

#### 9th May 2023

#### What have Year 5 been up to?

Year 5 are learning about Brixton in the Blitz this half term. We have discussed how it would feel to be living through the Blitz in Brixton, and how scary it must have felt. We learned about how it was that many songs, speeches, poetry and radio broadcasts were designed to send out a message of hope to lift everyone's spirits and to keep them going in dark times.



Working with our partners, we pretended that we were living in Brixton during the Blitz. We wrote and performed our own songs and poems with an uplifting message encouraging people to keep going.



### Message from the PTA

It's countdown to our **\*St Jude's Fun Run on Saturday 13th May!\*** Please save the date and spread the word. The more people who come, the more fun and money raised for our wonderful school!

1.30pm meet at the tarmac in Brockwell Park for a warm up. 2pm start. Run or walk one lap. Fancy dress! Cake sale... It's a great day out for the families and friends of St Jude's so we hope you'll join us. We would like to raise as much money as possible for our school and children so please share the following link to donate online:

www.peoplesfundraising.com/fundraising/st-judes-fun-run-2023

Thank you & we look forward to seeing you there! 🤒



PTA events this term: Fun Run: 13th May Quiz night: 9th June Summer Fair: 24th June

#### Nature garden update:

A team of parents have been busy making plans to improve our lovely nature garden and chicken area and have been awarded a few grants including to add a new planter, water butt, cold frame and purchase edible and woodland plants. Please take a look at our progress so far and if you are keen to get involved let us know. Any suitable plants you are growing at home are also gratefully received.

Special thanks to Jane, Rosabel, Eve and Olga for writing and securing the grants and working hard on the nature garden. And many thanks to Jim Broughton for levelling the chicken coop and fitting the edging. Much appreciated!

# Friday Stars !

#### **Reception**

Reception's Friday Star is Zadie. Zadie has been doing some FANTASTIC reading this week decoding words with adjacent consonants and spotting those tricky words. Well done Zadie!





#### Class 2

Class Two's Friday Star is Luna. Luna has settled in so well to life at St. Jude's and has been such a have a go hero! Well done Luna, we are so proud of you.



#### <u>Class 4</u>

Class Four 's Friday Star is Isla, for being a reading role model! Isla has really impressed us with her engagement with reading at home this week. She has read and written in her reading record every evening this week! Well done and keep being a reading superstar!



#### Class 6

Class Six's Friday Star is Zahara. Zahara has made amazing progress in maths and has been working really hard to remember helpful strategies. Her hard work is certainly paying off and Miss Mcleish is very proud of you!



#### Class 1

Class One's Friday Star is Sheldon. Sheldon shows so much enthusiasm during maths lessons. He is always focused!





#### <u>Class 3</u>

Class Three's Friday Star is Joe! Joe has done some amazing work in Humanities this week and I was extremely impressed with the letter he wrote about 'Sherwood Forest' detailing all the amazing geographical features! Amazing work Joe, keep it up!



#### Class 5

Class Five's Friday Star is Louis.

For bravely making efforts to improve his learning environment, to ensure he has less distractions and can focus more on his new learning, particularly when it comes to his maths. Well done, and keep up the good work!



#### **Dojo Winners**

With 231 points, this week's

Class dojo winners are:

Year 3

You got most of your dojos this week for **being focused and your active listening!** 



# 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

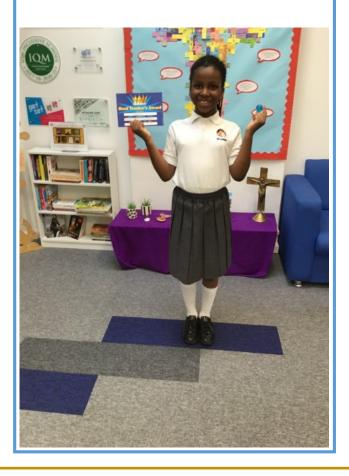
Saint of the Week

Lilly and Saira, Year 2 Creating a welcome book for a new child in the class.



<u>Worker of the Week</u> Azariah, Year 3

Brilliant effort in interventions.



# **Important Dates**

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Half term:

Break up Friday 26th May

Back to school Monday 5th June

Summer holiday:

Break up Thursday 20th July (children leave at 1.30pm)

Back to School Wednesday 6th September (staff INSET days Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th September)

#### Class Assemblies—9.05am in the school hall

**Reception**— **Tuesday 4th July** 

Year 1— Tuesday 27th June

Year 3—Tuesday 23rd May

Year 4—Tuesday 16th May

Year 5—Tuesday 13th June

Trips, Visits and Workshops

Year 3 Trip to Streatham Synagogue— Thursday 11th May

Year 6 Post-SATs trip to Brockwell Park—Friday 12th May

Year 5 Performance for 'Before The Firebird' music project at St John's Angell Town Primary School—Wednesday 17th May

Year 6 Trip to see The Lion King—Wednesday 17th May

Year 5 Royal Festival Hall Music Concert—Wednesday 24th May

Whole School Events:

Fun Run— Saturday 13th May, 1.30pm in Brockwell Park

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

Quiz Night—Friday 9th June (Time to be confirmed)







# **BROCKWELL PARK 2PM SATURDAY** 13 MAY 2023

- Please save the date!
- Fancy dress or any sports gear!
- Prizes first adult+child+fancy dress
- Picnic+cake sale afterwards

Event lead: Anoushka (Hamish Y5, Agnes Y1)



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