



The Northam Newsletter

The Northam Schools' Federation - St George's C of E Infant and Nursery & St Margaret's C of E Junior School



FRIDAY 10TH MAY 2019

As I mentioned within last week's newsletter, a number of our Year 2 pupils represented St. George's at the Northam May Fair where they performed a Maypole dance routine. There was a lovely atmosphere at this event and the children's dance brought a smile to all those watching. It was also wonderful to watch two other pupils from St. George's being crowned May King and Queen. It made us all feel very proud to be a part of such a strong and active local community. Many congratulations to all of these children on their involvement within this event.

Within our Acts of Collective Worship this week, we have discussed the virtue of humility. We discussed the importance of a range of different jobs, ranging from artists to builders. It was then suggested that regardless of our roles within the school and wider world, we must always try to have a modest or low view of our own importance. We always make reference to the life of Jesus to support us within our worship. In this instance, we highlighted Jesus' guidance that we should all try to treat others as we wish to be treated. We agreed that if we manage to do this on a regular basis then there is a strong chance that we will be acting with humility.

This week, over 70 Year 3 and 4 pupils have attended a 'residential camp' at Beam House. The children have enjoyed a fantastic time, making new friendships and participating within a range of exciting activities. The children who remained at school, also benefited from taking part in a number of interesting activities. Well done to all of these children for making the most of these learning opportunities and to our conscientious staff team for leading, planning and supporting the activity week.

Jim Williams (Executive Headteacher)

BAG2SCHOOL

St. George's will once again be taking part in the Bags2School collection. Bags will go home before half term for any clear out that may happen over the holiday! The school receives 20p per kilo and are raising money for wet weather play boxes. Below are a few of the things that can be accepted:

Clothing, paired shoes, handbags, hats, bags, scarves, jewellery, lingerie, socks, belts, soft toys, household linen, curtains, towels, bedding.

The following cannot be accepted: Duvets, blankets, pillows, cushions, carpets, rugs, school uniform, corporate clothing, textile off cuts, soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing.

MUSIC LESSONS

There will be no music lessons at St. Margaret's next week due to SATs tests.

SPECIAL MENU

Compassion Class have chosen the following special menu for Tuesday 21st May:
China's River Yangtze Sweet & Sour Chicken/Italy's River Po Cheese & Tomato Pizza/Germany's River Danube Hotdog.
UK's River Thames Jacket Potato/Winding Wedges/Prime Pasta/Mixed Vegetables/Baked Beans.

Amazon River's Chocolate Cracknel & Milk.

EARLY SUMMER DISCO

There will be an end of SATS disco (Early Summer Disco) on Friday 17th May. Times are as follows:

Nursery, Reception & Year 1 - 3.30pm to 4.30pm.

Year 2, Year 3 & Year 4 - 4.45pm - 5.45pm.

Year 5 & Year 6 - 6.00pm - 7.00pm.

SPORTS DAY

Sports Day for St. George's will be held on Tuesday 11th June. Sports Day for St. Margaret's will be Tuesday 18th June. Both are normally all day events but more details and timings will be sent out nearer the time.

OTHER DATES

Half Term - 27th May - 3rd June 2019

(Monday 3rd June is a non pupil day)

Last Day of Summer Term - 19th July 2019.

Please note that the date of the FONS Summer Fayre has been changed to Friday 28th June.

CERTIFICATES

Well done to the following children who all received certificates in Celebration Worship and Golden Book Worship this week:

Class Teacher Award: Sam T, Chloe D, George S, Kieron F, Byron B, Macey N, Scarlett W, Millie H-R, Lilly B, Hatton T-J.
Marvellous Manners (St. Margaret's): Joe H.

Healthy Eating: Ella D-B.

Golf: Caden B, Harry P, Aiden B, Skye F, Casey M, Shayla F.

Tennis: Annabel

Marvellous Manners (St Georges):

Aubree, Robyn & Will.

Seahorses: Reuben.

Sandpipers: Morgan H.

Skylarks: Freya F.

Starfish: Rose C.

The Week Ahead: COLLECTIVE WORSHIP THEME: EQUALITY

MONDAY: YEAR 6 SATS - ALL WEEK. (DON'T FORGET THE SATS BREAKFASTS FOR YEAR 6) PM - Mrs Davis in a meeting.

TUESDAY: 9 am - Mr Williams in a meeting. PM - Mr Lewis & Mrs Nicholls out.

WEDNESDAY:

THURSDAY: 1.30pm - Mr Williams in a meeting.

FRIDAY: 9.00am - Stay & Play in Community Room. PM - Reception in the Wilderness & Forest. **FONS - EARLY SUMMER DISCO**

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