

St John's Weekly Bulletin

'I am the vine, you are the branches'





23rd October 2023

Dinner menu: Special menu

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Weekly Buzz

This week the pantomime came to our school and performed Snow White for us. First, they did a workshop and taught us about the history of the pantomime. It was amazing and all the children were very engaged. Then they did some of the pantomime for us which was spectacular and put smiles on all the children's faces.



This weeks Go Noodle winners are Y4, tidy classroom winners are Y1 and well done to all our star writers and lunchtime award winners. Happy birthday to everyone celebrating this week.

Sadly the tennis festival was cancelled today because of the rain, sorry if your child could not take part in this.

Please don't forget your coat, the weather is getting colder, please try to bring snacks in reusable pots, our school is trying to be eco-friendly. No plastic!

Emily & Rory

Reminders

St John's Church Fayre will be held on November 25th. If you have any donations of toys, gifts, bottles etc, please drop them into the office.

Please use the car park on Innage Lane when dropping off and collecting your children. Passes are available from the office—please let us know if you need one. Please avoid using Innage Lane or the school car park. Many thanks.

Plea for spare colouring/puzzle/sticker books! If you have any spares please drop them into the office, we are running short in our Breakfast and Fun clubs. Thank you.

PE kit—thank you to all those who are supporting school by ensuring their child is wearing the correct PE kit. A gentle reminder that black/grey/blue hoodies or jumpers are not part of our PE kit. A green SJRC hoodie or a school cardigan or jumper can be worn.



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St John's the Evangelist Mass Times Saturday 6.30pm Sunday 9.00am and

Sunday 9.00am and 11.00am (Children's Liturgy)





Attendance Target-96%

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Monday	Fun club 3.20-5.20
	Y6 Swimming
Tuesday	Fun club 3.20-5.20
	Bronze Ambassador Training OWS 2.30-4.30pm
Wednesday	Fun club 3.20-5.20
	Y3 Forest School
	Y2 Multi skills at BES 2.30-4.30pm
Thursday	Fun club 3.20-5.20
	Tuck Shop
Friday	PD Day—school closed

Reception	93.7%	
Year 1	94.4%	
Year 2	94.1%	
Year 3	93.6%	
Year 4	94.7%	
Year 5	95%	
Year 6	97.3%	V

Attendance for w/c 16/10/23 = 94.6% Whole school attendance this year = 95.5%

Happy Birthday and Best Wishes on your special day!

YR—Jack

Y1—Benjamin

Y4-Erin



A reminder that parents are not permitted to use the school car park. Please do not drive on to the car park in the morning or after school or clubs for the safety of our children and staff. Thank you.

Catholic Life

Lord, thank you for walking with us through the seasons of our lives.

For the winter, when we are held safe in your arms through the darkness.

For the hope of spring, as we filled with new promise and life.

For summer time, full of warmth and colour.

And for autumn days as leaves fall to seed new growth.

You are always with us.

Amen



Celebration Assembly – Star Writer



Reception Eva	Eva is our star writer this week for her lovely cvc writing about animals in the Gingerbread story. Eva has lovely letter formation but continues to listen to feedback to help her further. Eva holds her pencil well and can write her name all by herself. Eva is always enthused about writing and will have a go at any writing. Eva, we can't wait to see what you achieve by the end of the year!
Year 1 Harry	Harry is Year 1's star writer. We enjoyed looking through his book and seeing how neatly he forms his letters. He has worked hard to get his letters to sit on the line and he forms letters nicely. Well done Harry!
Year 2 Olivia	Olivia is Year 2's star writer this week. She has been focussing on her handwriting, Olivia has also been joining her letters and has developed a clear and neat handwriting style. Olivia has also been working on her story writing and has thoroughly enjoyed basing her own story on our class text 'Troll Swap'. Well done Olivia, keep up the hard work.
Year 3 Alice	Alice is our star writer this week. Within her independent write Alice used capital letters and full stops and included expanded noun phrases, prepositions and set out each paragraph clearly. Within our English lessons Alice has demonstrated how to use inverted commas for direct speech and has added this within her writing. Alice has neat handwriting and this is shown across the curriculum, not just in English. Well done Alice, keep up the good work.
Year 4 Lydia	This week's star writer is Lydia. During our final write, Lydia used all of the different things that we've been learning this half term. She wrote wonderful noun phrases, punctuated fronted adverbials correctly and produced a fantastic story which we really enjoyed reading. Well done Lydia, we are really impressed.
Year 5 Fraser	I've been so impressed with how Fraser has been using all of the writing devices we've been working on in his independent writing. He has worked hard to use key mastery skills in his own work and it has really paid off. He has written some lovely recounts—ensuring he uses fronted adverbials and noun phrases for detailing, whilst embedding thoughts, feelings, emotions and rhetorical questions to keep within the style of the writing. Overall, I'm really pleased with his progress in his writing, and I look forward to what he can produce in future topics!
Year 6 Isaac	Isaac has really embraced our writing challenge this week, he has created a spooky atmosphere in his story and has taken on board the advice of others. He has been willing to share his story with the class and should be really proud of everything that he has achieved. Well done Issac!

