

St Johns CE (VC) First School

Newsletter

Friday 20th October 2017



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DIARY DATES 2017-2018



Monday 30th October	-	Back to school
Wednesday 1st November	-	St John's open morning 9.30- 11.30am
Sunday 5th November	-	Bible presentation to Reception children
Thursday 16th November	-	Parents evening
Thursday 23rd November	-	Saplings family lunches 12.15
Wednesday 27th September	-	Open Day Brewood Middle School 10-12
Thursday 30th November	-	Immunisations
Sunday 3rd December	-	Christingle service, 10am St John's Church
Monday 4th December	-	In school pantomime 'Beauty and the Beast'
Thursday 7th December	-	Oaks carol concert, St John's Church 6pm
Tuesday 12th December	-	Acorns and Saplings Nativity 6pm
Wednesday 13th December	-	Acorns and Saplings Nativity 2pm
Tuesday 19th December	-	Break up for Christmas
Friday 12th January	-	Young Voices
7th-9th February	-	Scholastic Bookfair
Thursday 15th February	-	Half term
Friday 16th February	-	Inset Day
Thursday 1st March	-	World Book Day
Wednesday 14th March	-	Wolgarston Dance Festival
Thursday 29th March	-	Break for Easter
Wednesday 25th April	-	Oaks class to Kingswood
Friday 25th May	-	Half term
Friday 6th July	-	Languages Day
Thursday 12th July	-	Transition day
Friday 20th July	-	Summer hols

School Policies

Our policies are reviewed on a regular basis and statutory policies can be found on the school website or requested from the school office.

Attendance

Well done to the following classes for the week ending 13th October 2017

Acorns	93.13%
Year 1	100%
Year 2	100%
Year 3	100%
Year 4	85.42%

Whole School Year 96.7%

Our target for the year is
98.5%

Child of the Week

Well done to the following children week ending 13th October 2017

Acorns	Isabella M
Saplings	Thomas E Archie
Oaks	Theo Heidi

Waterproofs

Could Acorns class please ensure that waterproofs and wellingtons are kept in school for outdoor play.

Headteacher Award

Well done to Annabel for achieving last week's award!



Christmas Cards

Thank you to those parents joining us today to make Christmas cards.

Once the artwork has been scanned by APFS it will then be sent home with your unique code for ordering online.

This will be around 6th November and orders will need to be placed by 13th November.

More details to follow after half term.

All purchases should be received in school by the end of November.



St Johns supporters are requesting bottles of alcohol to use for fundraising.

Please hand any donations to the school office.

Thank you



wear it
pink

Children have worn pink today to raise money for breast cancer.

The amount raised so far is
£72

Thank you for your generous donations



Year 4 Transition

A reminder that Brewood Middle School would like to hear from parents with their views on what they consider important for the transition process to Year 5.

If you would like to share your ideas please email them to

office@st-johns-bishopswood.staffs.sch.uk

and we will forward them on your behalf

OPEN DAY

Wednesday

1st November

9.30—11.30am

Spread the word to neighbours, family and friends that we are having an open morning for prospective parents.

Applications for Reception class can be made online from 1st November through Staffordshire County Council website



Reception

St Johns Church have kindly purchased bibles for each of our children in Reception year and these will be presented to each child in a special

service on

Sunday 5th November at 10am

at St John's Church, Bishopswood

We look forward to seeing parents and children at the service

Parents evening

Thursday November 16th

Appointment letters will be sent to parents during the 1st week of the new half term

Well done to the our competition winners!

The five winners have made a Guy and will deliver him to Weston Park on Tuesday 31st October

Reception Myles Quinney-Preece

Year 1 Bobby Tarn

Year 2 Hope Gracey

Year 3 Florence Mitchell

Year 4 Evie Harris

WELL DONE!

ALL WINNERS RECEIVE A FAMILY PASS TO THE WESTON PARK BONFIRE ON SUNDAY 5TH NOVEMBER



Art Class

with Artist Mark Lippett



Wednesdays: 6.45 pm - 8.45 pm

Wolgarston High School (P4)

Learn a range of drawing and painting techniques.

An adult class suitable for all abilities

including beginners.

For more details and to book a place contact:

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