



Weekly Newsletter-Friday 7th September

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Safeguarding Statement: This school takes notice of and adheres to all the national and local policies and guidance in regard to Safeguarding Children and Young People.

Lead Safeguarding Person Junior School: Mrs. G Owens and **Nursery & Infant School:** Mrs. M Quinn.

Safeguarding Deputy: Mrs. S Hulme **Safeguarding Governor:** Mr. T Richmond

Dear Parents & Carers

Welcome back after the wonderful summer break, full of sunshine and promise of a really fine autumn.

We offer a particularly warm welcome to new staff, children and their families, hoping that their time at St Mary's will be filled with many happy memories. All children have settled into the new routine and the new initiative of a Reception picnic was held today and proved to be a fabulous success.

While you have been away from school work has continued- we have had new picture windows with bi folding doors in the reception classes and work has resumed on the dining room extension at the junior school.

Thank you for another great turn out last night at the junior school for the first parent meeting of the year, we are hoping for the same next week on Monday at the infant school.

It is lovely to see our new logo being displayed on the new uniform being worn in Reception and Yr. 3 and the new school bags too. We hope to have the new joint website up and running soon too.

Haircuts: There are a number of children returning to school with hair styles that do not conform to school policy. Whilst we understand that the holiday is a good time to try these styles out we expect them to be in line with policy within the next two weeks. Thank you.

Spirituality

Sunday 9th September - 23rd Sunday in Ordinary time

Morning reflection is issued every week by our Chaplain and is available on both schools websites

<http://www.stmarysjunior.org.uk/spirituality.php> <http://www.stmarysinfchool.org.uk/spirituality.php>



Table Talk returns to the newsletter this week with a suggested topic of conversation for your family to discuss at a meal time together. Some of these topics might take even longer. Topic for this week -**Would you rather be able to fly or be super strong?** Just a reminder, that we have a Prayer Intention Book in the Reception area of each school. Please feel free to write your intentions in as you wish. Thank you to those who have added to it. Please take the time to read it when visiting the school.

News for the week

● Star of the Week - week ending 7th September, **Reindeer Class** - Sear Hains, **Cheetah Class** Isla Mc Ginley -, **Giraffe Class** -Noah Hynes, **Meerkat Class**- Michael Keaveney -, **Horse Class** Ria Seenayah -, **Owl Class**- Owen Fox. **Well Done.**

NURSERY & INFANT SCHOOL		JUNIOR SCHOOL
Nursery welcome picnic with 1 parent 12pm to 1.15pm. Please note new finish time. Enter through gate 5. Welcome to St Mary's & Meet the Teacher - all parents from all year groups welcome 6pm - Early Years (Nursery & Reception) 7pm - (Years 1 & 2)	Mon 10 Sept	
Feast Day picnic - 12.30-1.15pm. Please note new time. Year 1 & 2 parents are welcome. Enter through gate 6.	Tue 11 Sept	Feast Day Mass 11am Year 6 parents welcome Feast Day Picnic - All parents welcome 12.30pm to 1.30pm
	Wed 12th Sept	Friends of St Mary's AGM 8pm
	Fri 14th Sept	Swimming 6C Swimming 6 CB
	Wed 19 Sept	Year 5 Parents meeting for Under Canvas/ Isle of Wight and Sex Education/ Relationships 7pm
	Thurs. 20thSept	Sutton Schools Work assembly - children only
Google Classroom/ Tapestry workshop for parents of Nursery and Reception only 3.30pm-4.30pm	Fri 21 Sept	Assembly to present privilege ties to Year 6 pupils. Year 6 parents welcome. Swimming 6C Swimming 6 CB
	Mon 24th Sept	Ms Noone(St Philomena's High School) & Mr McCullagh (The John Fisher School) to present to Year 6 parents
E- Safety Meeting 7pm for parents only- Nursery & Infant School	Tues 25th Sept	E- Safety Meeting 7pm for parents only- Nursery & Infant School
	Wed 26th Sept	6 C- Trip to Preston Manor
	Fri 28th Sept	Swimming 6C Swimming 6 CB
	Wed 3rd Oct	6 O- Trip to Preston Manor
Sutton Schools Work assembly - children only	Fri 5 Oct	Children's disco 6pm to 7.45pm Swimming 6C Swimming 6 CB
	Tues 9th Oct	6 CB- Trip to Preston Manor
Open Day for new intake for Nursery and Reception 9.30am	Mon 10th Oct	
	Fri 12th Oct	Swimming 6O Swimming 5 B
Individual & Sibling Photos	Tue 16 Oct	Individual & Sibling Photos
	Thurs. 18th Oct	Harvest Mass
SCHOOL FINISHES	Fri 19 Oct	Swimming 6O Swimming 5 B SCHOOL FINISHES
SCHOOL STARTS 8.55AM	Mon 29 Oct	SCHOOL STARTS 8.45AM
	Tue 30 Oct	Parents Evening 5-8pm
Parents Evening 5-8pm	Wed 31 Oct	
SCHOOL FINISHES 2PM	Thurs. 1Nov	SCHOOL FINISHES 2PM

Parents Evening 2-5pm		Parents Evening 2-5pm
	Fri 2 nd Nov	Swimming 6O Swimming 5 B
Open Day for new intake for Nursery and Reception 9.30am	Wed 7 th Nov	
	Fri 9 th Nov	Swimming 6O Swimming 5 B
	Fri 16 th Nov	Swimming 5E Swimming 5S
Sutton Schools Work Assembly - children only	Mon 19 Nov	
	Fri 23 rd Nov	Swimming 5E Swimming 5S
	Fri 30 th Nov	Swimming 5E Swimming 5S
	Fri 7 th Dec	Swimming 5E Swimming 5S
	Mon 17 th Dec	Whole school trip to pantomime
NURSERY FINISHES	Thurs. 20 Dec	
SCHOOL FINISHES 2PM	Fri 21 Dec	SCHOOL FINISHES 2PM
INSET DAY 3	Mon 7 Jan	INSET DAY 3
SCHOOL STARTS 8.55AM	Tue 8 Jan	SCHOOL STARTS 8.45AM
SCHOOL FINISHES	Fri 15 Feb	SCHOOL FINISHES
SCHOOL STARTS 8.55AM	Mon 25 Feb	SCHOOL STARTS 8.45AM

Term dates can be viewed on either website at

<http://www.stmarysinfchool.org.uk/files/TERM%20DATES%20%2018-19.pdf>

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