



Headlines

St John Fisher R.C. Primary School Summer Term 2022/23
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Week Beginning – 17th July

Monday 17th

Pupils meet their new teachers
EOY report calls—if requested

Tuesday 18th

Wednesday 19th

Thursday 20th

Nursery breaks-up - normal time

Yr6 Leavers Disco - 6pm-8pm

Friday 21st

School finishes at 2pm

Letters Home:

Guided reading helpers—Whole school
Music on a Summer's Evening revised arrangements—Whole school
End of Year Report Information—Whole school
Summer Reading Challenge—Whole school
Transition Workshop—Yr6
Cinderella Rockerfella Download—Yr6
Club Letters—Whole School

YrR—Yr1 Transition Information Session

Parents and carers of pupils currently in Reception classes can use the link below to access the information from this weeks online meeting:

<https://www.st-johnfisher.merton.sch.uk/parents-and-carers/information-sessions/>



The final week of the academic year is nearly upon us. Although it's hard to imagine this is even the summer term with the view out of the window today!

It is disappointing that we have needed to reconfigure our usual end of term relaxed 'Music on a Summer's evening' event, but we look forward to enjoying some tuneful fun together with the children next week and ensuring that we all end the term with a smile—despite the soggy outside!

We certainly had our feet tapping earlier this week when, as you will see on page 3, the year 6 pupils treated us to an incredible end of year performance of 'Cinderella Rockerfella.' As all those who were lucky enough to see the show will testify, the children literally raised the roof with their performance and their skills and talents shone brightly for all to see.

Today you will receive your child's annual report via email. Please do take the time to read and discuss the report and the targets and next steps with your child—celebrating their progress and achievements and looking to see how they can continue to build on this in the coming year.

With new classes to visit, leavers' discos and final assemblies, next week looks to be as busy as this—with the promise of some well earned rest and relaxation at the end of it!

Enjoy a wonderful weekend everyone.

Jigsaw4u

At SJF we have had the wonderful support of the Home School Links Service from the charity Jigsaw4u. Each Tuesday, for the last 10 years we have had the pleasure and privilege of being able to offer our pupils Play Therapy with Jacqui Bird (known as Jigsaw Jacqui!). Sadly for us Jacqui has decided to go off to pursue other projects in her professional life and have a bit more flexibility for events in her personal life. We would like to thank Jacqui for all the support she has offered to pupils, families and staff over the years and wish her well in the future.



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

On Wednesday we were visited by Merton Libraries to launch the Summer Reading Challenge. This year's challenge is all about getting ready, set, for reading whilst being active. The Summer Reading challenge runs from 8th July until 23rd September. You can register online or at your local library.

You only need to read 6 books over the 11 weeks that the challenge is running.

There are lots of prizes for those who complete the challenge.

Please see the letter sent home this week for more information.

'Reading feeds pupils' imagination and opens up a treasure-house of wonder and joy for curious young minds.'



On Thursday 13th of July, some Y5 children had the opportunity to attend Ricards Lodge High School to participate in a "Language Day".

They attended workshops where they learnt different languages such as Japanese, Chinese, Arabic, Italian and German.

At the end of the day they presented a song about colours in German to other Primary school children who also had the chance to attend and to some parents. The children had a fun Language Day!



THE GOSPEL IN CHURCH Sunday 16th July 2023



Jesus left the house and sat by the lakeside, but such crowds gathered round him that he got into a boat and sat there. The people all stood on the beach, and he told them many things in parables. He said, "Imagine a sower going out to sow. As he sowed, some seeds fell on the edge of the path, and the birds came and ate them up. Others fell on patches of rock where they found little soil and sprang up straight away, because there was no depth of earth; but as soon as the sun came up they were scorched and, not having any roots, they withered away. Others fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked them. Other seeds fell on rich soil and produced a great crop. This is like those people who hear my words and understand them; they yield a great harvest and produce now a hundredfold, now sixty, now thirty. Listen, anyone who has ears!"

Adapted from Matthew 13:1-9

The 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year A

You are warmly invited to learn more about the Gospel through your local parish church.

"The family is where we first learn to listen and share."

Pope Francis





This week Y6 enjoyed another 'leavers tradition' as they gave a wonderful performance of '*Cinderella Rockerfella*'.

