



St Luke's Church of England School Newsletter

Educating through faith, hope and love.

Message from Ms Iwanicki

Friday 28th June

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week the children have been busy cooking tasty treats to say a huge thank you to a core group of our PFA members. The school councillors wrote to the PFA to invite them in for tea and then each class made a dish for them to eat. It was a great way to learn to cook some healthy recipes whilst letting our PFA know how much we appreciate their hard work. If you are able to help out with the summer fair this year don't forget to contact the PFA at pfa@stlukesschool.org.uk The PFA will be collecting branded uniform next week ahead of a uniform sale at the summer fair. Unfortunately, we cannot accept unbranded items at this time due to high stock levels. Please drop items to the office.



Today, some classes had a visit from The Crick in preparation for next week's Science Week. Don't forget that children can come to school next Friday dressed 'like a scientist'.

Sadly, today we had to say goodbye to Ms Francis our Office Manager. Ms Francis has been an excellent addition to our office team and we are sad to see her go, but the commute to and from work has become too difficult. However, we are pleased to welcome Ms Goldring to St Luke's, who will be taking over in her place. I'm sure you will join me in wishing Ms Francis all the very best in her future endeavours.

Wishing you all a restful weekend,

Ms J Iwanicki
Headteacher

Ephesians 4:32 - Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.

Spring Class



This week, in Spring Class we have been enjoying the sunshine, which has ripened the strawberries. The slugs got to some of them but we managed to harvest some and try them ourselves. On Tuesday, Spring Class performed their assembly. They worked hard to learn their lines and perform them, and I was so impressed by their confidence and concentration on the day. On Wednesday, the children did a great job of baking cheese scones for the PFA tea and they loved the taste of them too.



Summer Class



This week in Summer Class, we went on a school trip to the Natural History Museum. We compared animals found in two different habitats. We also explored similarities and differences between animals and identified some common minibeasts. In Maths, we are learning to find change by counting up. In RE, we explored different promises made at an infant Baptism and why they are important.



Autumn Class



This week in Autumn class, we have begun reading Roald Dahl's 'The BFG'. We have used this text to create characters of our own with personalities that do not stereotypically match their physical appearance, focusing on the importance of never judging people based on appearance. In Maths, we have been collecting information and creating graphs. On Wednesday, we were absolutely delighted to bake cookies for the PFA, and the children did so with great teamwork and thoroughly enjoyed it.



Winter Class



In Winter Class this week, we have been very busy rehearsing for Romeo and Juliet. The children are becoming much more familiar with the songs and actions and we are still working hard at learning all of our parts. Similarly, children in Year 6 have been doing very well at learning some challenging Shakespearian lines. We still have more to do so we'll all be working hard to get it right as the date gets closer. Meanwhile, our Year 5 children created a pasta salad to serve to visitors on Wednesday. Many thanks for all their help.



Golden Book

Spring Class

Julia for a wonderful attitude to learning and great menu writing.

Idriss for a positive attitude to all activities in class this week.

Summer Class

Nefeli for working collaboratively with her partner.

Saisha for her positive behaviour towards learning.

Autumn Class

Leon for being caring and thoughtful towards his classmates.

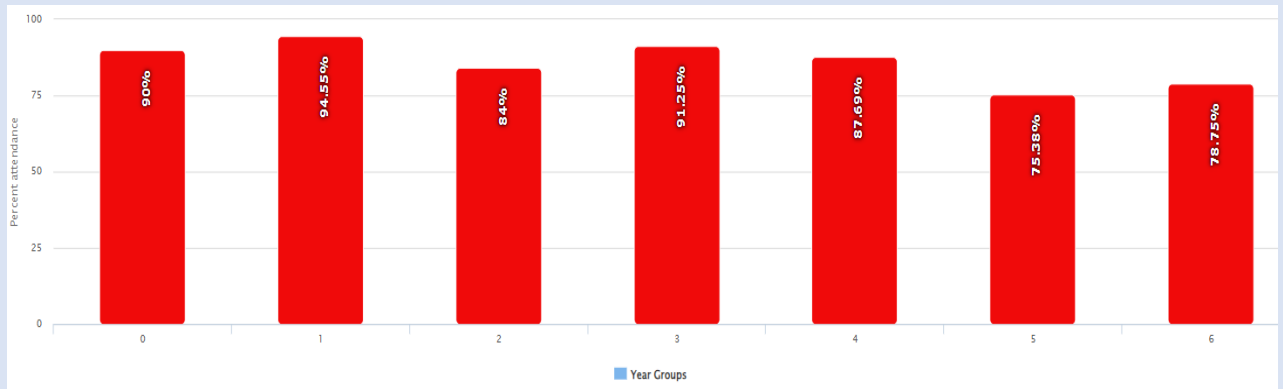
Husaam for his wonderful progress in swimming this week.

