Our Lady & St Joseph Primary School May 17th 2019 Newsletter 1107 Newsletter 1107

Dear parents: A remarkable tradition has been maintained in the school in 2019. Since KS2 Sats have begun in the early 90s we have never had a single pupil miss a session or test in all that time. Remarkable. Well done to all of Year 6 in 2019 one pupil came in and was not well but really made the effort. Fire up the barbecue, chuck another veggie burger on and get the music started KS2 Sats are over. Meanwhile other tests carry on but most children don't even notice. Y6 also just been told their end of year play..well my dears it's "OLIVER".

School news ... this week

SATS week for Year 6 all week apart from today which is Barbecue Day and whoopee time.

Wednesday ... Year 3 went to the Museum of London

Friday ... Environmental assembly and incredible achievement from Natalie in Year 5.

Came second in the whole country National Geographic Awards. + congrats to Sir David Attenborough 92 years young today.





School news ... next week

Tuesday ... Auditions for Oliver

3.45 Information session re: Phonics screening for Year 1 parents and indeed any parent interested in phonics.

Wednesday .. Year 4 assembly 9.15am all welcome.

Photographer Reception and Year 6

Thursday ... Drama Performance 3.30pm Marlon..

Governors and Buildings Fund May 2019

Total = £5,000 from 130 families out of 160 families. Up £90 and 2 new families. 81% of families responded and still growing. This money pays for the upkeep of the school, new doors, new drains, insurance etc. Reminders going out to the 30 families who have not paid. If you cannot afford anything just let us know.

Attendance Year 4 and 5 Joint winners with 100% last week. Brilliant !!

pics of the week:

Environmental Assembly today with Ms O'Grady and all the award winners and Natalie with her National Geographic prize an incredible achievement

Week Beginning 06/05/2019	Attendance	Late
Nursery	95.04%	1.65%
Reception	98.75%	0.83%
Year 1	96.55%	3.02%
Year 2	99.17%	2.08%
Year 3	98.75%	3.33%
Year 4	100%	2.50%
Year 5	100%	1.92%
Year 6	97.69%	0.00%

and finally ... I never ever watched a single moment of the Jeremy Kyle show in its 14 year history and now really glad I didn't. Mind you I've never watched Game of Thrones or the Great British Bake Off either so ... a good weekend game to play is the top 3 TV shows you've never seen Doris Day died at 97 remember her wonderful song in 1964 as a young child 'Move over Darling' just as the Beatles and the Rolling Stones were getting going. Look the song up on YouTube a classic of the early 60s and a more innocent age. My book at the moment is about Pope Francis and his Herculean efforts to clean up corruption in the Vatican. We must pray for him as I had no idea of the extent of what he faces my highlight of the week Times Crossword I took 46 second off my personal best so now @ 3:28 ...minutes !!! ... not hours ...well pleased... and learned how to make the perfect boiled egg courtesy of Heston Blumenthal it's on YouTube and took me 3 goes to get it to perfection like his ... well done Year 6 once more proud of you all. On to Oliver and Fagin and MORE porridge ...