



# St John's and St Clement's

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Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2016

Dear Parents/Carers,

What an exciting week! Today the school was filled with spots and laughter as we raised money for Children in Need, thanks to Mrs Marston and the school council for organising this event. Year 5 are continuing with their African Cultural project, and on Tuesday we had our communion service at St John's Church, thank you to all of the parents who joined us. Stephen Carlsson has been working with our classes on more mathematical concepts and we have welcomed Liza Sinclair to our school leadership team. Liza will initially be working with year 6 to help them in this important final year in primary school.

On Wednesday we said farewell to Mrs Forrest who has now started her maternity leave. We will keep her and her family in our prayers. Next Monday, Ms Sy-Yed will be joining our team as our Special Needs Coordinator (SENCo), working alongside Miss Crank – our Assistant Head. Ms Sy-Yed will be working on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesdays. An exciting time for the school! Thank you for all of your support and feedback.

Kind regards,

Joseph Bell

## Thank you!

Last year, we collected money for Sickle Cell in memory of Kirsty Sekiwu, one of our much loved pupils. Collections were made in the playground, at services and end of term performances, and we received many donations from the KS2 sponsored run. This week, we received a thank you letter from the Sickle Cell Society acknowledging the massive £2,247.32 we raised.



## Diary Dates



### Monday 21<sup>st</sup> – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November

Year 6 Trip to PGL Marchant's Hill

### Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November

Y4 visit to the Science Museum

### Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November

9.30-10.30 Reception 2017 open morning for prospective parents  
2M Trip to Brixton Chocolate Museum

### Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> November

9.05am Yr6 PGL Marchant's Hill Collective Worship for Y6 parents.

### Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> November

Flu Vaccinations for Yrs 1, 2 and 3

### Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December

Y1 Multiskills Event

### Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> December

2G Trip to the Brixton Chocolate Museum

### Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> December

12-3 Christmas Fair

### Monday 12<sup>th</sup> December

2pm Foundation Stage Christmas Show

### Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December

KS1 Nativity

### Monday 19<sup>th</sup> December

Reception Theatre Trip

### Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> December

7pm - KS2 Carol Service at St John's Church

### Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> December

End of term service  
Last day of term

### Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January

School closed for staff training.

## Sports Update

SJSC Football B Team - Lambeth and Southwark Primary School Football League

Date	Teams				
01/10/16	Hill Mead	2	v	2	St Johns and St Clements
15/10/16	St Bernadette	1	v	1	St Johns and St Clements
22/10/16	Sunnyhill	4	v	2	St Johns and St Clements
12/11/16	Corpus Christi	4	v	1	St Johns and St Clements

SJSC Football B Team – Southwark Football League

Date	Teams				
11/10/16	Peter Hills	2	v	3	St Johns and St Clements
1/11/16	Alfred Salter	2	v	11	St Johns and St Clements
15/11/16	Riverside	1	v	4	St Johns and St Clements

## Duckathon

On Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2016 3E took part in the Mayor of Southwark's Duckathon to raise money for The National Autistic Society and Surrey Docks Farm. Yesterday the Mayor of Southwark visited 3E and they were presented with medals – well done 3E.



## St John's Church Christmas Fayre



It's that time of year again! The nights are drawing in and our thoughts turn to forthcoming festivities...

This year the St. John's Christmas Fayre will be [Saturday 26th November, 12-3pm](#). Children's grotto, activities, raffle, bottle tombola, mince pies and mulled wine, and much more!

Please contact Libby Coates regarding any donations or offers of help: [libby.coates1@btinternet.com](mailto:libby.coates1@btinternet.com). All cakes, produce, and other donations welcome. Please support the church and come along on the day!

## Attendance for last week (31<sup>st</sup> Oct)

Class	Attendance
Rainbow	97.3%
<b>Star</b>	<b>99.0%</b>
1I	98.0%
1S	98.7%
2G	97.9%
2M	96.3%
3E	98.0%
3V	97.7%
4D	98.3%
4C	98.7%
5M	98.6%
5K	97.1%
5S	93.2%
6F	95.4%
6P	96.7%

Congratulations to **Star Class** who achieved 99% attendance this week. It is important that children are in school. If your child is ill, please telephone the school office to let them know the reason.

the mayor of southwark's

**DUCKATHON**



## Advice on school shoes

If you are buying new school shoes for your child any time soon, please note that children are expected to wear sensible, flat black or navy shoes. Boots, trainers and shoes with bright colours are not permitted (except for dark trainers for PE and for Reception children).