

St Mary's C of E School News

Friday 2nd November

Assembly Value

Our assembly value this term is Peace which links well with Remembrance Day and Christmas. We will be exploring this through bible stories and contemporary stories. Our aim is always to help the children understand how to live out this value in their every day school life. For more information please see our website.

We are still focusing on Generosity around the school and will be continuing to try to catch the children being generous, especially being generous with their time in helping one another to build a generous community in our school. Children can nominate other children for an apple that is then placed on our Generositree.

Harvest Festival

We have now donated all the goods sent in to the YMCA and also the Foodbank. We have received letters of thanks from each of these places. Thank you for your generosity.

Open Day Saturday 3rd November

We have an Open Morning tomorrow for any families with toddlers looking for Pre School places and also for any families looking for reception places for September 2019. Please spread the word and encourage people to visit the school tomorrow between 10-12. There will be tours of the school, opportunity to meet the Early Years teachers, see our new outside space and ask any questions. We will also have refreshments!

Skipping Ropes

We still have a few skipping ropes left from our Skip2be fit event. These cost £5 and are available from the office.

Stars of the week ending 19th October

Reception

Class 1	Jokubas & Niamh
Class 2	Corey
Class 3	Poppy
Class 4	Daria
Class 5	Alma
Class 6	Ross

Golden Tokens week ending 19th October

Reception

Class 1	Kensa-Leigh
Class 2	Alfred
Class 3	Naomi
Class 4	Isaac
Class 5	Biba
Class 6	Eve

Stars of the week ending 2nd November

Reception

Class 1	Logan & Hannah
Class 2	Rose
Class 3	All of the class
Class 4	Summer-Jane
Class 5	Alma
Class 6	All of the class

Golden Tokens week ending 2nd November

Reception

Class 1	Maeve
Class 2	Corey
Class 3	Val
Class 4	Tiger Lily
Class 5	James
Class 6	Ross

Star Attendance

Winning our School Attendance Mascot, Sam the Owl in their class for the week, is:
Week ending 19th October – Class 3
Week ending 2nd November – Class 3 and Reception Class
Well done!

Dates for Your Diary

Tues 6 th Nov	Pupil Individual Photographs
Friday 16 th Nov	Choir at Children in Need event
Monday 19 th Nov	The Tempest at the Regal Theatre for Year 5
Wednesday 21 st Nov	Flu immunisations
Friday 23 rd Nov	School Disco
Fri 30 th Nov	FOSMS Christmas Fayre at St Johns Hall
Tues 18 th Dec	Christmas Plays KS1 pm KS2 evening
21 st Dec – 4 th Jan	Christmas Holiday
18 th – 22 nd Feb	Half Term
8 th – 22 nd April	Easter Holiday
Mon 6 th May	May Bank Holiday
27 th – 31 st May	Whitsun Holiday
Mon 3 rd June	INSET DAY – School Closed
Thurs 25 th July	INSET DAY – School Closed
Fri 26 th July	Summer Holiday begins

FOSMS

Christmas Fayre Friday 30th November at St John's Hall

Plans are underway for our Christmas Fayre which will be held at St John's Hall from 3:15pm on Fri 30th November.

We need lots of help to make this as successful as possible.

We need:

Raffle Prizes

Bric-a-brac

Tombola prizes

Cakes for refreshments stall

(please bring these nearer the day)

Reception, classes 1 & 2 – Christmas Mystery Jars

Class 3, 4, 5 and 6 – Bottles for the bottle stall

Non Uniform Day

We raised £124 from this day on Friday 19th October.

REMINDER

Dogs must not be brought into the school grounds or tied to the school gates. Thanking you for your cooperation.

Parking and road safety

We would like to remind parents and carers to AVOID parking in Redinnick Place at the start and end of school. The road gets very busy and also please make sure your child is safe crossing this road at this time. Also a polite reminder that the launderette car park is for patrons of the launderette only. Thank you for your understanding in this.

Barn Dance and visitors from Toning

We welcomed visitors from Toning, North Germany to our school on Thursday 18th October. Our Year 6 Children's Leaders then represented the school at a Penlee Cluster Barn Dance on Saturday 20th October. The children organised and ran a raffle for the event and made over £65 for our World Wildlife Fund, our School Charity for 2018-19.

Well done to Sophie, Cameron, Dmitri and Caitlin for organising this!