# Saint George's Church of England Primary Phase Weekly Newsletter



Term 4 – Week 5 Friday, 24<sup>th</sup> March 2023

Dear Families,

Thank you to all those parents and carers who attended parent consultations this week. It was great to see so many of you supporting your child's learning journey. I really hope you found the appointments with your child's class teacher useful and informative and that you enjoyed looking through your children's books and work around the classroom. I am sure you are proud of your children's successes and achievements and will work with us to support your child with their next steps.

Attendance will have been shared with you during these consultations. Please note that our attendance target for each child is 95%. Please work hard to increase your child's attendance in school if their attendance is currently below this figure. A more detailed letter will have been received today for those children whom attendance needs to be slightly improved and I thank you for your support with this.

We ended this week with a fabulous worship led by Badger Class. The children told us the events of the Great Fire of London and I really enjoyed the art work and song that was shared. Thank you to all Badgers for taking part so confidently!

Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs Palmer

#### ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK

Well done to squirrels! Attendance Ted will be visiting you again next week!



Hedgehogs	90.83%
Badgers	93.33%
Squirrels	93.55%
Owls	93.33%
Foxes	93.33%

WHAT'S THE BEST DAY TO COME TO SCHOOL?

EVERY DAY!

## We are a nut pree school Children & the school gates



Just a reminder that we are a nut free school. Please do not include any peanut butter or nutella sandwiches, or anything else containing nuts in your child's packed lunch.

We have noticed that a number of children run ahead of their parents through the school gates, both in the mornings and afternoons. Whilst we do our best to ask the children to wait for their parents, it is not always possible. Please can you ensure that you walk with your child, to keep everyone safe!

## Purchase a copy of 'Proud' the Young Voices single



You may remember that our Choir and Vocal Training Group took part in the Young Voices concert back in January. During the concert there was a guest appearance by Heather Small and she sang 'Proud' with the children. This was recorded as a single and is available to buy at

www.youngvoices.co.uk/proud-charitysingle

## Easter Egg Competition Reminder



We have received some fantastic entries already for our design an Easter egg competition. Don't worry if your child hasn't yet handed their design in. The deadline is next Tuesday, 28th March and all winners will be announced in worship on the last day of term!

### This week in school

#### I Want to go to Space!







The Primary Phase welcomed ex Saint George's pupil, author James Jefferson on Wednesday. After listening to his 'I want to go to Space' story, the children had a chance to ask questions and look at all of the exciting space themed items he brought with him.

Thank you James!

#### Badger Class Worship





Badger Class hosted a fantastic worship today! Their parents and the rest of the school heard all about the Great Fire of London, learned lots of interesting facts and were treated to a fantastic version of London's Burning. The children also shared their brilliant Great Fire of London artwork. Well done Badgers!

## School Values Awards

#### Who has been demonstrating our school values this week?



showing inclusion by being a super friend & always including others!



**Megan** for showing thankfulness by always having good manners!

## Creativity

Honesty

Resilience

**Inclusion** 

Stewardship



Jameel for showing thankfulness by always remembering to say thank you!



showing resilience by working hard & attempting new challenges in his learning!

## Thankfulness



Apiq for showing resilience by showing real bravery & strength in his swimming lessons!

Our stars of the week!













**Ralph** for his super effort in reading at home & using his phonics brilliantly!

Badgers

Aurora for a fantastic effort in her writing!

Squirrels

by for her creative thinking skills in maths!

Owls

**Isaac** for always trying his best!

Foxes

**Oliver** for being a fantastic shoulder partner in maths!

# Dates for your Diary: Term 4

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Term 4	
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	Year R trip to Woodlands Park — see
2023	email sent 22/03/23
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	Trust Concert at Woodville Halls – see
2023	information in newsletters 3 & 4
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 3 & 4 Anglo-Saxon Workshop —
2023	see email sent 02/02/23
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 4 Kingswood Residential Trip
2023	Meeting for parents 6.00pm
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	Blue Community trip to Woodlands Park
2023	
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	Last day of term 4 — Finish at 1.15pm
2023	
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	Pre-loved uniform sale
2023	
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	Deadline for Year 4 Kingswood
2023	Residential Trip Payment
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2023	Staff Development Day — school
	closed to pupils
Term 5	
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> April	First day of term 5!
2023	

## Pre-loved uniform sale Thursday, 30th March



We will be holding another pre-loved uniform sale on the last day of term. Please come and have a look to see if there is anything you need. All we ask is that you make a donation to the school fund in return for any items you would like to take home!