



St Barnabas' School Newsletter



A message from the Headteacher

Dear Parents,

The whole school has been working really hard over the past week to produce as many weird and wonderful things to sell today and tomorrow at Enterprise Day and South West Fest. I am really looking forward to these events as they give the students real ownership over real world activities.

It has been really busy in school with our data returns and external moderations happening for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. I would like to thank Miss Farrow, Miss Luthra and Miss Nichole. The results that the students in their care have been brilliant this year, which is in no small part down to the talent and commitment of the teachers.

I would like to wish Year 6 all the best for Sayers Croft next week, Residential trips are always a great way of building independence before high school and I hope everyone has a great time and enjoys themselves.

Also, if anyone hasn't signed up to parents' evening the sign up sheets are in the small library and reports go home today.

Yours sincerely,
Brendan Shanahan

Diary Dates

Monday 1st - 5th July — PARENT MEETINGS WEEK

Monday 1st - 5th July — Year 6 Sayers Croft Residential Trip

Monday 1st July — **Reception to Year 1 Transition Meeting at 9am (all current Reception parents to attend)**

Tuesday 9th July—Year 6 Westminster Abbey Service

Tuesday 9th July—Year 2 Floating Classroom Learning Visit

Thursday 11th July—Voices Foundation Celebration Singing Assembly

Monday 15th July — **Year 5 to Year 6 Expectations Meeting at 2:45pm (all current Year 5 parents to attend)**

Wednesday 17th and Thursday 18th—Year 6 Performance

Friday 19th July - 9:00am — Sports Day

Tuesday 23rd July - 9am — Thanksgiving Assembly (all are most welcome to celebrate and give thanks for this year)

Tuesday 23rd July - 2:00 pm — Last day of the Summer Term and academic year

Attendance & Punctuality

Attendance: well done to Reception and Year 1 for 100% attendance!

Year 1 - Chelsea — 99.4%
Year 5 - Sloane — 99%
Year 6 - Belgravia— 98.6%
Year 4 - Eccleston — 98.4%
Year 1—Pimlico—98.2
Knightsbridge—97.3
Year 2 - Ebury — 96.3
Nursery - Ranelagh — 89.6%

Punctuality:

Year 1 - Chelsea — 99%
Year 4 - Eccleston — 98.2%
Reception - Pimlico — 97.3%
Year 5 - Sloane — 96.0%
Nursery - Ranelagh — 95.0%
Year 2 - Ebury — 93.2%
Year 6 - Belgravia — 93.2%
Year 3 - Knightsbridge — 93%



Please make sure that your child is on time for

☆☆☆☆☆ Star of the Week ☆☆☆☆☆

This week's stars of the week are as follows:

Nursery—Razam Reception—Elyssa Year 1—Layla Year 2 - Nadia
Year 3 - Iman Year 4 Genis Year 5—Abubakir Year 6 -Veronica



St Barnabas' Netball

On Wednesday, the netball team went to Francis Holland to play our first ever netball match. We had trained really hard beforehand. When we arrived at the school, we practiced being in a match situation for an hour to get us ready for the real match against Francis Holland.

Despite the fact that we could not train for two weeks due to the rain, we still played really well and we enjoyed ourselves. Unfortunately, we did not win the match and Francis Holland were really humble and showed great humility when they won. We accidentally broke quite a few rules and Francis Holland did not complain; they helped us and explained what we did wrong which I think is really kind. We lost the game 2:1, Leona scored our goal, she was fantastic in attack with Emma. I played Goal Defence and Nana and I did our best to stop Francis Holland scoring. Henrietta was great at centre, she covered the whole pitch and Jah'Kyrrie and Mirabella played well too.

I thank Francis Holland for being very humble and it is not just that they did not complain, they also kindly let us use their netball pitch every Wednesday. Next match, I am sure we and Francis Holland will do our best, as we all learnt from our mistakes. Thank you to Miss Castle too, for coaching us so well.

By Noor Y6



Enterprise Week and SouthWestFest



This Saturday, 29th June, is the annual SouthWestFest - a cultural community festival for South Westminster!

We are tying our Enterprise Week into this and so every class has been making items to sell at our own Enterprise Market on Friday afternoon and the SouthWestFest on Saturday.

Enterprise Week is a fantastic opportunity for a whole range of learning. It is not just the Art and DT aspects which are a focus but also Maths (budgeting), English (advertising), and social skills (group work).

It starts at midday in St George's square, Fimlico