

## Message from Ms Iwanicki

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week has been incredibly exciting here at St Luke's, on Wednesday the children watched the dress rehearsal of the Lion King performed by Winter Class and Thursday evening our wonderful Year 5 and 6 children performed to their parents. Every single student acted and sang with confidence and some children were even brave enough to sing solos. It truly was a spectacular evening. A huge thank you to Ms Broster, Ms Heaney and the rest of the staff for all their hard work over the last few weeks. Please take a look at the photos at end of this newsletter.

On Monday we were moderated by the local authority for our EYFS data in Reception class. It was a pleasure to hear Ms Edlin discuss the children's progress over the year and a real treat to see their writing books. I am always amazed at how much the children grow and change in the early years, but they seem quite ready to move into Year 1.

This week our wonderful PFA members have also been busy making final preparations for tomorrow's summer fair. This year, as well as our usual stalls, we have a bouncy castle, superhero slide and nerf shootout! I look forward to seeing you all there from 12:00-4:00pm.

Wishing you all a restful weekend,

Jo Iwanicki  
Head of School

*Proverbs 17:17 A friend loves at all times, and a brother is born for a time of adversity.*



### Spring Class

This week in Spring class we started our new topic: Dinosaurs! We started by creating our own fossils made from clay. We imprinted a dinosaur and its footprints into our clay. We can't wait to paint them when they are dry. We also made some dinosaur snacks in the mud kitchen. Yum!



### Summer Class



This week in Summer Class we welcomed Mr Street into our class for his 3 week placement. It has been wonderful to have another helper to listen to our amazing reading and help us with our writing and mathematics. We have been very busy in English and we worked hard to write two letters and create our own story in response to a video clip. In mathematics we have been working hard to learn the features of 3D shapes. In religion, we have been learning about a Christian ritual called Baptism. We got to design our own candle that could be used in a Baptism ceremony and we also got to act out the ritual of Baptism in groups. In Art and Geography, we looked at some iconic landmarks we have here in London and created our own art piece reflecting our own perspective of the London Eye.



## Autumn Class



This week we have read, written and revised play scripts. We had lots of laughs and fun acting out our own scenes and reading plays such as *The Twits*. In Science, we are learning about fruit and the different ways that seeds disperse. We had to come up with our own ways of grouping seed dispersal. In RE we are learning about the good news message and how it has survived these last 2000 years. We thought of our own messages we'd want to spread, including being kind, respectful and to save earth.



## Winter Class



Wow- what a night! I think everyone will agree that Winter class absolutely excelled themselves in our performance of 'The Lion King' last night. Three weeks of super hard work really paid off! The children were word perfect, incredibly supportive of each other and not phased for a moment when we experienced technical difficulties with the music! I am so proud of what the children have achieved and must again thank all parents who helped provide materials, costumes and props and who helped their children remember lines. Also all the staff who have been so supportive, from unpacking the stage to making a very realistic Zazu head!



# Golden Book

## Spring Class

**Zain** for creating a complex obstacle course for the BeeBot outside.

**Delisa** for confidently reading her writing out to the Year 5 and 6 class.

## Summer Class

**Rachel** for her enthusiasm in singing practise.

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## Autumn Class

**Ella** for thoughtful editing and revising of her play script.

**Harry** for a big improvement in his handwriting this term.

## Winter Class

**Ben** for an outstanding Timon performance!

**Christian** for wonderful singing and helping out others in our dress rehearsal with their lines



## Maths Monkey!

**Spring Class Bobby** for trying hard to use accurate mathematical language when learning about capacity this week.

**Summer Class Aaron** for his fantastic knowledge of the features of 2D and 3D shapes.

**Autumn Class Daniel** For seeking out help and persevering in lessons this week.

**Winter Class Freddie** for a fantastic assessment before half term.

**Dates for Diary – 2018-2019 term dates are on the school website. Additions are in blue; Changes are in red.**

22 <sup>nd</sup> June	- Summer Fair 12:00-4:00
26 <sup>th</sup> June	- Junior Choir to Spring Grove Nursing Home
24 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup> June	- Scholastic Book Fair
27 <sup>th</sup> June	- Spring Class Assembly
1 <sup>st</sup> July	- PFA KS1 Disco 3:30-5:00
2 <sup>nd</sup> July	- PFA KS2 Disco 3:30-5:00
3 <sup>rd</sup> July	- Parent coffee morning 9am church hall
4 <sup>th</sup> July	- Spring class trip to Camden Learning Centre
5 <sup>th</sup> July	- Autumn Class football match at Hawley Primary School
10 <sup>th</sup> July	- Sports Day at Parliament Hill Fields (PM)
11 <sup>th</sup> July	- Autumn Class How plants grow workshop
16 <sup>th</sup> July	- Leavers' Service 2.30pm
17 <sup>th</sup> July	- Parent Open Evening
19 <sup>th</sup> July	- Last day of term. Pupils finish 1.30pm

## E-Safety

Please follow the link below for the latest copy of Digital Parenting from Parentzone.

<https://parentzone.org.uk/digital-parenting-online-safety-magazine-archive>

# The Lion King



## **St Luke's Church**

On Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> we will be holding a 'cream tea' to raise funds for a cancer charity, in the church 3:00pm-5:00pm. Whist visiting the school fair on Saturday, why not also pop in to the church for a 'cuppa'!