

Newsletter 16 (2021-22)

January 21st, 2022

Dear Parents,

Positive COVID19 News

This week has seen our highest levels of positive tests for COVID19. Over 30 children have been off sick (chiefly in Year Four) as well as seven members of staff. Thankfully, we have been able to move some staff from class to class and managed to keep things going. It has not been without a struggle, so please make sure to smile and say a quick “Thank you” to any member of staff that you see.

An Important Message from Miss Cornelius

Year 6 had a very serious and informative workshop with the Police this week, one of which had a focus on Online Safety. Lots of discussion was had about which apps the children are accessing and why they have certain age limits. There were also some surprising changes in the law: **WhatsApp**, for example, was recently moved to 16+ years but I was informed by the officer that there are currently talks to reduce this again! **Roblox** has also been moved from 7+ to 12+. Please use this link which helps you to check the latest guidance, and also provides an explanation as to why it has a particular age rating and what the risks are: [Parent guides | Parent Zone](#)

Applications for Nursery and Reception

Miss Simmons is welcoming applications for children whose parents wish them to be admitted to the Nursery and Reception classes from this September. Here are some details regarding closing dates:

Reception 2022	Closing date	15th January 2022 – now closed!
Nursery 2022	Closing date	7 th February 2022

Please Start to Follow our Instagram Account – there are so many marvellous photographs showing what the children are doing in all classes! Thank you to Miss Hodgson for keeping us up to date! We are called [stsavioursprimary](#)

PTA News

What a wonderfully creative bunch you all are! So many different animals came to school today to celebrate the PTA having bought the school a free pass to London Zoo. Lots of smiles and laughter too! I loved Anna’s (Y6) costume – she came as a Human complete with a label. Quite a few others in Year Six came dressed the same!

We were asking for £2 donation to the PTA for this fun day, if you have not paid this yet, there is a link on ParentMail or you can bring in the money on Monday.

A Message from Miss Simmons to Year Six Parents

Can you please check your ParentMail messages to pay for your child’s residential trip to Sayers Croft as soon as possible?

After School Clubs News

The DLC Club (Dominoes, Lego and Card Games) that I run on Thursdays was filled with huge belly laughs from those of us who were playing Old Maid! I cannot remember the last time I laughed so long and hard.

One thing that struck me was that none of the children knew why being “The Old Maid” was a bad thing. They thought there was nothing wrong with being old and a woman – I love our children!

Stars of the Week

Nursery: Irida is Star of the Week for being such a kind and caring member of our class. She was really brave at trying new things in P.E. this week! We are really proud of her. Well done, Irida!

Reception: Axel, congratulations, you are our Star of the Week! You have been putting so much effort into numbers and phonics this week. We also saw you being a good friend and helping others to tidy up the cars and scooters outside. Keep up the great work!

Year One: Riley is our Star of the Week! We were delighted by his enthusiasm for learning, especially in Maths, when he quickly solved the domino loop challenge. We love how he takes his work seriously and he is a role model for everyone in Year One. Well done Riley!

Year Two: Congratulations, Joshua, you are Year Two’s Star of the Week. You wrote a very moving and persuasive piece of writing about how we need to prevent tigers from becoming extinct. You are always such a pleasure to teach!

Year Three: Arnica, you are our Star of the Week! Despite being slightly unwell, you have had a fantastic week! We are really impressed with the effort you are making in all lessons. Your lovely smile always brightens our day! Keep up the good work!

Year Four: Arnica- you have shown fantastic dedication this week! We were all so impressed by your effort and attention to detail in our Art lesson. Keep up the amazing work; we are so proud of you!

Year Five: Dominic, you have had a great week! As the week has progressed you have grown in confidence and been able to give appropriate, thoughtful and insightful responses to questions posed during lesson discussion times. Fantastic work, Dominic, Keep it up!

Year Six: Congratulations, Jackson, you have had a super week! You were extremely kind, mature and enthusiastic during our Police workshop this week. Your manners are impeccable and you always try your best. Well done!

Buster’s Weekend Friend

Buster is going home this week with Rebecca in the Nursery. This is because she is a shining example of a St. Saviour’s pupil. She is always kind, friendly and polite to all the children and adults – not just those in the Nursery. Rebecca enjoys all aspects of school life and is a joy to teach. We are so proud of her! Well done indeed!

Ms. Woodford’s comment: I would also like to say that Bianca, Rebecca’s sister, was so very proud of her winning Buster today – such excitement!

Teacher Angel: This week, due to the majority of School Councilors having COVID, it was not possible to hold a meeting. Better luck next week!

Friday TryDay Today, the children enjoyed cheddar cheese with my favourite all time apple, a Russet. Absolutely delicious!

I hope you have a restful weekend and keep safe.

With love and best wishes,

Ms. Woodford