



Saint Christina's School Bulletin

Friday 8th June 2018

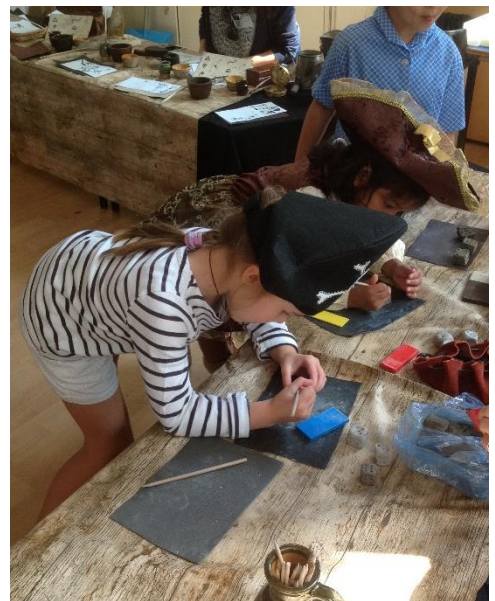
Reception Classes Pirate Workshop

At the end of the last half term, Reception had a very exciting Pirate workshop at school to kick start our learning about the ocean. We all wore our best pirate costumes, and had a fantastic day with Captain Patrick making eye patches, knotting ropes, making our own ink for treasure maps, being the ships doctor and even swabbing the deck!

We went on a treasure hunt, where we found not only gold but precious spices like pepper, and then we went through pirate bootcamp to see if we were worthy of joining Captain Patrick's crew.

We had an amazing, swashbuckling day!

Mrs Pywell & Ms Nunes – Reception Class Teachers



Cycle Training

This week, some of our Year 6 girls have been taking part in a Bikeability Training Course. The aim of this course is to enable the girls to become competent cyclists and prepare them for cycling on road.

The girls have all achieved either a level 1 or 2 Bikeability Certificate. Well done girls!



Year 1 Trip to the Zoo

This term we have been learning all about Kenya. Inspired by International Week we continued our Kenyan research as part of our Geography lessons in Year 1, and we visited London Zoo in search of some of the fascinating animals we have learnt about.

We saw lots of big beasts, creepy crawlies and happy hippos before taking part in a Colour, Pattern and Camouflage workshop. The children discussed how camouflage can help animals to catch their prey or avoid being eaten, and how some animals have bright colours to stand out as a warning or to find their friends. After eating lunch with the penguins, we continued on our tour before having a much deserved play in the adventure park.

We had a fantastic day and all of the children behaved impeccably.

Thank you to all of the parents that volunteered to help us.

Mr Burke and Mr Artur – Year 1



REMINDERS

- **Year 1 Coffee Morning** – Our Coffee Morning for Year 1 Parents has been re-scheduled for **Thursday 14th June** from 9.00-9.30am in the Arts Hall. We look forward to seeing you all there!
- **Message from Parents' Link** – Any donations of new and unused toys for the Summer Fair tombola would be greatly appreciated. Please leave donations on the right hand side of the stage in the Main Hall. Thank you.

Dates for your diary - Please note that dates/timings are subject to change and additions

Date	Event
Tuesday 12 th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Nursery Class Assembly● Vision Screening (Reception to Year 2)● Year 5 Inter-School Mathematics Competition – pm
Thursday 14 th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Coffee Morning for Year 1 Parents – 9.00-9.30am in the Arts Hall – new date● Transport for London visiting to talk to Year 6 children – am
Friday 15 th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● KS2 Sports Day – am● NO Mass

Tuesday 19 th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 2 Class Assembly – 9.00am • Year 6 Inter-School Mathematics Competition – pm
Thursday 21 st June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 5 & 6 Retreat – Please note date change
Friday 22 nd June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coffee Morning for Year 6 Parents – 9.00-9.30am in the Arts Hall • EYFS & KS1 Sports Day – am • Mass led by Year 4 – 2.15pm
Saturday 23 rd June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parents' Link Summer Fair – 12.30-3.00pm
Tuesday 26 th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whole School Photograph • Parents' Link and Class Rep 'Thank You' Tea – 2.30pm in the Main Hall
Wednesday 27 th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • KS2 End of Year Production for Year 3 & 4 Parents
Thursday 28 th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optional later start of 10.00am for KS2 children and siblings • Year 1 ICT Trip • KS2 End of Year Production for Year 5 & 6 Parents
Friday 29 th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optional later start of 10.00am for KS2 children and siblings • Mass – 2.15pm
Monday 2 nd July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NO CLUBS THIS WEEK • Class Change Over and new pupils' visit • New Nursery Parents Meeting – 6.15pm
Tuesday 3 rd July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ABRSM Music Exams – all day
Wednesday 4 th July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prize-Giving (KS2 Parents) – 1.45pm
Friday 6 th July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 6 Leavers' Mass – 11.00am • SCHOOL ENDS AT 12 NOON FOR THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS
Tuesday 4 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • STAFF INSET • Parent/Teacher Meetings (Parents only) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 9.30am Reception Classes - 10.00am Year 1 & Year 2 Classes - 10.30am Year 3 & Year 4 Classes - 11.00am Year 5 & Year 6 Classes
AUTUMN TERM 2018 Wednesday 5 th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CHILDREN RETURN

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