



St John's and St Clement's

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Friday 3rd March 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a great week! It was incredible to see the amazing costumes for World Book Day! What a huge amount of effort and creativity from everyone! Around the school, there was a real buzz and much discussion about children's favourite books and characters. Thank you to Miss McBeth for organising this.

Wednesday signalled the start of Lent, all of Key Stage took part in our Ash Wednesday Eucharistic Service, we launched 40Acts and today we concluded the week with a fabulous collective worship from 3V.

School funding is also as hot topic and as you will have seen from the letter sent earlier in the week, our school along with many others with be adversely affected. There is a meeting at John Donne Primary School next Thursday at 7pm with Harriet Harman MP to discuss this.

Enjoy the weekend.

Best wishes,
Joseph Bell

Ash Wednesday Service

Our Ash Wednesday service was led by Mother Maria for Years 3,4,5 and 6. It was a very special service to help us to think about the beginning of Lent.



World Book Day

On Thursday, we celebrated World Book Day across the school. Thank you for supporting your child in costume design. The results were fabulous. Congratulations to the winners of the extreme reading competition – George (Star), Adonis (1S), Rufus (2G), Matthew and David (Y3), Arianna and Elkanah (4C), Natalie (5M) and Edie (6F) Thank you to Miss McBeth for organising a brilliant day.



Diary Dates



Monday 6th March

Y2 Minpins Forest School Trip

Wednesday 8th March and Thursday 9th March

3.30-6.30pm Parents' Evening

Thursday 9th March

9-10 Prayer Group
Individual and Sibling Photos

Friday 10th March

9am 1I Class Collective Worship
Y5 Wick Court Farm School Journey

Monday 13th March

4D Benchball Festival

Friday 17th March

Star class Collective Worship

Friday 24th March

Red Nose Day – details to be confirmed

Tuesday 28th March

Date change
Inclusion Coffee Morning

Friday 31st March

3.15pm Pre-loved uniform, toys and books sale
Last day of term

Saturday 1st April – Monday 17th April 2017

School closed for Easter

Tuesday 18th April

Inset day – school closed

Saturday 27th May – Sunday 4th June

School closed for half term

Monday 5th June

Inset day – School Closed for children

Friday 21st July

Last day of term

40Acts

You should all have received your 40Acts Kids Wall Planner in book bags and by email. We are encouraging our children to do Lent generously with suggestions of small acts of kindness to carry out each day of Lent. Do let us know how your child is getting on with photos or examples of acts of kindness (email Mrs Harding - anna.harding@sjsc.southwark.uk)

Collection at the end of the day

Please remember to let the class teacher know (verbally or with a note or tell the office before 2pm) if your child is to be collected by anybody other than your named contacts. Without this, we cannot let children go home with any unauthorised adults (this includes play dates).

Y2 Multiskills

Y2 went to The Castle Centre on Tuesday and took part in a Southwark Multiskills event. It was great fun! Our Tag Rugby team took part in a Tag Rugby festival and came thirds they were awarded a special certificate for excellent teamwork. Our girls football team have now played five games against local schools in the girls football league. They have yet to win but are showing improved skills, great teamwork and perseverance.

Attendance

Class	Attendance
Rainbow	95.3%
Star	88.0%
1I	100%
1S	100%
2G	97.9%
2M	96.7%
3E	96.7%
3V	96.0%
4D	100%
4C	98.1%
5M	95.7%
5K	97.9%
5S	96.6%
6F	98.4%
6P	97.8%

Congratulations to 1I, 1S & 4D!

Class Assembly

Our next class assembly is 1I on Friday 10th March.

Forthcoming dates:
17th March – Star

Parent Cafés

There is a full timetable for the rest of the year on the website. Here are the upcoming parent cafés.

SPRING TERM 2017				
Title	Led by	Date	Time	Venue
Helping your child with reading and settling in Years 1 and 2	Carol Irving and Anna Harding	Wed 8 th March	9:00	Lower hall
Year 1/2 Homework help	Hannah McGregor and Alli Crank	Thurs 16 th March	9:00	Lower hall
Helping your child with maths – Year 3, 4, 5 & 6.	Ian Knight	Tues 21 st March	9:00	Lower Hall
Spring Term Inclusion Coffee Morning – Supporting Children's Well-Being – with Pascal Mather	Alli Crank, Joseph Bell and Pascal Mather (EP)	Tues 28 th March	9:00	Lower Hall



Raise money for the school just by shopping online. Here's the link you need:

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/sjscptfa/>

EasyFundraising Target: £2000 by July 2017 to fund a new climbing frame for the big playground

Number of supporters: 124

Total raised since November: **a whopping £679.18**

If you use the **donation reminder**, it makes it so easy to activate the donations when you start shopping:

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/donation-reminder/>

Micro-Scooters - we have registered for 10% cashback on www.micro-scooters.co.uk Please use code 100830.