

NEWSLETTER Friday 24th November 2023

Dear Families,

The school's birthday is an opportunity to connect with each other, our locality, our past and our future. A wonderful week where the undelaying theme of belonging to school, to our classes, to our friendships, families, to Poplar has been evidenced in our learning, our art, our trips, even our lunches! The children are amazing as always- positive, caring, creative, a joy to hear them singing Christmas songs (early but it is advent) and learning!

We have had the pleasure of welcoming the artist Anita Chanda to our school to create along with the visit to see her sculpture. The children enjoyed a lunchtime recital at Clifford Chance with our partner school. Clifford Chance volunteers also planted up some of the grounds with bulbs that we look forward to seeing in spring. We welcomed student teachers, the Deputy Mayor and Council leader... belonging and connecting beyond ourselves is wonderful.

Wishing you a warm weekend, *Mrs Smith*



DIARY DATES

Thursday 7th December

Christmas jumper day & Christmas Lunch

Thursday 14th December at 2pm

Christingle at All Saints, all parents and guardians welcome

Wednesday 20th December

Last day of term, school finishes at 1:30pm

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

STARS OF THE WEEK

Reception	Darla	Bertie
Year One	Rohan	O'Shea
Year Two	Indigo	Johnny
Year Three	Zoe	Sophia
Year Four	Somachi	Ayman
Year Five	Phox	Adam
Year Six	Areebah	Ben



WORSHIP FOCUS

Christ the King! A celebration of Christ as healer, teacher, servant King.



When are you called to be kind, caring, considerate to others? What do you do?



Our stars



Kindness leaves

This Week's Attendance (%)

1 st Place:	Y4	94.47
2 nd Place:	Y5	93.33
3-Place:	Y6	90.37

Congratulations to our top 3 classes our target is 96%

School Matters!



Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow

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Some dates for the diary

December

1st – School's Birthday

6th – Ice Skating Y6

7th – I Rock concert

7th – Christmas Jumper Day

7th – Christmas lunch

8th – Christmas Panto at Clifford Chance

11th – EYFS Nativity at 10am

11th – Y1 & 2 Nativity at 2pm

12th – Y3 & 4 Christmas performance at 2pm

13th – Y5 & 6 Christmas performance at 2pm

12th - Ice Skating Y5

14th – Christingle service at All Saints – 2pm

15th – Christmas Fair with reindeer!

A letter will be sent out soon with information about tickets for your child's Nativity or performance.

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Happy Birthday St Saviour's



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Year 6 have been lucky to work with the award winning artist Anita Chanda this week on creating their own sculpture. Anita was recently awarded the Clifford Chance and University of the Arts London Sculpture Award 2023. Anita's work uses upcycled plastic nets, wire, polystyrene and acrylic yarn to raise awareness of the challenges we face towards becoming more environmentally friendly and achieving the goal of net-zero.

Year 6 created their own tree using similar materials in class that they will continue to add to over the course of the year representing their growth throughout their time at St. Saviour's and their journey this year.

Children commented on the project as being "a fantastic, creative opportunity to use different materials to create a unique piece of art." - Lois.

With Henry mentioning how he is "thankful and grateful to be able to work with an award winning artist who teaches people about the impact of plastic pollution."



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Clifford Chance Lunchtime Concert



The children were treated to Joseph Haydn String Quartet in C minor , Op.17 No 4 Shostakovich String Quarter No 7 in F sharp minor, op 108



The Musicians were the Adelphi Quartet supported by the Young Classical Artists Trust and Clifford Chance.

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Look who's arrived....Elf on the Shelf! So much mischief!



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This year we have been extremely fortunate to have a Christmas tree donated by Nurture Landscapes which is now decorated and looking beautiful in our school hall. The children had a wonderful time decorating it and it has brought a lot of smiles to both children and staffs' faces. We want to say thank you to Kelly at Nurture Landscapes for organising this!



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**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY
TO YOU!**



Zayan	Yr1
Grace	Yr3
Azaria	Yr2
Chloe	Yr6
Ella	Yr6
Jacob	Yr5
Adeola	Yr5
Aaliyah	Yr4
Jackson	Reception
Lacey	Yr6
Mya-Rose	Yr6
Rahma	Nursery
Soele	Yr1
Henry	Yr1
Ahsan	Nursery
George	Nursery
Frankey	Yr3
Simeon	Reception
Dolly	Yr2
Gavin	Yr3
Mia	Yr4
Beau	Yr4
Benjamin	Reception

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Father Christmas is joining us for his yearly meet and great.

Dec 9th 11-3pm at All Hallows Bow, E33PN.

£2 to meet Santa and get a great little Lego gift. Also includes crafts and hot drinks and cake.

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Dear Parents & Guardians,

We need your support for our Christmas Fair and we want our children to have lots of fun along the way! One way you and your child could help is to create and donate a Christmas jar. Please use any unwanted jar and decorate it and fill it with sweets and chocolates (some examples below). Please be as creative as you like but do keep to the "Christmassy theme". Please let your child bring their Christmas jars into class by **Monday 11th December**. You have lots of time to be creative!



We are also asking for families to donate ONE item for your child's class raffle? Every class has a theme (please see list). All donations towards the raffle are to be brought into your child's class but the last collection needs to be in by **Monday 11th December**.

Classes	Hampers
Nursery, Reception, Years 1 & 2	Bag of Sweets, chocolates, cakes or biscuits.
Years 3, 4, 5 & 6	Bottles of drinks (including alcoholic)



Thank you for all your support ☺

Thank you to everyone who made the jars and donated the gifts for the hampers.

Also, a huge thank you to Michelle who helped with selling the raffle tickets! You are a star!