



St. John's and St. Clement's



School Values: **Aspiration, Resilience, Creativity, Community, Kindness**

Friday 21st December 2018

This Week's News...

What a fantastic Autumn Term we have had at SJSC, rounded off with a very festive last week of term. It has been a joy to watch the Reception and Year 1 and 2 performances, we are really proud of the hard work put into all of these by both the children and the staff. Thank you to everyone who came to watch the shows and delighted in the talents of the children.

There has also been a visit for four competition winners to the opening of Grove Vale library where they met Helen Hayes MP and Councillor James McAsh. Christmas parties were held in all classes and the week was rounded off with the End of Term Service.

Today we also say good bye to two of our staff members, Arthur Cefai, who now returns to his role at the Southwark Hearing Support Service, and Chloe Earle who is leaving to travel the world. We wish them all the best in all they do.

It just leaves us to say have a very merry Christmas and a happy new year.

Mr Bell, Miss Crank and Mrs Harding

Guests of Honour at Grove Vale



On Tuesday George, Georgia, Errol and Zara who won the Design a Library competition were invited to the opening of Grove Vale Library with Mr Bell. They met MP Helen Hayes MP and Councillor James McAsh.

It was a great morning with prizes, photographs and mince pies. The library will be a great addition to the local area.

Diary Dates

Friday 21st December

End of Term service at St John's at 9:30am/End of Term

Monday 7th January 2019

Spring term starts for children
After School clubs start

Tuesday 5th February

9am Parent Prayer Group

Thursday 14th February

Adopt a Chef project begins with Year 4

Monday 18th – Friday 22nd February 2019

School closed for half term

Tuesday 26th February and Wednesday 27th February

Parents' Evening

Thursday 28th February

Y1 Visit to the Natural History Museum

Tuesday 12th March

School photographs

Friday 22nd March – Friday 29th March

Wick Court Farm Trip

Friday 5th April 2019

End of Term Service at St John's Church, 9:30am

Tuesday 23rd April 2019

Summer term starts for children
After School clubs start

End of Term Service



Today we celebrated our end of term service, thank you to everyone who came along

Reception Applications for September 2019

If your child was born between: 1 September 2014 and 31 August 2015, your child is due to start primary school in September 2019.

The deadline for submitting online primary applications is: **11.59pm on Tuesday 15 January 2019.**

Please submit your child's application as early as possible and preferably a week before the closing date. Applications received after 15 January 2019 will be regarded as late and will not be processed until after 16 April 2019.

Please click the link below for further information:
www.southwark.gov.uk/schools-and-education/school-admissions/how-to-apply-online

Southwark's 'Apply online' leaflet is also attached to this email

Attendance

It is very important that children attend school every day. This week, well done to **KAHLO** class.

| Year | Artist | Attendance |
|------|--------------|-------------|
| R | O'Keeffe | 97.9% |
| R | Stik | 96.4% |
| 1 | Kahlo | 100% |
| 1 | Stowasser | 91.9% |
| 2 | Van Gogh | 95.2% |
| 2 | Kusama | 93.6% |
| 3 | Kandinsky | 92.3% |
| 3 | Gormley | 98.0% |
| 4 | Monet | 92.6% |
| 4 | Smit | 96.4% |
| 5 | Lichtenstein | 98.7% |
| 5 | Walker | 98.5% |
| 6 | Shonibare | 91.0% |
| 6 | Banksy | 86.7% |

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We have received a special offer from The Book People which will allow you to **save £5 when you spend £25** on the Book People website, please see the details below:

You can only use this offer once from today until Thursday 31 January 2019.

Please follow the link below and insert the Fundraising Code: **GMuV13J**

www.thebookpeople.co.uk/school-fundraising

Parent Cafés

| Title | Led by | Date |
|---|--------------|------------------------------------|
| Middle Phase – Years 2, 3 and 4 – coffee morning <i>Meet the Headteacher and take the opportunity to find out more about our school</i> | Joseph Bell | Tuesday 15 th January |
| Hearing Resource Base Parent Café – Meet the team | Joseph Bell | Thursday 24 th January |
| O-5s and Screen use This session will: 1. Look at the risks, particularly for under 5's; 2. Look at what you should be looking for in your child, and 3. Aim to get you the benefits and not the downsides. It will also provide an opportunity to ask about the impact of screens on under 5's. | Trefor Lloyd | Wednesday 30 th January |


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HEBREWS 6:19