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Steve Frew

What an inspiration!

It was great to welcome professional gymnast, Steve Frew, to our school last week.

Each class did a sponsored fitness event, which involved several circuit activities, led by Steve and his colleague Nicola. Everyone did a fantastic job and they definitely deserve all your sponsorship!

Following this we were lucky to spend an assembly with Steve, in which he talked about his successes, challenges and journey to winning gold. He emphasised the importance of believing in yourself and never giving up!

None of us could have prepared ourselves what came next...as he showed us some of his gymnastic skills. One of which involved a dive forward roll over children and staff!

After this, our children in year 4,5,and 6 had the opportunity to meet Steve and ask him some questions in their classrooms.

The morning was an unbelievable opportunity for our whole school community and one that we will not forget for a long time!



A Special Visitor

We had another special visitor to St Jude's this week—Abrilli Philip came to see our wonderful school in action. Abrilli is the Director of Education in Lambeth; she loved coming to meet our children, staff and even a professional gymnast on the same day. It was excellent to welcome such an important member of our local community into our school and we hope she will be back soon!



We Need Your Help!

Nature Garden Tidy Up

Do you enjoy being outdoors? Have you got a passion for looking after the environment?

Please join the **PTA** this Friday after school pick up - **Friday 6th October** - to help tidy up the nature garden and add plants we have purchased.

Everyone is welcome - parents, carers, staff and children and no gardening experience needed. We will have biscuits for volunteers!



Important Reminders

Questions and Concerns

If you have a question or concern about your child's learning or something that may have happened whilst your child was at school, we ask that you approach your child's teacher directly to discuss this.

Our staff are more than happy to speak to you at the beginning of the day or make an appointment to have a longer conversation at a more convenient time. If you are unable to catch them face-to-face, please send an email to your child's class teacher via the school office using the email address admin@stjudeslambeth.org.

Front Gate

We ask all parents and carers to support us by ensuring that the front gate is closed behind them when entering and leaving the school premises (unless there is a member of school staff stood at the front gate). This supports us to keep our children and staff safe at all times.

Second Hand Uniform Sale

We are sorry that the second hand uniform sale was unable to take place on Friday 29th September. We are hoping this will be rescheduled in the near future! Watch this space...



Friday Stars !

Reception

Reception Friday Star is Esme. Esme is always ready for learning and has super listening ears, she is kind to others and has settled really well at school. Great job Esme!



Class 2

Class Two's Friday Star is Kofi. Kofi has impressed us so much this week with his motivation to learn. He has worked so hard in phonics lessons and should feel very proud of his achievements. Keep this up Kofi!

<u>Class 4/5</u>

Class Four /Five 's Friday Star is Logan. Logan has been such a wonderful member of our St Jude's family. We are going to miss him and we wish him all the best in his new school.





Class One's Friday Star is Sofia R. For being constantly helping others with class work but also tidying up. She is always ready to explain to others what they are meant to do or help them with spelling and other skills like colouring or drawing ideas! Sofia has shown a very good attitude within

her peers and we want to celebrate it!

Class 3

Class 1

Class Three's Friday Star is Zoe. For her excellent Diary writing from a historical





Class Five/Six

Class Five/Six's Friday Star is Evelyn! Evelyn has shown such great resilience this week with her learning, especially in Maths where we have been learning about common factors and common multiples. It's also been wonderful to see how she's there for her classmates.





Dojo Winners

With **463 points**, this week's class dojo winners are:

Year 1!

You got most of your dojos this week for working hard, good listening and participating in our group discussions!





Saints and Workers of the Week





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

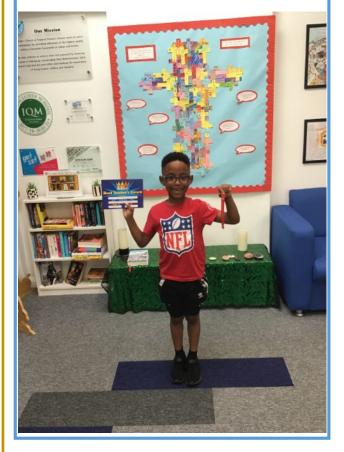
Saints of the Week are children who have worked really hard to live out our Christian school values:

- 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

Sheldon, Year 2

For being incredibly kind and being there for someone in the lunch hall.



Worker of the Week

Ellai, Year 5-6 Brilliant effort and resilience with maths.



Important Dates

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Trips, Visits and Workshops

Year 6 Fellowship Afloat Residential Parent/Carer Talk—Tuesday 10th October, 5.30pm

Year 5/6 Victorian Day—Thursday 19th October

Meet the Teacher—Introductory Talks

These will be held in the school hall.

Reception— Thursday 5th October, 5.30pm

Year 1—Tuesday 3rd October, 5.30pm

Class Assemblies

Please find the dates below; these are subject to change but we will notify you as soon as possible. They will be held in the **school hall at 9.05am**.

- Reception— Tuesday 26th March and Tuesday 2nd July
- Year 1—Tuesday 21st May and Tuesday 16th July
- Year 2— Tuesday 19th March and Tuesday 7th May
- Year 3— Tuesday 30th January and Tuesday 18th June
- Year 4/5— Tuesday 28th November and Tuesday 30th April
- Year 5/6—Tuesday 14th November and End of Year Production (date TBC)

Listening Ear Project—Coffee Morning for all parents and carers

Friday 6th October 9am-11am (more information on the next page)

Parents' and Carers' Evenings—an opportunity to meet with your child's class teacher to hear about their progress so far.

Monday 6th and Thursday 9th November, 4—6.50pm (more information will be sent shortly)

Lambeth Listening Ear Coffee Morning



CALLING ALL MOTHERS AND FATHERS TO COME ALONG TO JOIN US



DISCUSSING PARENTING AND CHALLENGES THAT ARE FACED

FRIDAY 6TH OCTOBER 2023 9-11AM

Hosted at St Jude's in the Hub

Local Events and CLubs

After School Drop-Off Coding classes in Brixton

7-12yr olds

4-6PM

From Thursday 21st September

Southwyck Coding & Arts Centre Southwyck Estate off Moorland Rd SW9 8UR

Register at www.southwyck.co.uk



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