

Saint John's Church School Newsletter



Diary Dates

13th April 2010

Monday 12th April	TRAINING DAY SCHOOL CLOSED
Tuesday 13th April	
3 - 4pm	Netball Club
Wednesday 14th April	Year 6 Booster NO ART CLUB NO CHOIR
3 - 4pm	Discover Sports Club
Thursday 15th April	Year 6 Booster NO MULTI SKILLS CLUB TAG RUGBY CLUB FINISHED
3 - 4pm	Dance Club
Monday 19th April	FOOTBALL CLUB FINISHED Year 2 Trip to Hamerton Zoo
3 - 4pm	BLP Club (Invitation Only)
3 - 4pm	Country Dancing Club

Welcome back after the Easter Holiday!

The sun is shining and flowers are blooming for the start of our Summer Term - this is a joyful time of year. Help us to make this our best term ever.

Yesterday all teaching staff, TAs and office staff attended the first Peterborough Festival of Learning. Along with delegates from 30 other Peterborough schools we had inspirational talks from renowned speakers in the educational field and attended workshops to improve our skills.

Sacrewell Trip

Reception and Year 1 had a lovely trip to Sacrewell Farm at the end of last term.

We fed lambs and saw lots of other animals including cows and furry pigs. The tractor ride was enormous fun and we played in the Activity Barn and had a picnic.



Mrs Proctor

Peanut Park Opening

The official opening of Peanut Park is this Saturday 17th April at 12pm.

I look forward to seeing many of you there.

Mr Hollingsworth

Attendance League

- 1st Class 4SW (Chipmunks)
- 2nd Class 6SR (Butterflies)
- 3rd Class 6EC (Kangaroos)

Mrs Sutton

Kit League

- 1st Class 6SR (Butterflies)
- 2nd Class 6EC (Kangaroos)
- 3rd Class 1CB (Guinea Pigs)
- Joint 7th Class 2SN (Big Cats)
- Class 5CF (Gorillas)

Mrs Walton

Sports News

I will be sending out a new sports club list this week; new sports this term will include cricket and rounders.

Please remember that PE kit is white t-shirt and blue or black shorts. I will be giving 10 house points to every child who wears the correct kit.

Final Total Sports Relief

Well done to everyone for all their donations and support, our final sports relief total was £718.18!

Mrs Walton

Attendance

Gold, silver and bronze winners for last term will be revealed next week.

We have now reached 95.2% overall and our new target is 96%. Thank you for all your support.

Awards

Well done to all children who received awards at the End of Term Service.

Cup Winners were;
*Louie Clarke for
Consistent Effort or
Achievement*
*Aideen Clarke for
Improved Attitude to Learning*
*Kian Case for
Helping Hands*



Mrs Firth

Punctuality

School starts at 8.50am and children may come into class at 8.30am.

We still have a number of children who are persistently late. Next week myself and Mrs Firth will be carrying out a late gate.

Mrs Sutton

The Tempest

Congratulations to the Year 4 children who took part in this incredible celebration of Orton schools unity at The Cresset. The Tempest was performed by choirs, actors and bands from all Orton primary schools and a band from Orton Bushfield Academy.

Many parents were able to attend and the venue reached full capacity.

Mrs Wynne

Reading Volunteers

We are looking for parents who may be interested in coming into school as volunteers to help with reading. Please contact either myself or Miss Bowles if you are available.

Research shows that children who are read to or listened to reading five times a week make considerably quicker improvements in their reading than those who are not.

A child's education can be seen as a triangle, with the child at the top and supported by parents and school below.

Mrs Firth