

# St George the Martyr C of E Primary School Newsletter

Friday 22nd September 2023  
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Go, shine in  
the world



Dear Parents and Carers,

At our school, one of the ways we show our values of community and compassion is to help children who need it the most. As part of our charitable giving, we will be regularly holding a non-uniform day towards the end of each month. Children will bring a £1 donation to wear their own clothes next Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September. We will be collecting the money on the gate as the children come in. All money raised from our Non-Uniform Days will then be donated to two special charities chosen by our school council.

With best wishes, Mrs Whiteley (Head of School) and Mr Webb (Executive Headteacher)

## Parents Working Alongside Children in Year 1...

This term, we have been able to offer parents the opportunity to join in a class lesson alongside their child.

This week, Year 1 parents enjoyed joining in with a Phonics lesson on Thursday morning. Many parents commented on how engaged the children were and how positive the learning environment was.

Please take a look at the 'Important dates for your diary' overleaf to see when Parents Working Alongside Children sessions are taking place in other classes.



## St George the Martyr's Family Fancy Dress Disco

On Friday 6th October from 6.00pm to 7.30pm, we will be holding our Autumn Term family event in the school hall. There will be a DJ, food and drinks, face painting and a raffle!

Please come wearing a fun, family-friendly costume- no scary costumes thank you! All children will be invited to take part in our fabulous fancy dress parade.



Families who bought tickets for our summer BBQ event, please **collect your disco tickets at the office from Monday 25th September**. The office have kept a list of everyone who bought a ticket for the BBQ. If you are a new family to our school, please come to the school office to buy your tickets. Included in your ticket is a free drink and a vegetarian hot dog for adults and children.

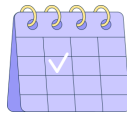
All children must come with an adult over 18 to look after them.

I have received and read the St George the Martyr CE Primary School newsletter of 22.09.2023

Name of child \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE AND YOUR CHILD MIGHT WIN A PRIZE :)

## Important dates for your diary...



Monday 25th September—Y4 visit the National Portrait Gallery

Thursday 28th September—9.05am—Year 2 Parents Working Alongside Children

Thursday 28th September—Non-Uniform Day

Tuesday 3rd October—2.00pm—Harvest Assembly at St George the Martyr Church—all parents welcome

Thursday 5th October—Healthy Heart Day (further information to follow)

Friday 6th October—9.05am—Friends of St George the Martyr meeting

Friday 6th October—6.00pm-7.30pm—Family Fancy Dress Disco

Thursday 6th October—9.05am—Year 6 Parents Working Alongside Children

Monday 9th October—Y2 visit Hampstead Heath

Thursday 19th October—9.05am—Year 5 Parents Working Alongside Children

**HALF TERM—Monday 23rd October-Friday 27th October**

Monday 30th October—Poppies on sale on the gate

Friday 3rd November—9.05am—Parent Coffee Morning

Thursday 9th November—9.05am—Reception Parents Working Alongside Children

Friday 10th November—9.05am—Parent Coffee Morning

## A reminder about Breakfast Club...

We are pleased to let parents know that Breakfast Club is £1 for all children. Please continue to make payment for your child via Parent Pay.



## Attendance...

A huge congratulations to **Reception** for having the **BEST ATTENDANCE** last week with **99%!**

Our attendance bear, George, will live in the Reception classroom for the next week.



*Well done Reception!*

## Harvest at St George the Martyr...

We will be holding a Harvest Service at St George the Martyr Church on **Tuesday 3rd October at 2pm. All parents are welcome to join us for this.**

We would very much appreciate donations of tins or packets of food, socks and / or toiletries E.g. toothbrushes, deodorant, soap or shower gel. These will be donated to the local food bank or the church's 'Parish Pantry' to help many families in need.

We will have collection boxes at the school gates in the mornings next week, beginning Monday 25th September. Alternatively you can bring items to the school office.

Children show our school values of '*compassion*' and '*community*' through this action of giving.



Thank you for your help and kindness.



## **Person of the Week!**

Year 1 - Emma  
Year 2 - Maryam A  
Year 3 - Harry  
Year 4 - Rory  
Year 5 - Hana  
Year 6 - Isma

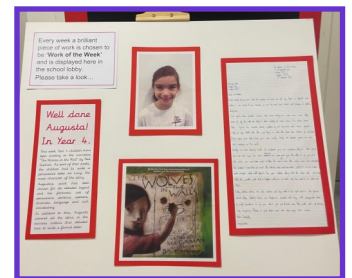


## **Work of the Week...**

Every week a great piece of children's work is showcased in the school lobby.



As part of their English work this week, Year 4 have been writing persuasive letters inspired by their class text, 'The Wolves in the Walls'. Augusta has included a range of adventurous vocabulary and has structured her letter into clear paragraphs.  
*Well done, Augusta!*



## **Don't let a little worry turn into a big one...**

If you or your child are worried about something or have any questions, please phone the school office and book an appointment to see their class teacher, Mrs Whiteley or Miss Bhoday. **We are always really pleased to meet with you and chat things through.**



## St George the Martyr Church



JOIN OUR WEEKLY  
SUNDAY SCHOOL  
ST GEORGE THE MARTYR CHURCH  
44 QUEEN SQUARE, WC1N 3AH  
10.30 AM

A chance for children to  
encounter Jesus, make friends,  
learn, play, create.

**All children welcome**  
**4 plus**



## Our Prayer of the week

Dear God,

Bless all the homeless  
people in our world,

And those who have to  
beg for their food.

Open our eyes to their  
needs so that we can  
help them in whatever  
way we can.

Amen



St George the Martyr Church offers a  
**'Parish Pantry'** with free non-  
perishable food and toiletries.

Anyone is welcome to simply pop in  
and help themselves.

The 'Parish Pantry' is open  
10am-2pm on Tuesday-Thursday  
and 10am-12pm on Sunday.

