



# St. Sampson's Church of England Primary School

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Term 4 - Number 20

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We are really enjoying celebrating World Book Day today. The children (and staff) look fantastic in their costumes - thank you for all your efforts in supporting this. I hope that you are getting a flavour of our day on our Twitter feed. I have particularly loved the 'Books in a Jar'. They are so creative! We will display these in our entrance until the end of term.



Every one enjoyed the disco last week. The children were beautifully behaved and joined in with the dancing (and eating the sweets)! Thank you to the FSSA for organising this for us all.

In addition, the FSSA's 'Recycle with Michael' proved very successful and the Salvation Army benefitted from 106 bags of unwanted clothes! This will also provide the FSSA with a donation.

We had a great NSPCC Number day on Friday. Please can any final bits of sponsorship money make their way to the office as soon as possible.

I am not in school Monday - Thursday next week. I am spending 3 days in London reviewing a Primary School as part of a review team for Challenge Partners, in the same way that Headteachers reviewed our school a few weeks ago. I am at the Wiltshire Primary Headteachers' Conference on Thursday. It is highly unusual for me to be out of school for this amount of time but if you have any queries or concerns or queries, please speak to Mr Hill.

**Jennifer Bayne**

**6B's Class Assembly - Tomorrow!**

**5C's Class Assembly - Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> March**

**2L's Class Assembly - Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> March**

Parents and carers of children in these classes are invited to join us for their class assembly at 9:10am in the Main Hall and then afterwards in the classroom for a shared learning experience.



## St Sampson's Stars!



A big well done to all our stars of the week ☺

**Kingfishers - Toby & Alfie**

**Puffins - Sebastian & Lily**

**Woodpeckers - Peyton & Lana**

**2L - Imogen & Callum**

**2S - Bessie & Kara**

**3/4B - Harry & Ava**

**3/4O - Toby & James**

**3/4W - Summer & Poppy**

**5C - Rory & Zoe**

**5R - Charlotte & Ewan**

**6B - Kieran & Sean**

**6R - Henry & Darcey**



## Parents' Evenings - Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> March & Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> March

Parents' evenings will take place on these two dates towards the end of this term. Please note that there will be no after school clubs running on these dates.

You will be able to sign up for an appointment time with your child's class teacher from Monday morning. Sign-up sheets will be in the entrance foyer.

All meetings will take place in the school halls and you will be able to see your child's work in their classroom.

## Red Nose Day - Friday, March 15<sup>th</sup>

Red noses will be on sale at morning break from next Monday for £1.25.

Next Friday we invite the children to wear non-uniform by wearing their reddest outfit, hat or silly wig and accessorise with deeley boppers for a donation to Comic Relief.



## Community Tea Party - Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> March

I am absolutely loving watching all the auditions for the talent show for the tea party. Please do invite any senior members of our community and relatives or friends who might live further afield to come along on 29<sup>th</sup> March at 1:30pm. It is always a popular event and even better if we have a full house!

Thank you for everyone who has offered to help. I have had plenty of offers for the afternoon but would appreciate it if there are any more volunteers to make sandwiches in the morning at 11:00am with me please.

## Girls' Football

Last Wednesday, 10 fabulous footballers took part in the first match of this season against Goddard Park. After many fabulous tackles and shots from both teams, St Sampson's came out on top for the first and second half with a final score of 3-1. Everyone had a brilliant day and helped us have a great start to the league. Thank you for Mr Smith and Mr Young for coaching us.

Team: **Marissa, Eleanor, Madeleine, Scarlett, Amber-Rose, Hannah T, Poppy, Zoe, Martha & Ellie**

Hannah & Martha

## Netball Trip

Last Friday, some of our netball team went with Mr Smith and Mrs Bray to watch Bath play (who play in the top flight of English netball). Everyone had a super evening and Bath won 60-55!



Thank you to Mrs Bray for organising this trip and to Mr Smith for driving the mini-bus.

## 'Away From it All' - Mothers' Union

Mothers' Union is a Christian organisation which believes in the importance of families. They are able to fund or part fund the cost of a family holiday for those who are going through stressful times. We have contact details in school so do come and speak to Mr Hill or myself, or look on their website if you think that this might be something that you would like to investigate further.

