



Headlines

St John Fisher R.C. Primary School Spring Term 2022/23
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Week Beginning – 30th January

Monday 30th

Gymnastics Competition

Tuesday 31st

Wednesday 1st February

Industrial Action—St Elizabeth and St Ignatius classes remain open
(see letter sent on 26th January for further information)

Thursday 2nd

Friday 3rd

St Francis Class Assembly—9am
(parents and carers of children in 2STF are welcome to attend)
Planting—volunteers required 10am-12pm
Workshare Weekend Yr1-Yr6

As we reach the end of January and the days begin to draw out I am sure we all looking forward to brighter evenings and signs of Spring appearing. It is simple things like this which can bring joy and happiness, especially after a long dark winter.

Happiness was the theme of our assembly this morning as Ms Kenna revealed the items she had packed inside her big box of happiness. The children reflected on what they would pack to represent the things in life that bring them most happiness and we all reached the same conclusion.... happiness comes from within and cannot be measured by a simple price tag or the value of an object.

At the end of our assembly we were delighted to announce our Building Better Learning champions for this week, who were recognised by their classmates for demonstrating friendship qualities. I am sure all of us have trusted and valued friends that most certainly would take a place in our box of happiness.

The children have been tasked with the challenge to share happiness in three different ways over the coming week: at home, at school or in the community.

Enjoy a **HAPPY** weekend everyone

Letters Home:

Inclusion Appointments
Gymnastics Competition
Industrial Action

Happy Birthday

Florence McC,
Matilda M, Erin V,
Jack R, Clementine D,
Maria Izadora M de Sá

Unfortunately the original planting day has had to be rearranged until
FRIDAY 3rd FEBRUARY.

If any parents or carers are able to spare some time between 10am-12pm next Friday we would be extremely grateful!

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**

BUILDBETTER LEARNING



These pupils have been nominated by their classmates for their FRIENDSHIP qualities

St Scholastica - Ryan H

St Aidan - Sofia C

St Ninian - Isla L

St Teresa - Roisin M-M

St James - Ginelle G

St Osmund - Rinojan J

St Hugh - Freya A

St Nicholas - Zoe K

St Francis - Gabriel C

St Ignatius - Mollie M

St Susanna - Pippa C

St Helena - Isabel L

St Elizabeth - Harry MM

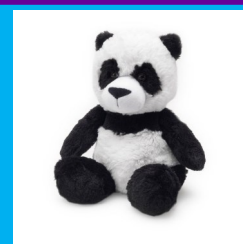
St Rose - Lexi H

Nursery - Finlay B

Attendance Percentage week beginning 4th January 2023

Class		Week commencing 16/01/23	Week commencing 09/01/23
St Rose		99.30	98.00
St Elizabeth		95.70	98.30
St Susanna		99.00	98.00
St Helena		100.00	97.00
St Francis		96.40	99.60
St Ignatius		97.70	98.00
St Nicholas		100.00	97.90
St Hugh		96.90	95.80
St James		95.70	97.30
St Osmund		97.00	96.70
St Teresa		96.70	94.00
St Ninian		91.70	98.00
St Aidan		96.00	96.00
St Scholastica		97.20	91.40
Overall		97.10	96.90

**Best Classes -
St Helena & St Nicholas**



WELL DONE

St Rose

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

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

**** Matthew C ****



In our art lessons this week we have been learning about printing using different materials.

We used sponges, cotton wool, sticks and brushes to created different effects in our work. We all really enjoyed the lesson and were very pleased with the results of our art work.

Noah Yr4



Today's PE lesson was very enjoyable but also physically demanding. We performed many gymnastic moves such as the *Arabesque*, *Bunk Bed* and the *6 person pyramid*.

They required balance, strength and agility.

Riley & Helena - Year 6 St Scholastica



Yr2 have been taking superhero posed pictures on the ipads in their computing lessons and will be learning how to edit these next week.

The children are writing superhero themed stories in English and are really getting in to character!

ACTION PACKED DAY FOR ALL THE FAMILY

New Wimbledon Theatre & Wimbledon Guild present

MERTON LIVE!

£6.50 per adult
£5.50 per child

Live Stage Shows

Graffiti illustration artist

Drop in anytime! or stay all afternoon

SUNDAY 5TH FEBRUARY, 12PM - 5PM
NEW WIMBLEDON THEATRE


FOR MORE DETAILS AND TO BUY TICKETS, VISIT
WIMBLEDONGUILD.CO.UK/MERTONLIVE

TICKETS: ADULTS £6.50 | KIDS £5.50 | UNDER 3'S FREE
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THE GOSPEL IN CHURCH

Sunday 29th January 2023




Seeing the crowds, Jesus went up the hill. There he sat down and was joined by his disciples. Then he began to speak. This is what he taught them: "How happy are the poor in spirit; theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Happy the gentle: they shall have the earth for their heritage. Happy those who mourn: they shall be comforted. Happy those who hunger and thirst for what is right: they shall be satisfied. Happy the merciful: they shall have mercy shown them. Happy the pure in heart: they shall see God. Happy the peacemakers: they shall be called sons of God. Happy those who are persecuted in the cause of right: theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Happy are you when people mistreat you and persecute you and speak all kinds of slander against you on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven."

Adapted from
Matthew 5:1-12 (The 4th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year A)

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

"God is the reason for our hope and the source of our happiness." Pope Francis



Meat Free Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Cheesy Swirl with New Potatoes	Sticky Chicken Noodles	Roast of the Day with Stuffing Ball, Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Beef Burger in a Bun with Potato Wedges	Fishfingers/ Salmon Fishfingers with Chips
Tomato Pasta	Veggie Wrap Stack with Rice	Parsnip and Sweet Potato Loaf with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	French Bread Pizza	Cheese and Onion Quiche with Chips
Vegetable Medley	Broccoli Sweetcorn	Carrot & Swede Mash Cabbage	Sweetcorn Roasted Peppers	Peas Baked Beans
Pear and Chocolate Crumble with Custard	Yoghurt & Raisin Cake	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt Station	Seasonal Root Cake	Vanilla Shortbread
Or a choice of Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit available daily				