

# St. John's Church of England Academy



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## Newsletter

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### Let's Celebrate...

Our Year 6 gave a wonderful end of year performance, showcasing their amazing talents in singing, music, dance and sport! They attained a fantastic SAT's results due to their hard work and determination to do well. We are very proud of them all. Good luck Year 6 in your new schools and continue to shine!



Thank you to all those parents who completed the parent survey. As always, we are heartened by the large numbers of positive responses and comments we have received. You identified some aspects of school life that you think we could develop or improve upon - thank you for sharing these with us. We value your comments and your continued support. Working as a team helps us to continue to be an outstanding school providing the best possible chances for all our children.

We hope you all have a wonderful summer break and the sun shines! We look forward to welcoming the children back on **Wednesday 2nd September**.

Best wishes

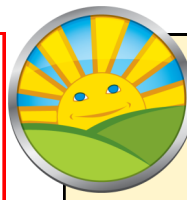
*Miss Large*



Mrs Way is retiring at the end of term after giving 12 years of sterling service! Thank you Mrs Way, we hope you have a wonderful time doing all those things you never have time for now! Mrs Sue Davison has been appointed as Mrs Way's replacement and will join us in September.



Many congratulations to Miss Tricker (Reception) who has completed her PGCE teacher training and has been graded as 'outstanding'. Miss Tricker went to St. John's School and is a shining example of what you can achieve through perseverance and hard work!



Due to the rising cost of bread and cereal, we are having to increase the cost of Breakfast Club to 75p a day from September.

### Good as New

Last week the children held a good as new uniform sale. Parents kindly donated good quality uniform for our stall and we raised £31.10. We still have some uniform left so please feel free to call in and have a look. Many thanks to the children and volunteers who helped organise the sale.



Just a reminder that the children need plain, black shoes for September with no colour or logos. Girls should wear white or grey socks or grey tights with hair ties in school colours. Thank you



### Sport Shirt Designers

We were delighted to welcome Mr Letford, Regional Manager for Herons Food Store, who came to our Assembly to present the winners of a 'Design a Sports Shirt' competition held at our local store. Each winner received £25 for their winning designs! St John's received a £1 donation for every entry totalling an amazing £171! The children will be spending the money on some new playground equipment next term.

### Health Week

Our annual Health and Science week was once again a huge success. The children enjoyed a whole range of learning experiences designed to promote a healthy lifestyle including sessions by the school nurse on hand washing, dental hygiene, sun safety and body changes relating to puberty. Each class held a competition with the winners (pictured above) receiving a voucher for a free swim at the Dolphin Centre.



### 100% Attendance for the whole Year!

Congratulations to those children who did not have a day off or take appointments during registration periods at school for the whole year! An amazing achievement. Each child received a book of their choice and a certificate. Well done to you all..



We have had a lot of building work this year including our new 2 year old provision. During the holidays, the builders will start to re-roof the building which will

continue for about six weeks when we come back. The site will be secure, however if you do see any intruders on the premises please contact the police.

Well done to all those who were awarded a Excellent or Improved attendance certificate and pencil.