



NEWSLETTER

Term 6: Week 2 2022

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This Week—Achievements



House Points Winners this week RUBY

Achievements

Dawson Y3 competed in the RYA Regional Championships at Queen Mary Sailing Club last Saturday.

It was a tough fleet with Dawson being the youngest competitor by three years!!

After a full days racing Dawson won seven out of ten races and was crowned the winner of the 3.5 fleet.



Ana Y3 and Lily in YR took part in the St Wilfrids 5k Rainbow run in memory of their Nana Rosie on Saturday 28th May. They helped raise over £4,500!



Sirhenk and Zerya both made their Scouts promise and became invested this week in the 1st Old Town Scouts Group!

School Council are holding a bake sale on Thursday 23rd June after school in the playground. We are raising money for our field following the success of our mufti day last term. We would really appreciate any donations of cakes/flapjacks/brownies/biscuits etc. from any family able to contribute (not just School Council families). Please drop donations at the office on the morning of 23rd June.

We look forward to seeing as many people as possible after school at the sale! Please bring cash. Depending on the donations, we will likely price items at 50p or £1.



Rainbow Awards:

Reception: The Whole Class

Year 1: Arliya Smith

Year 2: The Whole Class

Year 3: Eli Bowler

Year 4: Lacey Stephen

Year 5: Hollie Pope

Year 6: Hermione Buckland

Ice Pop Sale

**This Friday 17th June
after school in the
playground!**

**50p
Each**

(Please bring
correct change)



Upcoming dates

June

Wednesday 22nd —3pm deadline for Bag2School donations (see back page).

Thursday 23rd School Council—Bake sale

Monday 27th Y1 Sealife Centre

Thursday 30th Y3 Berwick Church visit

July

Monday 4th SPORTS DAY

Thursday 14th July Year 6 Leavers Party

Notices

Heatwave - Information for parents and carers

You will all be aware that the weather has turned very warm this week! We have a heatwave approaching and will take this opportunity to ask that children have all the following items in school to ensure that they can enjoy school activities as usual.



A water bottle

A Sun Hat

Summer Uniform - ie - juniors do not need to wear ties!

High factor sun-cream please put this on before school. Older children may bring their sun-cream to school if they are able to put it on themselves.

An additional request for donations of boxes of tissues to school for the classes if possible.

Many thanks for your support and we look forward to some lovely weather this weekend.

School Lunches—Parent Pay

ParentPay - Advance booking and payment for school lunches

This is a note to remind all parents and carers to book school lunches in advance. Parents of KS2 children (Years 3,4,5 & 6) need to make a payment with the lunch booking (unless the child is entitled to a free school meal). The price of a meal is £2.20.

School Staff are not permitted to book a child's meal on ParentPay if that child's meal has not been pre-booked and the child has not brought a packed lunch. Instead a call or text will be made to the parent/carer to ask them to bring in a packed lunch for their child.

The cut off time for booking a lunch on ParentPay is 8.30am.

Parents of KS1 children (Reception, Y1 & Y2) do not need to pay for school lunches. However, please book your child's lunch online through the ParentPay system if you are planning for your child to have a school lunch and you have not provided them with a packed lunch.

Thank you for your support.

Please do not hesitate to contact the school office for any clarification regarding booking on ParentPay.

Here is a link to **ParentPay** support - Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)



<https://parent-support.parentpaygroup.com/hc/en-gb/categories/4407704072081>

This Week



We welcomed the Open The Book team back to school. Today's story was about how Paul travelled far and wide to tell people about Jesus, and continued to do so even after being arrested and shipwrecked.



Year 6 had a fantastic morning at The Towner gallery. They were allowed special access to the collections and spent time creating their own work inspired by some of the pieces they saw.



What a busy day the Year R class Pirates had for their Reception Pirate Day! They met Pirate Pete on the school field and helped him to find his lost treasure. They also asked lots of questions about what it might be like to be a pirate and in the afternoon completed lots of 'Piratey' activities and games. Well done Reception on a great day.. Arghhh!



The Friends of Meads Events



BAG 2 SCHOOL

FREE FUNDRAISING FOR SCHOOLS

In partnership with your school or organisation



St John's Meads C of E Primary School

Bag 2 School is a company that specialises in the reuse and recycling of good quality second-hand clothing and we have arranged to make a collection from your school. All the bags will be weighed and you will be paid for the total weight collected. Remember, the more you collect the greater the benefit to your school.



PLEASE USE YOUR OWN BAGS (THERE IS NO LIMIT)

When the clothes have been removed from the bag the plastic will be packed and sent for recycling.

We are collecting good quality items for RE-USE:

Men's, ladies' & children's clothing, paired shoes, handbags, belts & accessories. (No uniforms, workwear, pillows, duvets or pieces of fabric please)

The more we weigh the more we pay!

Extra bags are welcome - there's no limit

Please return your Bag2School on:

Wednesday 22nd June (from 3pm)
Final Deadline: 23rd June by 9:00am



Church and Community Notices



King's Quest Holiday Club

Enjoy a fantastic fun faith-filled week of awesome activities, great games, creative craft, dizzy dramas, brilliant Bible stories, cheeky challenges, sensational songs and loads more...

We will join Sir Prancelot on an interactive, Bible-based adventure your kids will LOVE.

**Mon 22nd – Fri 26th August
St John's Church, Meads**

£25 for the week*



Parent/carer's and toddler's program Included.
For more details or to register scan the QR code or visit www.stjm.org.uk/holidayclub22

Questions?: contact Kim at kidswork@stjm.org.uk or 01323738671

*Cost includes a club T-shirt, materials, refreshments and an activity booklet too.



ALL SAINTS' YOUTH TEAM
Invite you to

SECRET AGENTS HOLIDAY CLUB!

26th to 30th July 2022

Shhhhh!

ONLY FOR SECRET AGENTS WHO ARE GOING INTO YEAR 1 UP TO GOING INTO YEAR 6

Annelie Cooper @AllSaintsEastbourne.com
Or call on 075 2233 5021

Inspired by **faith4kids**

All Saints' Youth Team invite you to our Summer Holiday Clubs: 'Secret Agents' (kids going into yr1 - yr6) and 'Big Shout!' (current yr 6 and above).

Join us for a week of fun, games, craft, quizzes, Bible Study, BBQs, bouncy castles, silliness and lots more!

Booking forms for both clubs available at the school office. Numbers for 'Secret Agents' are limited so do book soon! Annelie and Julian.



BIG SHOUT

The Double Agents' Beach Party!

26 - 29TH JULY

ALL SAINTS' TEENS HOLIDAY CLUB 7PM - 9PM