Thank you to everyone who came along to enjoy the show evening and special thanks to all the Y6 staff who have worked so hard to make this production such a spectacular event and one that we will remember for a long time!

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Wedges	Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread	Roast Chicken, Roast Potatoes, Stuffing & Gravy	BBQ Quorn with Savoury Rice	Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce
Crunchy Veg Topped Vegetable Pasta Bake	Summer Tomato & Butterbean Pasta	NEW Sweet Potato & Spinach Flan with Roast Potatoes	Vegetable Lasagne with Garlic Bread	Cheesy Bean Puff with Chips
Sweetcorn Salsa with Peppers	Broccoli Carrots	Peas Cauliflower	Roasted Carrots Green Beans	Peas Baked Beans
Apple Flapjack	Fruit Jelly with Mandarins	Freshly Chopped Fruit	Iced Vanilla Sponge	Oaty Cookie

Caterlink have introduced a wider option cold menu. The menu for the hot option is above and the cold option is below.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Cheese & Crunchy Slaw Sandwich	Chicken Breast Salad and Wrap	Tuna and Cucumber Roll	Cheese Baguette	Greek Chicken Pitta
Tuna Salad Roll	Egg Mayonnaise Baguette	Cheese & Tomato Sandwich	Tuna and Cucumber Wrap	Egg Salad Baguette
Daily Salad Bar	Daily Salad Bar	Daily Salad Bar	Daily Salad Bar	Daily Salad Bar
Apple Flapjack Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Fruit Jelly with Mandarins Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Freshly Chopped Fruit Salad Yoghurt	Iced Vanilla Sponge Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Oaty Cookie Yoghurt & Fresh fruit

BUILDBETTER LEARNING

These pupils have been
looking after their
brothers and sisters
in the world

St Scholastica – Honey W

St Aidan – Luke S C

St Ninian – Yasmin Al-D

St Teresa – Vedha H

St James – Sami K

St Osmund – Cristina P

St Hugh – Rafael A-D

St Nicholas – Patrick G

St Francis – Jacob L

St Ignatius – Arlo P

St Susanna – Harley B

St Helena – Dylan C

St Elizabeth – Martha F

St Rose – Evie S

Nursery – Eliasz M

BUILDBETTER LEARNING

These pupils have
listened, been kind and
been a good global neighbour

St Scholastica – Keira C

St Aidan – Rafael G

St Ninian – Lyza H

St Teresa – Olivia McC

St James – River F

St Osmund – Danny G

St Hugh – Lewis C

St Nicholas – Alexander McC

St Francis – Reilly S

St Ignatius – Bronte L

St Susanna – Emma GB

St Helena – Mykhailo M

St Elizabeth – Jemima D & Noah V

St Rose – Alice D & Harrison D

Nursery – Ewa M & Livia G

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

**** Jasper H ****

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**** Naya PD & Finbar M ****

**Living Streets #CutTheClutter
Week Of Action 2023 is this week
(10-16 July)!**



*Excessive lamp posts and signage.
Misplaced bins. Flytipping.
Overgrown hedges.
Encroaching A-boards and dining areas.
Badly-positioned electric vehicle chargers.
E-scooter and bike hire stations.
Pavement parking.*



Pavement clutter can have a serious impact on walking and wheeling our local journeys.

It can make getting around hazardous, especially for disabled people, older people and those with young children. If we really want our streets to be safer and easier for walking, it's time to tackle this.

For the third year, Living Streets is shining a light on this issue and urging our local councils to take clutter seriously. Here's how you can take part.

1. Take local action

We need to make sure the right people know about the clutter.

So, take a walk in your neighbourhood and make note of anything you find on pavements that you feel might make it inaccessible. [You can see the kind of things we mean over on the Living Streets website.](#) Or you may already know of a cluttered pavement, which you want to report right away. Then use the online form below to write to your council about it. It just takes a minute or two...

[WRITE TO YOUR COUNCIL TODAY!](#)

2. Share your pictures

If you are on social media, help Living Streets document the kind of clutter you have to deal with by sharing photos of local clutter. Just remember to add @livingstreets and #CutTheClutter to your post so they see them.

[Take part in the Living Streets Week Of Action and let's reclaim our pavements!](#)