

St. John's and St. Clement's



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

Friday 3rd May 2019

This Week's News...

We have seen lots of fantastic project based learning this week – it is brilliant to see children's enthusiasm as they make new discoveries and see how their learning from one subject supports their learning in another - read on for more details.

You may have seen the enormous, purple, NDCS roadshow bus in the playground – this is a brilliant initiative to support deaf children across the country. We are so thrilled to have been a part of it.

In order to continue building our reading culture Quest 4 was launched- and what a challenge it is. Find out more later in the newsletter.

Enjoy the bank holiday weekend and we will see you back on Tuesday 7th May.

Mr Bell, Miss Crank and Mrs Harding

Diary Dates

Wednesday 8th May 2019

10.40 Walker Class Farm Assembly

Friday 10th May 2019

Year 1 visit to The Science Museum

Saturday 18th May 2019

PTFA Summer Fair

Half Term Break

Monday 27th to Friday 31st May

Monday 17th June 2019

Sports Day - Foundation Stage

Tuesday 18th June

Sports Day - Years 1, 2 and 3

Wednesday 19th June 2019

Sports Day – Years 4, 5 and 6

Friday 21st June 2019

Violin Concert at St Giles Church, Cripplegate

Friday 19th July 2019

End of term and Year 6 Leavers' Service

Stars of the Week



Year 5 Exhibition

Year 5 have been wearing their creative hats this half term to produce work and interactive ideas for their end of term project - Tardis Time Travel Museum. We are now excited to announce that our museum will open for one afternoon only on the 22nd May and year 5 parents will be invited along. We're looking forward to sharing our learning!

Year 4 – Accomplished Salad Growers

In the autumn term, Year 4 children planted salad vegetable seeds as part of their project on growing. This week, they were able to harvest their crop of fully grown salad vegetables to make into a tasty salad (using their newly honed cooking skills from their work with Chef: Adopt a School). They have been so enthused by this project that they have now decided to develop their repertoire and grow herbs for the school kitchen.



NDCS Roadshow Bus

There was much excitement in the playground on Tuesday when the National Deaf Children's Society brought their roadshow bus to our school. Our children from Tilden and Sun Kim took part in a workshop where they learned about amazing technology and emotional wellbeing which is available to support those with hearing impairments.



Reading Quest 4

Reading Quest 4 was revealed on Tuesday.
As a school community we must read 5000 books before half term.

We do not shy away from a challenge (especially a reading related one) and have already clocked up 506 books in 2 days.

Keep your eye on the read-o-meter in the foyer- 5000 books here we come!

Year 2 Breakfast Entrepreneurs

Year 2 investigated how much sugar there is in children's breakfast cereal and they were shocked at the results. They decided to make their own healthy cereals; they chose their own ingredients, tasted and refined their recipes, they designed their own packaging and held a Healthy Breakfast for Mr Bell and Miss Crank.



This is part of their project on making healthy life choices and follows work on wellbeing, screen time and exercise.

Attendance

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

Year	Artist	Attendance
R	O'Keeffe	94.6%
R	Stik	96.4%
1	Kahlo	88.8%
1	Stowasser	91.7%
2	Van Gogh	98.3%
2	Kusama	95.5%
3	Kandinsky	94.0%
3	Gormley	92.5%
4	Monet	100%
4	Smit	97.3%
5	Lichtenstein	93.8%
5	Walker	94.6%
6	Shonibare	97.2%
6	Banksy	98.3%

Year 3 Trip to the Centre for Wildlife Gardening

Year 3 visited The Wildlife Garden in Marsden Road to learn more about plants in our local environment. They observed plants closely and made detail recordings. They looked especially at the different parts which make up a plant. We are so lucky to have this wonderful space on our doorstep. Do try to visit if you can.



After School Club Places Available

There are currently a few more spaces left in our after school clubs.

Please contact Diane in the office to book a place.

office@sisc.southwark.sch.uk



Dulwich Festival 2019: 10th-19th May



Dulwich Festival returns from May 10-19 with a fantastic line up of family friendly events, many of them free.

Award-winning children's theatre will be on offer at St Barnabas Parish Hall with the fantastical tale of Tommy Foggo – Superhero, a magical multi-media tale of a life saved by music based on a true story, presented by cellist, baritone and actor Matthew Sharp, who will tour the country with Wallace & Gromit's Musical Marvels after his visit to Dulwich.

Bring a picnic and see the world's first cycling theatre company 'The Handlebards' perform Much Ado About Nothing at Jags Fields.

The Festival Fair on Goose Green will provide fun for all the family with a wide range of stalls and activities including the cheerful community chain of pom-poms and the much-loved donkey rides. The Love West Dulwich and Dulwich Park Fairs will take place on the final weekend of the Festival with a whole host of excitements for all the family.

For another family friendly outing, join the London wildlife Trust for a spring orchard tree care event and picnic. The orchard is being developed by The Dulwich Estate to mark 400 years since Edward Alleyn founded a school, chapel and almshouse in Dulwich. The day promises nature-themed activities for all.

For more information and tickets please visit www.dulwichfestival.co.uk