

St. John's Church of England Primary School Newsletter

'The JOY of the Lord is Your Strength'

(Nehemiah 8:10)



Friday 15th November 2024
Value: Thankfulness

Children in Need!

Thank you to everyone who donated today – whether it be for MUFTI, cake or spots. We have had a lovely day with lots of arts, crafts and comic strips, made even more wonderful by a very special visitor! Keep an eye on Class Dojo and our website to see some of the photos from the day!



Year 6 had a brilliant time at Robinwood. Thank you for being such wonderful ambassadors and thank you to all the staff for taking you and helping to create such fabulous memories!

Anti-Bullying Week- Choose Respect!

We have had a fantastic time marking Anti-Bullying week with the theme this year being 'Choose Respect!' During assembly on Monday we explored the story of David and Goliath and the important message that no matter how small we are we can all stand up against bullying behaviours, for ourselves and others and truly make a positive impact! Odd Socks Day was also a huge success and the school was transformed into a sea of colour! The children wore their odd socks with pride to express their individuality! Thank you for supporting this important topic.



Respect **Thankfulness** **Compassion** **Truthfulness** **Trust** **Responsibility**

St. John's Superstars

Superstar Award

Year Group

J.O.Y. Award

Ottilie	<u>Reception</u>	Brandon
Evie	<u>Year 1</u>	Amelia
Dominic	<u>Year 2</u>	Noah V
Billie-Jules	<u>Year 3</u>	Ralphy
Dylan	<u>Year 4</u>	James
Zoe	<u>Year 5</u>	Elsie
Amalie	<u>Year 6</u>	Isabelle

IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY: ATTENDANCE

Please keep an eye on the newsletter each week as the list of dates will be added to / amended over time. Further details of key events and festivals will be sent out nearer the time in case we need to make any logistical changes. Teachers will keep you updated on Class Dojo regarding key events for your child's class.

w/c 25th November – Bikebaility for Year 6
 25th November – Girls football league night 2 – Mr Willmott will send team details soon
 1st December – Toy and Chocolate Service at Church at 10 am. JOY Team to attend if possible
 3rd December – Eucharist Service in school for Advent for Junior classes
 4th December – Y5 visiting Church during the morning to entertain the congregation
 5th December – PFA Christmas Discos
 9th December – SASW Christmas Production
 10th December – Year 1 Christmas Carols at 2 pm
 11th December – Reception Nativity at 9:30 am
 12th December – pantol!
 13th December – Winter Wonderland
 16th December – Y2,3,4 Christmas dinner & parties
 17th December – Rec, Y1 Christmas dinner & parties
 18th December – Y5, 6 Christmas dinner & parties
 19th December – Christmas Service in Church at 9:30 am. All families welcome
 20th December – End of term at 1:45 pm. No FAST club

Good attendance is absolutely vital in ensuring your child is able to fulfil their potential in school. Our target for good attendance is at least 95% of the time in school and learning. Each week the **class** with the highest attendance will get a little extra treat and a mention in assembly.

Reception – 94.7%

Year 1 – 98.4%

Year 2 – 96.8%

Year 3 – 94.3%

Year 4 – 94.4%

Year 5 – 98.3%

Year 6 – we'll leave this week!

Useful contact details

School Office – 01704 227441

FAST club – 07543960290

Prayer for the week

We speak to Jesus, Your Son: 'We thank you for our friends. Help us to value and respect the things that matter to them and to share with them true friendship in return. Amen.'

Respect Thankfulness Compassion Truthfulness Trust Responsibility