



St John's Catholic Primary School



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We are very proud of our children and staff who have raised an amazing £270 for Cancer Research UK.



Great fun was had by all children in the Fun Run – despite the wet weather! The children were thrilled with their medals.

Friends of St. John's

We would like to thank all the volunteers that are giving up their own time to sell ice lolly's and raise funds for St. Johns.

Events

Don't forget that we have a football event on Tuesday 28th June and our 'Princess and Prince' and 'Hawaiian' themed dances on Thursday 30th June. Have you got your ticket?

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 28th June – Wastebusters collection

Tuesday 28th June – KS2 Football Tournament

Thursday 30th June – Nursery 'full timers' trip to Surrey Docks Farm

Thursday 30th June – Junior Dance

Thursday 30th June – Year 5 Sailing

Friday 1st July – Year 5 trip to the British Museum

Friday 1st July - SPLASH rehearsal at St. Saviours & St. Olaves

Friday 1st July - Year 3 trip to Frankie and Benny's

Tuesday 5th July – Sports Day for EYFS

Thursday 7th July – Parents of our Year 3 & 4 children are invited to a Recorders Recital at 2.45pm in the School Hall.

Tuesday 12th July – Year 6 Leavers' Mass

Thursday 14th July – Sports Day for KS1 & 2

Wastebusters – Recycling!

The collection will be tomorrow on Tuesday 28th June. Please return your bags with any unwanted items.

The following items can be collected:
clothing, shoes, hats, belts, handbags, ties and soft toys.

Uniform

We would like to remind parents that the school summer uniform is a yellow summer dress and a school jumper for girls – cardigans are not permitted. Please make sure that all uniform is labelled with children's names.

Please ensure your child has a coat or jacket in school every day. During the wet weather children need fresh air and therefore at playtimes they should be wearing a coat.



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Attendance

Reception – 93.2%
Year 1 – 95%
Year 2 – 95.6%
Year 3 – 94.2%
Year 4 – 92.5%
Year 5 – 96.4%
Year 6 – 95%
Well done Year 5!

Celebrating Success

EYFS

Our Reception Class data was moderated by the Local Authority recently. This was most successful and the moderators were complimentary about the range of evidence and the high-quality Learning Journeys. We were delighted by the excellent turn-out of parents and carers at the meeting for the new 'Reception Class Parents' last week. A big thank you to the Kitchen Staff for providing tasters of food served to the children at lunch-time. Parents enjoyed sampling the food and were most complimentary about the variety and quality of the food on offer.

KS1

The Queen's 90th Birthday

Year 1 and 2 enjoyed the Queen's 90th Birthday Special Lunch – a picnic fish and chips in Father's Field. Well done to all children who completed their Homework Project to mark the occasion.



KS2

Year 6 had an amazing time on their overnight Camping Trip to the Downe Scout Centre. Although the weather last week was very wet, they enjoyed 2 days of sunshine!



Lily kindly gave us her perspective on the trip: "Camping was great fun! Over the 2 days we got to do lots of exciting activities such as the Zip Wire. My favourite was when we were hunting for clues on a mystery activity. It was very comfortable in the tent and I enjoyed sharing it with the other girls – we were awake at 5am!"



Congratulations also to Ms Grabowski for her 'Excellent Teacher Award' from the Local Authority which recognised her hard work and commitment to the children of this school.