



St Mary's C of E (Aided) Primary School



NEWSLETTER

“A Christ-centred school with a child-centred curriculum through wisdom and love”

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WB 13th September 2021

Front display – The children have celebrated the Olympics by completing this lovely display focussing on: “dream, believe and achieve”.



Non School uniform day TOMORROW – A reminder that we will be collecting bottles and chocolates tomorrow for the Harvest Fayre. Collection of bottles and chocolates will be on the gate in the morning.

Vine leaves – **Ethan L (Ita)** for really taking two children under his wing this week in a nurturing way.

Mattie P (Ita) for welcoming a new child into her class.

Dilan D (Ita) who showed confidence and courage as he sang solo to the rest of the class.

Lexi A (USA) for courage as you just keep being courageous in all that you do.

Achievements – **Rowan S (USA)** has done a sponsored read and she read 25 books in 1 week and raised a whopping £200.00. Rowan read everywhere! Even in the Corn Store waiting for her lunch.

Olivia A (SL) Well-done for being accepted into the Atlantis swimming club – we expect to see amazing things in the pool.

Isla (NZ) received her Stage 4 swimming certificate.

Elba S (Ire) – swimming achievements over the summer

Holly D (Chi) and Elba S (NZ) attended the Royal British Legion 100 year Torch Relay as the Standard Bearers for both 2nd West Chiltington brownies and 2nd West Chiltington Rainbows.

Hettie S (UK) has moved up from stage 1 into stage 2 swimming.

Ruben S (Chi) - Golden wolf woggle at Cubs as well as 1000m distance badge in swimming and promoted to sixer at cubs

Luke T (SA), Scarlett E (Mex), Anna E (SL) for participating in the Tristart event in Bognor Regis. Luke came 10th but in the 11 – 14 year old event, Scarlett came 2nd and had the fastest run overall and Anna was 2nd overall and had the fastest swim. We are blessed to have such talented athletes.

There is a Triathlete event in Billingshurst on 3rd October for those aged 8 or over. Do talk to Mrs Gowland or Mrs Treadwell if you would like more information.



Staffing – We are sad to say that Miss Gorecka is leaving us at the end of the Autumn Term in December. Miss Gorecka has been with us for a few years now and has been a real asset to our staff team working on the teaching and learning in the school. We will be advertising over the next few weeks and we will share the outcome of the interviews when we know more.

Heritage Day – What a fantastic event this was! We were blessed to have such an amazing day with the Church open for activities, Masonic hall, train station, the village hall with the model railway. Thank you to everyone that attended and made it such a lively event.

Pulborough Harvest Fayre – Saturday 25th September We are really looking forward to seeing the Scarecrows – Just a reminder that you can take any theme such as sports people, artists, scientists, celebrities, royalty etc. You will need to deliver your scarecrow to a steward up at Glebe Field on the day. The PTA will be running a stall, so please come and say 'hello' to us and join in with some of the games.

Governors tea and chat – The Governors are running a tea and chat session on Friday 24th September from 2.15pm – if you would like to chat with them then please do attend.

Ireland class Rock Hunt: – To understand what rocks are used for and make careful observations.



Classrooms – As we start the year, we thought it would be great to show you some pictures of the classrooms so you know where the children are. There will be more next week!



T & M Ices – The ice cream van will be over at the park tomorrow (Friday 17th) if you fancy an ice cream. Profits will come back to the school.



Bank Holiday – In light on the Queens Platinum Jubilee celebrations, you will be aware that there is an extra National Bank Holiday in June 2022. As this falls within the school Half Term, West Sussex county Council have added an extra Inset day to the end of the Summer Term, consequently our Summer Term will now end on **Wednesday 20th July 2022**.

Year 3 Stone Age Day – Year 3 took part in activities as a superstarter for their Stone Age day. The children were able to sew, make clay pots, knit, make and use charcoal.





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SCARECROW COMPETITION

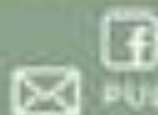
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-BUILD A SCARECROW -ANY THEME, SHAPE
OR SIZE

THERES PLENTY OF IDEAS TO THINK OF,
FOOTBALL, NHS, LOCAL HEROS,
CELEBRITIES, ANYTHING YOU CAN THINK
OF!

-BRING IT TO THE CLERE FIELD IN
PULBOROUGH ON SATURDAY 25TH
SEPTEMBER BETWEEN 8AM-10AM WHERE A
STEWARD WILL MEET YOU. YOU CAN
COLLECT YOUR SCARECROW AT 4PM.

THERE WILL BE A PRIZE FOR THE BEST
SCARECROW- JUDGED BY ORIGINALITY,
CREATIVITY AND LIKENESS!
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