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St Andrew's News



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Message from Head Teachers

Dear parents and carers,

It's been an amazing week for our athletics team and we congratulate them for winning the track events at District Sports! All the work they have put in and their ambition to achieve has paid off and we are incredibly proud of them. We are lucky to have many parents who work in the field of sport, and they act as role models for our pupils who love sport and aspire to be part of this industry when they grow up. Our school is full of role models; our prefects, play leaders, house captains, monitors, school council reps, football teams, cross country team, Gold and Platinum winners, Head Teacher's Tea Party guests... the list is long! It's great to see so many of our pupils with a desire to achieve and a determination to make it happen, and we will continue to nurture this.

Have a wonderful weekend in the sunshine
- long may it last!

Best wishes

Jo Mitchell and Bethan Thomas



District Sports

Yesterday, a team of children from Year 3-6 attended the annual district sports athletics meet, at the Xcel centre, competing against thirteen other schools. The athletes competed in both track and field events throughout the day. This year, there was a change in format which saw both track and field events going on at once. Every single member of the team worked incredibly hard with a large proportion going through to semi finals and finals. At the end of a hot afternoon, we were crowned the champions of the track events and took home the district trophy.

A huge thank you to Liz Amos and Susie McLoughlin for training the team and their help on the day. Additionally, to Jamie McLoughlin for being the official starter of the whole event. (Miss Mercey)

Golden Boot Challenge

Once again the whole school endeavoured to travel to school in a more environmentally friendly and healthier way during the Golden Boot challenge week. This year's Golden Boot winners are Dahl (Yr 1) and Parks (Yr 4). Congratulations, you were the greenest classes during Golden Boot week.

Parent Partnership Meeting

There is a parent partnership meeting for all year groups on Wednesday 10th July (9.00-9.45am). The focus of the meeting is the plans for next year, relating to the curriculum and the physical buildings.

Pokeman Cards

Please remind children that Pokeman cards are **not allowed in school**. Children often trade them resulting in many disagreements

Year 1

To help deepen the children's learning and understanding of other faiths and to coincide with our learning about Judaism, Year 1 visited North West Surrey Synagogue in Weybridge. We had a guided tour of the Synagogue and learnt about Shabbat and other Jewish celebrations. The children had a great time and enjoyed trying some challah bread. Thank you to the parents who came on the trip with us (Miss Joyce)



Walton Firs

Last Friday the whole school participated in the annual event of fun at Walton Firs. Some of the amazing activities included rounders, football, cricket, volleyball, shop, maze, night line, rock wall, water fight, skittles and the much enjoyed mud course. We can assure you each and every child had a memorable experience. Sadly, the class of '19 leavers had their last and final Walton Firs experience with the school but in true St. Andrew's tradition, the Year 6 pupils got as muddy as humanly possible; the rest of the school tried to compete – apologies to parents! All the St Andrew's children want to give a huge thanks to all the staff that planned and executed this trip – it is always a highlight of our year. Not only did the teachers make a massive contribution to the special day, but some parents and Esher High students helped to make the occasion so incredible. Without all of these, the event could not have happened. (Holly and Amy (6M)



Staff news

Today we said good by to Miss Woolven who has worked at St Andrew's for 9 years. Miss Woolven will be managing a nursery and we wish her all the best in this significant step in her career.



St Andrew's Church,

Everyone is invited the all age, Family Service - **Called by Love & Sent to Serve** at 10am on Sunday during the service we will be say goodbye to Esther Holley as she leaves to training as a Vicar and get married later this month. The service will be followed by a BBQ – everyone welcome

Year 3

Year 3 were thrilled to welcome Rabbi Zvi into school last Friday. All of the children were captivated by the stories he told and explanations he gave. They all asked fantastic, well thought through questions to help deepen their understanding of the Jewish Faith. We drank grape juice and shared Challah (honey bread) as we learned how Rabbi Zvi celebrates Shabbat in his home every week. (Mrs Haining)



Key Dates: • Year 3 & 4 Showcase—Wednesday 10th July 6pm • Year 2 to Kew Gardens—Wednesday 10th July • Year 4 to Bough Beech Water Plant—Thursday 11th July • Clubs end—Friday 12th July • Year 5 & 6 production Wednesday 17th July 2& 7pm

Positive Playtime winners Dahl & Potter	Transition Trophy Earhart & Mandela	Winning House Polesden Lacey
Best Class Attendance Dahl 98.7%	This week's value Aspire	Next week's value Contribute

Celebration Certificates

Value—Aspire

Donaldson: Ernie	Einstein: Faith
Nightingale: Class	Earhart: Sophie
Dahl: Ethan	Luther King: Oliviar
Hawking: Aleah-Rose	Potter: Zach
Attenborough: Theodore	Lowry: Layla
Johnson: Bea	Shackleton: Izzy
Parks Lexie.	Mandela: Emily
Djawadi:Chloe	
Franklin: George	

Achievement, Progress or effort in Maths/English

Donaldson: Daria	Einstein: Lara
Nightingale: Class	Earhart: Leeann
Dahl: Jasminel	Luther King: Sarah
Hawking: Freddie	Potter: Rebecca
Attenborough: Zac	Lowry: Bligh
Johnson: Xavi	Shackleton: Marcel
Parks: Jenna	Mandela: William
Djawadi: Lucy	
Franklin: William	