



Headlines

St John Fisher R.C. Primary School Autumn Term 2022/23
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Week Beginning – 14th November

Monday 14th

Odd Sock Day—*See page 2 for full details*
Yr6—Trip to Wimbledon Theatre

Tuesday 15th

Wednesday 16th

Thursday 17th

Y2—Into Film Festival trip

Friday 18th

Webinar 7:30—8:30pm - Supporting Big Emotions at Home and School – The Zones of Regulation (*see below*)

[CLICK HERE for Webinar places](#)

All information regarding parent webinars for wellbeing can be found on the school website:

[Merton Wellbeing Workshops 2022/23](#)

As you will see from page 2 of Headlines SJF are delighted to once again mark this month of remembrance with a beautiful field of poppies outside the front of the school. This display has now become something of a tradition at the school and is admired and commented on by members of the local community as well as the school.

In recognition of the impact the field of remembrance has on passers-by, our link personnel at the Royal British Legion have kindly donated a beautiful cross of poppies which you will see at the centre of the display.

This week we also launched another SJF tradition, our Christmas 'Boxes of Love' for the elderly of the Parish/community. As existing parents and carers will know SJF have run this campaign highly successfully over a number of years and the children are very excited at the prospect of putting together their boxes full of gifts and surprises in the coming weeks. *Please see the attached leaflet for more details.*

Enjoy a wonderful weekend everyone.

Information from Sutton & Merton Immunisation Team:

If parents did not give consent for their child's vaccination but now wish to have their child vaccinated, they can come to one of our clinics and complete a consent on the day.

Walk-In clinics are taking place:

Saturday 19th November 10.00-13.30 Centre Court, Wimbledon – vaccine hub

Saturday 3rd December 10.00-13.30 St Nicholas Centre, Sutton – vaccine hub

Happy Birthday

Greta N, Matthew R,
Rodrigo A-D, Olivia McC,
Oliver N, Louise C, Tadhg T,
Gabriel L, Sarah H, Emma B,
Isabelle C, Bailey F, James L.

Letters Home:

Walton Firs Residential Trip—Yr5
Polio Webinar—Whole school

Designated Safeguarding Leaders

Ms J Kenna
DSL
Mrs C Ellerker
Deputy DSL
Miss C Higgins
Deputy DSL



*If you have any concerns about a child please contact **school@st-johnfisher.merton.sch.uk***



You may have noticed that the SJF Garden of Remembrance is now in place. Please take a moment as you pass the poppies, to remember those who gave so much in the past and those who are suffering now, as conflicts continue to bring hardship and loss.



Remembrance Day



To begin our day of Remembrance St James class led assembly and our collective worship.



Both Year Six classes went and watched Sonic The Hedgehog Two on Thursday. We took the bus to Sutton and we walked the rest of the way to Empire, Sutton. We really, really enjoyed

it! The experience was amazing! Sonic was brave and courageous and he stepped up to the task when it was his time. We should try to be more like Sonic when we're feeling down and feeling like we're not good enough.

By Pearl and Mirela

Anti-Bullying Week

14th - 18th November

Odd Socks Day!

On **Monday 14th November** we will be marking the beginning of Anti - Bullying Week by having an **Odd Socks Day** at school. All children have been asked to wear a pair of odd socks to school!

It is never OK to bully people because they are different. Wearing odd socks for Anti-Bullying Week is a way of showing that it's OK to be different and unique.





On Friday Y3 went to see The Croods 2: A New Age as part of the Into Film Festival. It was even better than fantastic!! We got to relax on the recliner seats and comfy sofas while we enjoyed our popcorn and other snacks in front of the big screen. It was a really fun way to end the week. Thank you to everyone who helped on our trip - we hope you enjoyed the film too!!



On Wednesday, Yr4 attended the 'Into the film' festival screening of Clifford the Big Red Dog as part of our PSHE topic. Everyone enjoyed the experience at Empire Sutton which included recliner seats and relaxing sofas as our seat of choice! Thank you to our parent helpers. We had the best afternoon!

On Monday St Teresa class walked to Motspur Park to visit West Barnes Library. The library staff read books to us about people with disabilities and then the librarian told us about different books available: some are written in braille and some have a yellow background for people with dyslexia.

Afterwards we were able to have a look round the library and read some books ourselves. We had a great time.

Ryan P — 5STT



The Yr3 and Yr4 football teams successfully represented SJF in the Morden Cluster football competition this week.

Both teams scored LOTS of goals—with one team finishing in first place and the other coming back with silver medals.

We are extremely proud of how they played throughout all their games.

Who knows, they may even get a late call-up from Gareth Southgate.....



