

St. Theresa's Newsletter

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SUMMER TERM 2015 - Friday 22nd May

Dear Parents,

It was assessment week this week at St Theresa's which is an opportunity for the teachers to check the progress and attainment of the children so far this Summer Term. The governors also carried out some monitoring this week. They accompanied me on a learning walk to find out how we evaluate the teaching and learning standards in the school. They also looked at some books from each class to find out how the senior staff monitor the standards and progress of the work completed in the books. The governors and I were really impressed with the teaching and learning taking place. We watched writing lessons from Reception to Year 6. The vocabulary used by all the children was incredible and the standards of behaviour very high. We are incredibly proud of our school and the hard work of all the staff. I wish them, the governors, children and you, the parents, a very well earned rest this half term break! Miss Kelly ☺

Movie Nights, Summer Fair & BBQ

Many thanks to the parents who organised and ran the Movie Nights this week. This is a really enjoyable occasion for the children AND it's a great money maker! The Friends are working tirelessly to raise money for the school playground which will hopefully start to transform this summer holiday. This will only happen if we can make a huge profit in the Summer Fair and BBQ. The class reps met this week to discuss how they can support you all in getting involved, please don't be shy - your help is really needed to make these events successful!

Website

We have been updating our website recently so please have a look at the photographs and the information provided. Please take this opportunity to remind yourselves of our Homework Policy and our Behaviour Policy. As always if you have any concerns please contact the class teacher who will be happy to help you in any way they can.

Attendance:

Reminder:

Safeguarding As explained in the Autumn Term any safeguarding concerns or disclosures of a safeguarding nature will automatically be checked with the Local Authority Multi Agency Safeguarding Team. All advice and procedures will be followed to ensure all children are safe and protected from any possible harm

Dates for your diary

Half term 25th - 29th May - Children back on Monday 1st June
 Monday 1st June - Yr 6 trip to Houses of Parliament
 Wednesday 3rd June - Yr 5 & Yr 6 Cricket Competition
 Thursday 4th June - Year 5 Good Shepherds Mass at Westminster Cathedral 2 pm
 Friday 5th June - Yr 2 to National Gallery
 Monday 8th June - School Feast Day Mass 9:15- All welcome
 Wednesday 10th June - Yr 5 Assembly 9.15 am Parent welcome
 Saturday 13th June 12 to 3pm- Summer Fair



Achievements



Rec	Mia - For her determination to be outstanding in her learning. Oliver - His independent writing.
Yr 1	Hugo - For adding important details to his writing. Tommy - For being a 'Have a go Mo' in all his lessons.
Yr 2 Red	Olivia - For writing an excellent TV interview with 'The Beast'. Arya - For his effort and creativity when writing a newspaper report on the story of the Ascension!
Yr 2 Blue	Niamh - For some fantastic descriptive writing about The Brave Beast. Andrew - For writing some super sentences using connective. Great Effort!
Y3	Adam - For his fantastic improvement in Numeracy this half term. Maya - Always putting in 100% effort.
Y4	Fay - For being a wonderful member of the school community. Jessica - For her brave attitude to learning.
Y5	Filip - For outstanding progress in his learning. Giorgia - For outstanding progress in her learning.
Y6	Michael - For always trying his best. Angelo - For having a positive attitude to learning.

Well done to everyone who tried their best this week and worked hard to challenge themselves.

Golden Ticket Children for next week are

Lucas and Mia Reception



Well done to St David's who won the most house points this week!

Year 5 Message

Do you know who used to live in Avenue House? Well, we do. On Friday 15th May Year 5 went on a fantastic walk led by a local historian, Paul Baker. We found out lots of interesting facts about Finchley and the people who lived there. We learnt about Mrs Elizabeth King who was the "Lord of the Manor" (even though she was a woman!) She had her own road made for her so she could walk to church on a Sunday without getting muddy. We also found out about "Inky" Stephens who lived in Avenue House, and we saw his son's signature engraved on a building there. We were so lucky to learn things about Finchley in such detail and we thoroughly enjoyed the trip.

By Mia and Amelia

Special Mention:- Well done to Scarlett and Annabel in Year 4 for raising £157.30 in their cake sale last week for the people in Nepal

Attendance

Year 2 Blue had the best attendance this week, with 100 % attendance! Well done. 97% of children in the school came to school every day this week.

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