



Develop Motivate Inspire

St John's C. of E. Primary School School News

8th July 2021

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Dates for your Diary

21st July – Year 6 Celebration

21st July – FOSJ's treat

22nd July – Year 6 Celebration Worship (via Zoom)

Garden of Remembrance



Our garden of remembrance is coming along nicely at the front of school, in memory of our beloved Assistant Principal, Mrs Bramhall. Thank you to Bickershaw Hall Nurseries and Abram Ward Co-operative for supplying and funding these beautiful plants.



As we are heading towards the summer holidays, Mrs Gregory is asking for the children (and grownups if you fancy it!) to decorate a pebble or stone for Mrs Bramhall's garden of remembrance.

It could just be a simple message or a picture...let your creativity flow!!!

Bring in your finished pebbles in September when we return to school.

This is our chance to share our thoughts and memories of a wonderful talented teacher who is very deeply missed.



Reminder - FOSJs are raffling off these fabulous 'Build a Bear' teddies all next week. Tickets are £1 per strip and tickets will be sold in the classrooms daily. The winning tickets will be drawn on Friday 16th July.



EYFS/KS1 Visit



This week, EYFS and KS1 had a visit from local author/illustrator Sean Perkins. The children loved listening to his new book 'Oscar and Ben' and even took part in a drawing workshop. If you would like to buy a book, the cost is £7.00 and can be purchased via school.



Notices

If any person in your family falls ill with COVID 19 symptoms, receives a positive test result, or your child is required to self-isolate, please alert school as soon as possible via our new covid designated email address - SJANotifications@questrust.org.uk

This will then enable us to take the appropriate action and fulfil our contact-tracing obligations. Please continue to use Class Dojo for all other communication with your child's class teacher.

Absences

If your child is going to be absent from school, could you please ring the office or leave a dojo message.

Teacher Training

Are you interested in becoming a Teacher? Please click the link below to see this great opportunity.

<https://bit.ly/3pUxL6K>

Attendance

Congratulations to Year 4/5 with last week of terms highest attendance of 98.8%. Well done!

Attendance Matters



The world is run by those who turn up!
Attending school every day = 100% attendance = Zero learning lost

3 days a week = 120 days / 24 weeks per year and nearly 8 years of lost learning over 13 years on school.

Make every minute of learning count.

Gold Book winners



Reception – Summer and Lazelle
Year 1 – Jack
Year 1/2 – Rafael
Year 2 – Leo
Year 3 – Charlie C
Year 3/4 – Riley
Year 4/5 – Isabella
Year 5/6 – Alfie
Year 6 – Evie L

Music Star of the Week



Congratulations to Max O, Year 5/6, for creating a musically interesting incredible song.

Eco Award



Congratulations to Harry W, Year 2, for voluntarily picking up litter off the field.

Ethos Award



Congratulations to Harley, Year 3, for showing friendship by supporting his friends in class and celebrating their success.

Christian Value

This term we are reflecting on the value of Responsibility.

Dear God,

Please teach our world how to be responsible.

Please tell us how to be responsible for our actions and the things we say. Thank you for believing we are responsible enough to look after the world you have created. Thank you for guiding us to make choices, even if they are not right.

Amen