





NEWSLETTER Friday 9th June 2023

### Dear Families,

It is hard to believe how quickly the year has flown by. Watching the children flourish term by term and witnessing the wonderful progress they have all made is a testiment as to how resilient they really are.

Summer two is a wonderful time to celebrate all of their achievements. This week the year four children completed their multiplication tables check and next week our year one children will complete the phonics screening test. We are confident that they will all try their best!

Teachers are busy organising trips - Year 2 & 3 have already visited the Half Moon Theatre for a showing of Pinoccio and Year 2 will be visiting the Burdett Mosque, supported by Laura (the children and families worker from All Saints).

Have a wonderful weekend!



Mrs Smith



## **DIARY DATES**

Year 2 Burdett Mosque Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June

Year 6 Residential trip to Kingswood – 26th - 28th June

Year 6 Leavers: Thursday 6th July at All Saints for the Deanery

Group of year 6 pupils only

Sports Days: Dates to be confirmed

End of term Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July – Children finish at 1.30pm

Children return on: Wednesday 6th September







Jesus said "I have come so that you can live life in all its' fullness" John 10:10



## STARS OF THE WEEK





Our stars



Kindness leaves

Cairo, Areebah & Joseph

### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU!**

Eloise	2nd	Yr5
Elaynah	4th	Yr2
Henry	5th	Yr5
Mikael	5th	Yr6
Silva-Lima, Mary	5th	Nursery
Veron	5th	Yr3
Wenro	7th	Nursery
Alfie	8th	Yr6
Mia	9th	Yr1
Misheel	13th	Nursery
Olivia	17th	Yr5
Laila	17th	Nursery
Alexis-Marie	19th	Yr5
Teddy	19th	Yr2
Taseen	21st	Yr3
Jack	23rd	Yr4
Emily	23rd	Yr4
Archie-Rae	25th	Yr6
Ebenezer	27th	Nursery
Sophia	28th	Yr2

### Stars of the Week

It's lovely to be able to invite families back into the school to celebrate together with their child. We can only have 1 adult per family. If you have 2 children who are in separate classes this will be 2 adults. If you have a baby, please could you let us know so we can accommodate; we are very happy to provide a crèche. Thank you for understanding.



**WORSHIP FOCUS** 

**The Trinity** Living together in unity

What big questions do you have about God?









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## St Saviour's School2023/24 Academic Calendar

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INSET DAYS; Sept 4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup>	
Jan 5 <sup>th</sup> May 2 <sup>nd</sup> (Polling closure)	
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School Birthday 1st December

T1.1 7 weeks T1.2 - 7.5 weeks

T2.1 5 weeks T2.2 – 6 weeks

T3.1 6 weeks, T3.2 – 7.5 weeks

190 days with 4 INSET days and one after school.









# **ATTENDANCE MATTERS**

Good attendance relates to good attainment. Every day counts! At St Saviour's School regular attendance is important to ensure the best possible learning outcomes for all our children. It helps our children make the most of their education, improving their chances in adult life. Regular attendance and punctuality are also important life skills which will help our children when they enter the world of work. Our children receive certificates and prizes for good attendance half termly, termly and for the full vear. Classes with the best attendance win day trip. Attendance for each class is monitored, shared weekly in our celebration collective worship and will now be Our attendance policy is on our school website. Paper copies are available from the office displayed outside each classroom. In addition to this we expect our children to be punctual. The school gates open at 8:45 and close at 8:55, giving you 10 minutes to get your child into school. Children are expected to be in class for the register by 8:50 am, ready to start their first lesson shortly afterwards. Being punctual means that lessons can start on time, enabling staff to maximise children's learning time. Your child will be given a late mark if they arrive in class after the register has been completed. If your child is absent from school due to a medical reason, please ring the school office by phone before 8.40 am. We will contact you if we haven't heard by this time as part of our safeguarding procedures. We understand that illness happens and if your child is not well then, they may need to stay home, but we ask if your child has a runny nose, a headache or seems very tired that you still bring them into school. The below chart outlines how much learning is lost through non-attendance.

 Our target is 96%

This week's percentages 5 <sup>th</sup> June -9 <sup>th</sup> June		
Class	%	
Year 1	95.33	
Year 2	93.45	
Reception	93.24	
Well Done Year 1		

Our attendance policy is on our school website. Paper copies are available from the office.

How close are you to reaching to the top?



The Attendance Welfare Officer (AWO) checks our school registers regularly and will contact parents by letter, telephone or a home visit if there is a cause for concern. Formal referral of pupils with persistently less than 90% attendance may be made. Be aware that parents can ultimately be prosecuted for non-attendance offences.











#### **Summer Hampers donations**

Summer is on its way! As we are trying to make it as fun as possible to raise money for the school. Therefore, we are asking families, if they could donate <u>one item per child</u> from their classes from the list below. From your donations, we will then make hampers for parents & guardians to purchase a raffle tickets to win the hampers.

We're asking each year to donate themed items for this Summer hampers and can start bringing them in from Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June – please give the donations to your child.

Raffle tickets are £1 each a strip and will be on sale. Michelle parent of Stanley in Year 6 & Melissa parent of Johnny in Year 1 will be selling them from Monday  $5^{th}$  June 2023.

The raffle will be drawn and winners announced on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July – the hampers need to be collected on the last day of term - Good Luck!

We fully appreciate that everyone's situation is different and any support you are able to give with either hamper donations or by buying raffle tickets will be very much appreciated. There is no obligation to take part.

We'd be very grateful for the following hamper donations: - please see ideas

Nursery & Reception	Beach items
Year 1 & 2	Bottle of drinks
Year 3 & 4	Bags of sweets
Year 5 & 6	Biscuits & cakes

We are a nut-free school so please ensure that any donations are nutfree, including packaged goods. Please also check that donated items are in date and unopened.

The two top classes will receive a treat for their class – Good Luck!

Thank you so much for any support you can give in these challenging times. We are hugely grateful.



## SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS PARENT MEETING

We are setting up a group for parents and guardians of children with special education needs. The aim of this is for us to listen to parents and guardians about what is working well - and not so well - with regards to SEN support. If the group becomes a success, we may be able to have workshops and support from outside professionals. Please email the office if you want like to be part of this group and share our journey of improving services for all. You can join if you think it is great too, we want to celebrate and innovate together. The first meeting will be held later this month please contact the school to book. Thank you









# Y2 & Y3 Trip to Half Moon Theatre

Both classes really enjoyed watching Pinocchio at the theatre. Thank you to Half Moon Theatre for this lovely experience.











