



GOLDEN EAGLE

"Love one another"

13th October, 2017

Diary Reminders

Sunday 15th October

Year 1 Harvest presentation at St John's Church

Monday 16th October

Harvest
Years 3, 4 and 6 straight to church at 8.55am

Please take gifts straight to church. These will be donated to the Upper Room.

Friday 20th October
Break up for half term.

Maintenance Fund Reminder

Please can all outstanding Maintenance Fund payments be sent in to school by Friday 20th October.



PTFA  NEWS

Join us for an afternoon of Christmas cheer and family fun sponsored by Haus Properties.

Free Entry, carnival games, **Santa's Grotto**, tombola, **market stalls**, food, drinks, **Fulham Brass Band** and so much more!

To bring this event to life we are looking for volunteers to help on and before the day. Please check the note in your child's school bag for details about how you can get involved.

We are selling beautiful **Nordmann Fir Christmas trees** again this year. Please keep an eye out for those details after half term

Many thanks from the PTFA team!

A final reminder to everyone to please pass on their contact details to their PTFA class rep. We are almost there with contact numbers so don't miss out. Mrs Price will be in the playground at the end of today and next week for you to pass on details.



Please check to see if you have the correct scooter. Ezzie M (Y5P) is missing his red micro-scooter (pictured above). Please return to the shed if it has been taken in error. Please make sure your scooter is marked in some way that makes it easy to identify.

As from Monday, 16th October, we will no longer be accepting the old one pound coins. Please check when you send in dinner and trip monies.



The final amount raised from our Macmillan Coffee morning is £545.42.

Thank you to all who baked, bought, ate and drank on the morning to help us raise this amount.

JOIN THE GREEN TEAM Saturday 14th October 10am – 12pm

If you can spare your time or have gardening or building expertise, then the green team need you! They have many projects planned for the external areas of the school, including the Science Garden. We welcome anyone in the community to give us a hand. Hope to see you there.

Music at St. John's



Clarinet Tuition

There is one last space available in after-school clarinet tuition, which is held from 3.30 to 4.30 on Mondays in the Music Room. This small group tuition costs £7.80 per session (£78 for a 10-week term). Anyone starting after half term will pay £46.80, since there are six sessions.

Latin fund-raising book sale
A reminder that at 3.30 next Friday 20th October Mrs Ostler will be holding a second-hand book sale in aid of the Latin Club. Please come and support us by buying and donating books.



Thank you!

A visit from an alien!

On Tuesday Year 2 made an astounding discovery in the playground! After some careful observations and help from Ms Wightwick we concluded that an alien had landed in our school! We can happily inform you that the alien is no longer at our school but the Year 2 have written letters offering them advice about things to do and see in London!



Mrs Buckley's Top Table

Key Stage 1
Catarina Y2O
Lily Y2O

Key Stage 2
Aaron Y3H
Markus Y3H
Maya Y3L
Astrid Y3L
Barbara Y4C
Chen Y4C

Poem Title:

My grandad

My grandad's name was Alan Reid
He was the best grandad indeed
He sometimes wore a baggy vest
But to me he was still the best
He always sat in the same armchair
He wore a beret which covered his hair
My grandad fought second world war
He was the bravest man I ever saw

Albie T's moving poem about his lovely grandad who recently sadly passed away.

Mr Reid was a World War veteran who was a regular visitor to our Remembrance Services at St. John's Church. He always took the time to chat to the children afterwards. He is sadly missed.



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Sport at St. John's

Mayor's Cup Fixtures Friday 6th October

St John's A Teams kicked off their Mayor's Cup campaigns with two victories over St Paul's School, 8 goals scored and two clean sheets. The score lines did not tell the whole story of two competitive games with lots of positive play and some 'next steps' for both teams to work on.

The boys got the ball rolling with a 6-0 victory. George C's early finish settled nerves and allowed the boys to grow into the game. There were times where they tried to do too much as individuals and their final ball and crossing could have been more accurate however they dictated the pace of the game, passed the ball nicely and looked solid in defence. Further goals from Danny O'S and Ryan Mck added to a composed hat-trick by Jamel B to complete the scoring.

The girls followed up with a 2-0 victory against a talented St Paul's Team, boasting a couple of very gifted individuals. Although the game started scrappily and our girls lost their shape as they chased the ball, there were very pleasing periods in the second half where they found space, passed forwards accurately and began to take control of the contest. A calmly converted penalty by Isabel H-S was followed by an excellent last minute strike from Saffiah R-El-H to record a hard fought but well deserved victory.

Overall a superb start to the season. This year we have been allowed to enter two teams of boys and two teams of girls in the Mayor's Cup. This provides even further opportunities to more of our pupils to develop their skill and represent the school at level two sports competitions (Inter-School). This week (Friday 13th) our A teams play All Saints. The write up for these games will be in next week's newsletter.

Mr. Welch



Donation to the Grenfell Tower Fund

I am writing to thank you very much for your extremely generous donation to the K&C Foundation's Grenfell Tower Fund of £6,249.20.

We are very grateful that your students and staff acted so effectively to raise this significant sum, and we would like to show our appreciation through this certificate which we hope you will share with all involved.

In terms of the Grenfell incident, our hearts go out to those who have suffered, and we are focused on ensuring that 100% of the monies raised goes to these people who have been directly affected by the fire and to the community.

With many thanks for your support and kindness.

Yours sincerely,



Susan Dolton
Director



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Blue Tie Awards

Y1P	Cameron C	Key Stage One teachers have noticed how well he has learnt the song words for our Harvest service. Well done!
Y1S	River R	For his increased effort in all of his work particularly his handwriting.
Y2O	Evie F	For producing a great letter to the alien who landed on Earth giving him lots of super advice and information.
Y2R	Max S	For writing some fab suggestions in literacy using a range of connectives!
Y3H	Amelia E	For her excellent research skills on food in Tudor times. She created an instructional video on how to bake Tudor Jumbles biscuits. She brought some for the class to taste. Delicious!
Y3L	Sarwar H	For excellent improvement in his number work in Maths. Sarwar is making a great effort to stay focused and on task during all lessons. Keep up the good work Sarwar!
Y4C	Acacia M	For making a great start at St John's, learning the rules and expectations of school quickly and becoming a valued member of 4C as a kind friend and a learner who understands the importance of perseverance.
Y4R	Charlotte M	Charlotte for her excellent all round attitude towards her learning and for being a positive role model to others in her behaviour for learning.
Y5M	Louis B	For embracing the advice given to extend his learning and his articulate responses during our mature discussion around Democracy.
Y5P	Yarek D-Q	He uses fantastic vocabulary in every piece of work, and his writing across all subjects is exceptional.
Y6S	Danny O'S	For great focus across his work, applying what he has learned and proving a great role model in class.
Y6W		

If your child has a medical appointment during school hours, please ensure you present the letter or appointment card to the office, so the absence can be recorded accurately.

ATTENDANCE - Our Target is 96%

Our Average this week is **97.2%**

Class	% Attendance	Lates
NN	100.0	2
RC	96.3	3
RP	93.3	0
Y1P	97.9	1
Y1S	92.3	1
Y2O	100.0	6
Y2R	97.0	3
Y3H	97.0	0
Y3L	96.7	2
Y4C	95.6	1
Y4R	97.0	3
Y5M	99.5	3
Y5P	100.0	1
Y6S	97.9	4
Y6W	98.5	1