the Week.

Saints of the Week are children who have worked really hard to live out our Christian school values:

- We work well together
- We are prepared and helpful
- We are resilient
- We are there for one another
- We celebrate each others' success



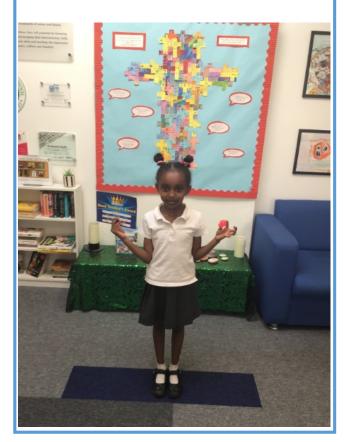
Kai-Rhys, Year 6

For handling our conversations in Jigsaw so sensitively and maturely with consideration for others' feelings.



Worker of the Week

Amazing effort in your reading.
Well done!



Important Dates



Summer holiday:

Break up: Thursday 20th July 2023 (Children leave at 1.30pm)

New School Year Dates 2023—24

Back to School: Wednesday 6th September 2023 (staff INSET days Mon 4th and Tues 5th September 2023)

Break up: Friday 20th October 2023

Back to School: Monday 30th October 2023

Break up: Thursday 21st December 2023

Back to School: Wednesday 10th January 2024 (staff INSET days Monday & Tuesday 9th January 2024)

Break up: Friday 9th February 2024

Back to School: Monday 19th February 2024

Break up: Thursday 28th March 2024

Back to School: Tuesday 16th April 2024(staff INSET days Monday 15th April 2024)

Break up: Friday 24th May 2024

Back to School: Monday 3rd June 2024

Break up: Wednesday 24th July 2024

<u>Class Assemblies—9.05am in the school hall</u>

Year 1— Tuesday 27th June

Reception—Tuesday 4th July

Year 5—Tuesday 11th July

Trips, Visits and Workshops

Y3 Velodrome Trip— Tuesday 20th June, 11—12.00pm

Y2 Velodrome Trip—Wednesday 28th June, 11-12.00pm

Whole School Events:

Summer Fair—Saturday 24th June, 12.00-3.30pm

Sports Day —Wednesday 21st June, 9.30-12.00pm

Cluster Football Tournament (KS2) — Monday 10th July

Sports inspired festival Years 3,4,5,6—Thursday 15th June

DCP Drumming Concert for Parents in Hall— Thursday 29th June, 9.15-10am

Year 5 MoneyWise Challenge Trip for small group of children—Friday 30th June

Maths Masterclass Celebration event— Friday 30th June, 1.30-3pm (unfortunately this event has now been cancelled)

Y6 Production—Thursday 13th July 5.30pm

Y6 Leavers' Assembly—Friday 14th July, 9.30am

St Jude's Summer Fair Update!

Our Summer Fair is next Saturday - 24 June. This is always a lovely event with lots of amazing food, drinks, stalls and games. This year we also have salsa lessons and a silent disco as well as our wonderful steel pans group.

Raffle tickets;

You should have already received your raffle tickets. Don't forget to send them back to your class teacher next week - there are some really amazing prizes to be won.

Volunteers needed:

The fair can't happen without volunteers so if you can help on a stall (even 30mins is wonderful!) get in touch with your class rep or Liz (Zadie, YR, Leo Y2).

Book children's salsa session:

Book your place for the children's salsa lesson with a professional salsa dancer from 1:15-1:45pm. Message Karina on 07961 662660 with your child's name. Recommended donation on the day £1.



Quiz Night Update!

Thank you so much to everyone who turned up for the St. Jude's Quiz Night last Friday. It was a brilliant night with delicious food and drinks. Special thanks to all the year 6 parents who helped to organise the event to raise funds for the year 6 residential.





Singing Opportunities

Does your child love to sing?

St Paul's Cathedral is looking for the next generation of choristers.

From September 2023 we will also be welcoming girls to the choir for the first time. Girls and Boys in Years 2-5 can join at any time of the year. We are looking for responsive, energetic young people who have a love of singing and an instinct for music – and no previous training or musical experience is necessary.

You can find out more about the audition process here:

https://www.stpauls.co.uk/join-cathedral-choir

There is a 'Being a Chorister' experience on Zoom, with a tour of the Cathedral, school, boarding house, and some live singing for families to join in with. The next session is on **Wednesday 21**st**June at 6pm for boys and 6:45pm for girls**, and parents can book a place by filling in this form:

https://forms.gle/bCDvEnhXF459XBWE8

Further sessions take place regularly so do ask for further dates if you can't make this one. If you have any further questions, please email Angela Palotai (apalotai@stpaulscathedral.org.uk).



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