



ST. PAUL'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

15th January 2016

Athletics Tournament

Mr Trickett and Miss Donna Mustafa took a group of Year 5 and 6 children out to an athletics tournament this week, and won convincingly! They have been invited back to the finals on Monday and we look forward to seeing how they do.

NSPCC

This week the NSPCC came into school to do a special assembly for Years 5 and 6. This will be followed by workshops next Wednesday, to allow the children an opportunity to explore the issues that were raised in this assembly.

Boots

Could I please remind you that children should wear school shoes during the school day? In wet or cold weather, the children may want to come to schools in boots, but they should bring their school shoes with them to change in to. Please remember that trainers are not allowed to be worn as school shoes, and should only be brought to school for PE lessons or for playtimes if you are concerned that their shoes will get damaged. Again, they should bring school shoes to change into.

School Office

The Office has been understaffed this week unavoidably, and I know some people have found it difficult to telephone the school as a result. Normal service should be resumed next week. Apologies for any inconvenience this has caused.

Change of dates Parents' Meetings

Last week I gave a date for Parent Teacher Meetings for this term, but having reviewed the diary with the staff, we have had to move some dates around, including Parent Teachers Meetings. These meetings will now be held on **17th March** from 1pm – 6pm.

Year 6 SATs meeting for parents

There will be a meeting for parents about the Year 6 SATs tests, to explain the arrangements for the tests this year. The Government have brought in new SATs tests and new ways of reporting the results this year, so please attend this meeting, even if you have older children who have taken the SATs tests in previous years, otherwise you may not be able to understand their results when you receive them in July. This meeting will take place on Wednesday 16th March at 3.30 pm, the day before the Parent teacher Meetings.

St. Paul's Day Service

Don't forget there is a service at St. Paul's Church to celebrate St. Paul's Day on Monday 25th January at 9.15 am. All are welcome.

CLASS	NAME	REASON FOR CELEBRATION
Oak	Shanice,Rhianna	For their improvement in reading and independent writing.
Oak	River	For his fantastic effort to improve his handwriting.
Elm	Ashanti,Gloria	For gaining trust from all the adults in Elm by always being on task and doing their very best.
Willow	Jesse,Jason,ifitikah	For their great role play through hot seating of the natives of Skull island.
Chestnut	Mohamed	For settling in well and making positive contributions to all of his learning.
Chestnut	Ife	For using interesting adjectives in literacy.
Redwood	Joshua Og	For his great work using the formal written method to solve addition questions.
Redwood	Kemani	For his improved attitude to aspects of his learning. Keep it up.
Larch	Teshay	For trying hard to improve his handwriting.
Larch	Oprah	For developing a more mature attitude.
Birch	Princess,Gabrielle	For excellent pirate painting.
Birch	Mamady	For a great start in a new school.
Ash	Shaquille	Fantastic Maths work, working with money.
Ash	Sade	For her contributions to class discussions during carpet time.
Maple	Huxley	For settling well in Maple Class.
Maple	Samuel	For always being so polite and well behaved
Hawthorn	Merve,Reon	Excellent writing from an alternative point of view.
Breakfast Club	Mitchell,Smith,Sandra	For helping Ms Denise and Ms Precious to get read of boxes outside of the kitchen.
After School Club	Huxley	For settling in well in ASC.

TOP TABLE STARS

	Joshua Og-Redwood	Jatou-Redwood	
	Joshua Os-Chestnut	Nana-Chestnut	