



St John's Catholic Primary School



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School Nature Grant



Two girls from the Green Team in Year 6 were fundamental in a recent School Nature Grant application for resources for Early Years and Year 1. They interviewed teachers and children and helped put together a bid for £500 worth of outdoor equipment for the younger children in the school. We are delighted to inform you that it has been successful. Well done to Letisiya and Maisie for the work that went into this. What a lovely gesture as Year 6 prepare to leave St. John's.



Summer Fete – 13th July 2017

As you know the Friends of St John's are organising a Summer Fete on Thursday 13th July 2017. **Volunteers needed!** Please leave your name at the office.

Children's Activity Afternoon

On 13th July the children will have an Activity Afternoon organised by Years 5 and 6.

There will be a number of activities to choose from including some sport based competitions, arts and crafts and some games where you can win a prize. The children can buy tokens for this for £2 (this will give them 4 tokens) so please send the money in this week!



KS1 & 2 Sports Day takes place at Bacon's College on Friday 7th July, beginning at 1.30pm. Arrival for family members is between 1.20pm and 1.30pm only. Children are to arrive at school in their PE kit with **NO BAGS**. **They will not be permitted to return to school to collect belongings.**

PE Kit

To take part in sports day children need to be wearing the correct PE kit, which consists of:

- white T-shirt (with school crest),
- royal blue shorts
- black, navy or grey plain trainers

Children in incorrect kit will not take part in sports day!

Raffle

Friends of St Johns are selling raffle tickets for the 'raffle' that will be drawn at the School Fete on Thursday 13th July. There are some great prizes, don't forget to buy your tickets!

School trips

If you do not return a signed slip to enable your child to attend a school trip, they will remain in school and join another class.



We would like to ask parents not to block or park on the driveways of local residents. We have received a number of complaints from several members of the community regarding this matter. We have the highest expectations for our pupils behaviour.

We ask that **all** parents and carers show the same high standards.



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Celebrating Success

KS1 Multi Skills



Year 2 took part in a Multi Skills Sports Day run by Bacon's College Sports Partnership. The children enjoyed the many activities organised for them in Southwark Park. What great preparation for our sports day on Friday! Alana said she had a wonderful day.

KS2 Bank of England



Year 6 visited the Bank of England Museum where they watched a 'Pounds and Pence' presentation. Money is such a normal part of our lives that we don't often stop to think about it. However, the presentation encouraged pupils to think about money and prices in a more meaningful way. Try imagining a world without money and you'll see there's more to it than meets the eye! Year 6 pupils also had the chance to try and lift a real gold bar!

British Museum



Year 5 went on an exciting trip to the British Museum. They explored different areas of the museum and created some beautiful art work based on what they saw.



Tuesday 4th July- Early Years Sports Day
9.30am – Reception Class , Full Time & AM Nursery.

2.30pm - Full Time & PM Nursery children

Entry through the school gate

Tuesday 4th July – Year 5 Masterclass at St. Michael's College

Wednesday 5th July – Year 6 trip to Westminster Kingsway College for a 'Big Bang' Science Workshop

Friday 7th July – KS1 & KS2 Sports Day at Bacon's College, admittance between 1.20pm and 1.30pm only

Monday 10th July – Year 3 trip to Deptford Creekside

Advance notice of dates

Tuesday 11th July – 9am Secondary school transfer meeting for Year 5 parents/carers.

Tuesday 11th July – Year 6 Leavers' Mass
2pm

Wednesday 12th July – Violin recital for parents
11.30am

Wednesday 12th July – Parents Evening
3.30-4.30pm

Friday 21st July – Last day of term, school finishes at 2pm.