## St. John's Church of England Primary School Newsletter

### 'The JOY of the Lord is Your Strength'

(Nehemiah 8:10)

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November

#### Parent/Teacher Meetings

Thank you to all parents who have taken part in telephone calls with teachers during this week. We hope you found it useful. You will be able to see your child's classroom and all the work they have been doing in their books on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December. School will be open to parents to come in at 2.30 until the end of the school day. We hope you will be able to make it.

#### Y2 History Visit



Y2 had a lovely visit from Mrs Rimmer who had attended St John's over 60 years ago. She showed us some photographs and told us about what life was like at St John's back then. They had green uniform, an outside toilet block and got the cane if they did anything wrong! We are glad we come to St John's now!

#### Remembrance Day



We are thankful to Y6 today who led our Remembrance Day Assembly for the whole school. They reminded us of the great sacrifice our soldiers have made for our country and talked about the importance of the poppy as a symbol of peace. We were all very respectful during our one minute silence at 11.00.

#### Remembrance Prayer

#### Dear Lord

We remember those who stood for love and truth, And thank you for the sacrifice they made for me and you. Thank you that we can now enjoy peace and learn to love not fight, Thank you that we can now sing and play, and not be scared or hide. Amen



# St. John's Superstars!

Superstar Award	Year Group	JOY Award
Rosie	<b>Reception</b>	Lilly
Noah	<u>Year 1</u>	Daniel
Luke	<u>Year 2</u>	Georgia
Riley	<u>Year 3</u>	Autumn
Harvey	<u>Year 4</u>	Aliya
Benito	<u>Year 5</u>	Jacob
Jenson	<u>Year 6</u>	Leif

#### **IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:**

13<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup> November – Y6 trip to Robinwood 13<sup>th</sup> November- Clubs start again 13<sup>th</sup> November-flu immunisations for Reception – Year 5 16<sup>th</sup> November- Odd Sock Day. 17<sup>th</sup> November- MUFTI Day for Children in Need. £1 Donation 30<sup>th</sup> November- Year 5 start swimming 3<sup>rd</sup> December- Chocolate Service at Church 12<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Discos 13<sup>th</sup> December- Open Afternoon. Parents are invited to come into school and look at books. 13<sup>th</sup> December – Reception and Year 1 Nativity Performance 15<sup>th</sup> December- Sponsored Relay and Winter Wonderland W/C 18<sup>th</sup> December – Class Christmas Parties. More information to follow.

#### <u>Attendance</u>

Whilst COVID is still very much around and in the news, it is important that children are in school as much as possible to catch up academically and socially. Each week the class with highest attendance will get a little extra treat and a mention in assembly!

Reception 96.4%

Year 1 97.8% Winners!

Year 2 94.8%

Year 3 96.8%

Year 4 96.5%

Year 5 91.9%

Year 6 88.8%

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