Winter Class

Caylawit for her teamwork in helping others learn their lines for Romeo and Juliet.

Zoey for taking responsibility in fully learning her part in Romeo and Juliet.

Weekly Attendance



Best year group this week
Year 1
with
94.55%

Happy Birthday



Eva in Autumn Class

Korede in Winter Class



Dates for Diary 2024

Term dates are on the school website. Additions are in blue; Changes are in red.

27th – 31st May	Half-Term
3rd June	Inset Day
w/c 3rd June	Year 4 begin Multiplication Testing
11th June	Winter Class Assembly Cancelled
14th June	Whole School Photographs
18th June	Autumn Class Assembly
18th June	Visit from PC Leeming
19th June	Sports Day at Parliament Hill Fields running track
25th June	Spring Class Assembly
25th June	Summer Class National History Museum Trip
24th June – 5th July	Autumn Class Swimming
26th June	Evergreens Tea
28th June	Crick visiting the school
9 th July	Children visit their new class
9 th July	New Reception Parents Meeting
9 th July	Summer Class Assembly
11 th July	Year 6 Play 6:00pm
12 th July	Reports out to Parents
16 th July	Parents Open Evening
17 th July	Leavers' Service
20 th July	Summer Fair
24 th July	1:30pm Term Ends



HAY FEVER



Many hay fever symptoms overlap with those you get with a cold, so it can be hard to say which you've got. There are a few key things you can look out for.

A cold will start one to three days after you come into contact with the virus, and will normally last for up to a week. Hay fever starts straight after you're exposed to pollen and continues causing symptoms until you're no longer around the allergens.

Signs and symptoms of hay fever may include:

- **Sneezing** – a common symptom and may be more frequent.
- **Coughing** - coughing can occur due to mucus in your throat.
- **Blocked nose** – nasal congestion can lead to difficulty breathing.
- **Itchy, red or watery eyes** – can lead to discomfort and sensitivity to light.
- **Itchy throat, mouth, nose and ears** – irritation or a scratchy feeling
- **Pain around your temples and forehead** - allergens can create pockets of pain around your sinuses
- **Headache** - sinus pain from hay fever can also trigger headaches.
- **Earache** - the lining of the tubes in your ear can sometimes inflame when it reacts with pollen.
- **Tiredness** - low energy levels and mood can often be experienced after prolonged exposure to allergens.



★ St. Luke's CE School ★

SUMMER FAIR

★ Saturday 20th July ★
1:00-4:00pm



£1
Child Entry
£2 Adults

With thanks to our Sponsor:



Loads of Stalls and Games:
Bouncy castle, Nerf Guns, Penalty
shoot out... Plus Crafts & Games,
Amazing Raffle, Tombola, Pizza,
Waffles and more!!

At: St Luke's CE School, Kidderpore Avenue NW3 7SU
Tickets will be available early July, or come along and pay on the day!

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**CHURCH FAMILY
DISCO**

DJ CRAXTON

**SUNDAY 7TH JULY | ST LUKE'S CHURCH
FREE BUT DONATION IF YOU WISH!**

7.30PM-9.00PM

**NO UNACCOMPANIED CHILDREN PLEASE.
LIGHT REFRESHMENTS WILL BE PROVIDED.
AND THE VICAR WILL BE DANCING!**