BUILDBETTER LEARNING



These pupils have used mathematical vocabulary to explain their reasoning

St Scholastica - Riley O'K

St Aidan - Ava W

St Ninian - Henry B

St Teresa - Florence M

St James - Noah C

St Osmund - Alexander R

St Hugh - Connor C

St Nicholas - Matilda D

St Francis - Ciara M

St Ignatius - Tao L-D

St Susanna - Lucas PN

St Helena - Dylan C

St Elizabeth - Gabby A

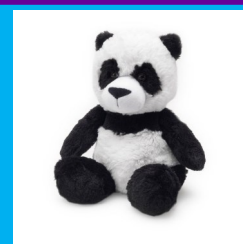
St Rose - Finn K

Nursery - Ophelia L

Attendance Percentage week beginning 31st October 2022

Class		Week commencing 31/10/22	Week commencing 17/10/22
St Rose		97.00	86.30
St Elizabeth		100.00	90.00
St Susanna		99.70	90.40
St Helena		98.70	96.70
St Francis		97.50	95.50
St Ignatius		99.00	97.50
St Nicholas		99.00	96.60
St Hugh		95.70	99.10
St James		93.60	98.20
St Osmund		97.60	99.20
St Teresa		98.00	96.30
St Ninian		88.60	93.20
St Aidan		91.70	95.80
St Scholastica		92.10	99.60
Overall		96.30	95.20

Best Class - St Elizabeth

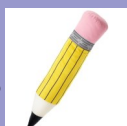


WELL DONE

St Osmund

**for being on time,
in class and
ready to learn
every morning.**

This week's overall
winner of Ms Kenna's
BIG PENCIL.....



**** Matilda M ****

Webinar for parents and carers of children aged 1-9 years old

Date: Thursday 10th November 2022

Time: 5-6pm

Children aged 1-9 in London are being offered an extra dose of the polio vaccine. Join us to hear more and get your questions about immunisations answered by local healthcare professionals

Come along to:

- hear more about the extra Polio dose
- find out who can receive the extra dose and where
- get your questions answered by local healthcare professionals
- hear about Healthier Together, a brand new website, <https://www.swlondon-healthiertogether.nhs.uk/>, which provides trustworthy healthcare advice and directs you to the best care for your child.

Scan the QR code to join the meeting:



Register to receive the joining link via email. Scan the QR code to register:



Join us on
the 10th
November!

For help joining or registering please email us at swlvaccinecommunicationsandengagement@swlondon.nhs.uk



To find out more about Polio vaccinations search 'SWL ICB Polio'



As winners of the first house point competition for the new school year, children in **WATER** house enjoyed a wonderful 'movie afternoon' this week.

Blankets, cushions and snacks made the film even more enjoyable!

Which of the newly formed Houses will be the winners this half term?...



THE GOSPEL IN CHURCH Sunday 13th November 2022



When some were talking about the Temple, remarking how it was adorned with fine stonework and votive offerings, Jesus said, "All these things you are staring at now - the time will come when not a single stone will be left on another: they will all have been knocked down." And they put to him this question: "Master," they said, "when will this happen then, and what sign will there be that this is about to take place?" "Take care not to be deceived," he said, "because many will come using my name and saying, 'I am he' and 'The time is near at hand'. Refuse to join them." Then he said to them, "When you hear of wars and revolutions, do not be frightened. There will be wars, earthquakes, plagues and famines here and there; there will be great signs in the heavens. Before all this happens you will be shunned by all people on account of my name, but not a hair of your head will be lost. Your endurance will win you your lives."

Adapted from

Luke 21: 5-19 (the 33rd Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year C)

Everyone can learn more about this Gospel in Church - all are warmly invited.

"Let us give thanks to
God for his faithfulness."
Pope Francis



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As part of our ongoing commitment to improving our lunch service and offer within your school, we would like to invite parents and carers to provide feedback on our lunches. The survey should only take approximately 5 minutes to complete. The survey can be accessed by using this link; <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/CS56LLT>

The closing date for the survey is November 30th

Meat Free Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Cheese and Tomato Pizza	Chicken Sausage in a Roll with Potato Wedges	Roast of the Day with Stuffing Ball, Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Spaghetti Bolognese with Garlic Bread	Fishfingers with Chips
Veggie Chili with Rice	Vegetable Pasty	Mixed Vegetable Loaf with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Vegetable Lasagne	Vegetable Jollof Rice
Baked Beans Sweetcorn	Green Bean Carrots	Cauliflower Peas	Broccoli Carrots	Peas Baked Beans
Chocolate Cookie	Marble Cake	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt Station	Banana Sponge with Custard	Apple Flapjack
Or a choice of Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit available daily				