

St Andrew's Newsletter



Summer Term 12
19th July 2019

What an amazing year we have had at St. Andrew's CofE Primary School. The message at our Leavers' Service yesterday was based on Ecclesiastes Chapter 3 about how everything that happens in this world happens at the time God chooses. Reverend Andrew talked about how now is a time of mixed emotions - 'the time for sorrow and the time for joy, the time for mourning and the time for dancing'. This is so very true as we say farewell to another group of fabulous Year 6 children, and to a few other children and their families who are moving away to different places. There have been some wonderful highlights this year as well as some challenges faced by us all. I feel truly proud of all our children, and grateful to them all for their hard work and determination. I am also so appreciative of all the support from parents and families in so many different ways.

To those of you who are not returning in September, I wish you all the very best for your future. To those who are coming back again, have a wonderful, restful holiday, and I look forward to seeing you again in the Autumn Term on Wednesday 4th September. God bless.



Year 6 Trophies 2019

Music – Sheldon and Josh
Choir - Alana
Achievement – Sheldon
Improvement – Henry
Attendance – Wisdom
Sports – Zoe
Progress Award – Lois
Head Boy – Ebenezer
Head Girl - Emily



Joseph and his Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat

On Monday and Tuesday this week KS2 put on a fantastic performance of Joseph. All three performances were wonderful with such amazing singing from the Year 6 children, especially the soloists, and the whole KS2 choir.

Important Dates

Monday 2nd September – School closed for staff training
Tuesday 3rd September – School closed for staff training
Wednesday 4th September – School starts at 8:40 for all children in Reception to Year 6
Monday 9th September – Nursery starts at 8:40am

Helpers' Tea

On Wednesday afternoon our Year 6 children served Afternoon Tea to many of the parents and members of our community who have regularly volunteered in and around school. Thank you to The Friends for providing the refreshments.



Friends' Newsletter

Today The Friends sent out their latest newsletter highlighting all the money they have raised for the school this year, and all the wonderful things that they have spent this money on.

On behalf of everyone in the school, I wish to thank them for all their hard work and support for the school this year, and also say a huge thank you to all parents and families who have donated time and money this year.

Farewells

During our final assembly this morning we said good bye to a number of staff members and a few children from across the school.

The staff and children presented cards and gifts to Miss Lal, Miss Toombs, Mrs Okoro and Mrs Housego. Miss Kang will be collecting her cards and gifts during the holidays.

As well as saying farewell to all the Year 6 children, we are also sadly saying good bye to Ben and James, Saray, Murilo, Sophia T, Kamsi, Domas and Arnas.

Breakfast Club and After School Club

Book online at

<https://www.schoolfriendclub.com/our-clubs-1/st-andrews-c-of-e-primary-school/>

Register online over the Summer and organise your childcare arrangements now!

Thank you on behalf of all the staff for all the wonderful gifts and cards received at the end of term. Your generosity and support is very much appreciated.

Nicola Edwards

Merit Awards

Nursery – Hard Work: Billy
Improvement: Charlie
Cooperation: Sophia B

Reception – Hard Work: Samuel
Improvement: Hargun
Cooperation: Frank

Year 1 – Hard Work: Arthur
Improvement: Viktor
Cooperation: Shae

Year 2 – Hard Work: Lily
Improvement: Olivia
Cooperation: Blake

Year 3 – Hard Work: Yared
Improvement: Eloise
Cooperation: Emily

Year 4 – Hard Work: Habib
Improvement: Harry
Cooperation: Isabella P

Year 5 – Hard Work: Chloe
Improvement: Maxim
Cooperation: Theo

Year 6 – Hard Work: Ethan H
Improvement: Emily
Cooperation: Flynn

Well done to all!

Mathletics

This morning we handed out 58 Silver Certificates and 10 Gold Certificates. Well done to all those children who have been practising on Mathletics at home and in school. It takes roughly 20 weeks of earning Bronze and Silver certificates, to earn a Gold.

Special congratulations to Jia Qi, Daniel, William, Aydin, Jaxon, Zane, Jessica, Toben, Abigail and Dexter. Keep practising on Mathletics during the Summer Holidays everyone!

Growing and learning together with God

