



GOLDEN EAGLE

"Love one another"

13th JANUARY 2016

DIARY REMINDERS

Tuesday 17th January

Y5 - Science museum trip
Y6 - Poppy museum trip

Wednesday 18th January

Y2 - Kidzania trip
Ruler Parent Workshop:
2.45pm - 3.15pm

Friday 27th January

Y6 - Wasted Production
(All Saints School)

Amendments to Diary overview sent out this week:

23rd February

Year 3 classes going to Natural History Museum

13th March

Year 3 classes going to Cadogan Hall Classical Road Show

17th March

Year 4 classes going to the Royal Albert Hall - Classic Music Spectacular

PARENT WORKSHOP

At St John's we understand that emotions matter! This year, we are excited to be using RULER, an evidence-based approach to social and emotional learning that helps school communities integrate the practice of emotional intelligence into daily life.

Introduction to RULER:

Wed 18th January (2.45 - 3.15pm)

The Mood Meter:

Wed 8th March (2.45 - 3.15pm)

Supporting the homeless in Fulham doesn't just happen during our Harvest season. The homeless need support all year round and you can help.

Do you have any unwanted gifts of toiletries? If so, please send them into school and we can arrange for them to go to St. John's church to help the homeless through the winter. Also needed are pens/pencils and notebooks, tissues, disposable razors, shaving foam and stick deodorants. There will be a box in the office area where you can drop off your donations.



SCIENTISTS WANTED!



Calling all scientists! If you are a parent who works in a scientific industry and would be interested in talking to our children about what you do during Science Week (13th - 17th March) then please speak to Miss Reay (Y2).

ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY

Good attendance and punctuality is essential for all pupils to reach their full potential.



Days off school soon add up and missing lessons can make it hard for pupils to catch up. Our school target is 96% for the academic year.

Being at school on time is also important – being 15 minutes late every day is the same as missing two weeks of school, over the academic year.

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| Above 98% | Excellent attendance Less than 4 days' absence in a year. |
| 95% | Good attendance Less than 9 days' absence in a year. |
| 90% | Below average / low attendance 19 days' absence over the year. |
| 85% | Exceptionally low attendance 29 days' absence in a year. |



The Parent Prayer Group meets each Friday at 9am in the school reception.

Please join us or post your prayer requests in the box by the school office.



INFANT AGILITY AND SPORTSHALL FOCUS / HOMEWORK

To give pupils the best opportunity to progress with their Infant Agility and Sportshall Awards we are including a series of PE homework activities to help pupils prepare for the awards. These detail how each activity will be tested during their awards scheme.

Standing Long Jump

A two footed jump from a standing position is a test of co-ordination and leg strength. In 1904 a world record of 3.47m was recorded into a sand pit and stood for over 80 years! The new world record is now over 3.60m.

In Sportshall and Infant Agility a special graduated, foam mat is used which enables jumps to be safe and recorded accurately.

Infant Agility Levels

| Reception | Year 1 | Year 2 |
|-----------|--------|--------|
| 50cm+ | 80cm+ | 100cm+ |

School Sportshall Records

Girls - 188cm

Boys – 229cm

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB NOTICE:

All after school clubs started this week.

If you child attends Activa After School Care, please can you ensure Activa know what day your child attends an after school club. Many children went straight to Activa this week instead of going to their after school club.

There are still some places left in KS2 Choir, at its new time of 8.20am on a Tuesday morning. It is free!



Your child needs to come to the Munster Road gate for 8.20: I will let the children in and then close the gate again, so if you are late you will have to come through the office entrance in Filmer Road. Please email Ms Ostler on music@stjohnsce.lbhf.sch.uk to express interest.



All Pupils from Nursery to Year 6 are welcome to book a place on a daily basis for the Breakfast Club. Please speak to Ms. Smith for more details.

Breakfast Club opens at 8am each morning. Pupils are not permitted to enter the Community Room before this time. If you arrive earlier than 8am please ensure you supervise your child in the main reception area until Breakfast Club opens.

Pupils are only permitted to come to school wearing an official St John's school hat. School hats are available from the John Lewis website. No other hat is permitted. Please ensure your child has a school hat for any up coming school trips.



MEDICINE IN SCHOOL

Just a reminder that all medication that comes to school, must come through the main office so that the relevant information can be recorded.

This includes all asthma inhalers or 'one off' prescribed medicines.



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Blue Tie Awards

- Y1H Tyler W For his excellent contributions during our Science of Materials session at the Fulham Palace education centre. He did particularly well when discussing why some materials sink and float and also at problem solving.
- Y1DH Thea W For being an amazing learner during our school trip. Thea showed a true interest when learning all about materials and their properties, she answered questions and had some great ideas.
- Y2O Aimee B For being a superstar in maths all week, showing a great understanding of reading and writing times.
- Y2R William A For a fantastic diary entry in literacy with exciting adjectives, adverbs and conjunctions!
- Y3C Josiah T For starting the new term with a very improved, amazing attitude towards his learning and towards his peers and teachers.
- Y3P Harry B During our trip to the Science Museum he showed all day that he was trying his best to listen to instructions - excellent behaviour.
- Y4P Annie W-M For working very hard on her fractions this week.
- Y4S Tayylor C For showing amazing increased independence in the new term with both her writing and maths work.
- Y5W Ava B For displaying independent thinking for the week and not following others.
- Y5M Sienna M For her increased focus, and applying herself to her work to achieve to the best of her ability.
- Y6F Zohra F For working really hard to improve her writing, showing a great level of focus in class and being more involved in class discussions.
- Y6CR Luella M For a confident start to the new term. It is wonderful to see Luella making great contributions in class.



EARLY BIRD MONTH

January 2017

It is very important that your child arrives at school on time every day. The main gates are open from 8.30am each morning.

If you arrive at this time you must wait with your child in the playground until 8.45am. Your child must be in school by **8.55am**.

ATTENDANCE - Our Target is 96%

Our Average this week is 94.9%

| Class | % Attendance | Lates |
|-------|--------------|-------|
| NN | 86.9 | 2 |
| R1P | 94.6 | 4 |
| R2M | 93.1 | 0 |
| Y1H | 99.6 | 3 |
| Y1DH | 95.7 | 1 |
| Y2R | 92.8 | 0 |
| Y2O | 93.8 | 4 |
| Y3C | 96.4 | 4 |
| Y3P | 98.3 | 2 |
| Y4P | 99.0 | 2 |
| Y4S | 93.3 | 2 |
| Y5M | 96.0 | 3 |
| Y5W | 93.8 | 6 |
| Y6F | 94.0 | 0 |
| Y6CR | 96.7 | 0 |

Mrs Buckley's Top Table

Top Table children for next week:

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|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| Juan Y1 DH | Amiee Y2 O | Ethan S. Y6CR |
| Alfie Y1 DH | Matilda Y2O | Bridget Y6CR |
| Bailey Y5 | Miriam Y5 | Sienna Y5 |
| Isaac Y5 | | |

Week Beginning 16th January



Katch a Kup



Duck, Duck, Goose