

NEWSLETTER



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Term 2: Week 2022

Rainbow Award Winners

Reception – Abigail Bishop

Year 1 – Edward Neal

Year 2 – Maybelle Mercer

Year 3 – Oscar Pilliner



Year 4 – Freddie Cornwall

Year 5 – Lacey Stephen

Year 6 – Harry Standing

School Calendar Dates

Friday 4th – 9am Annual General Meeting of the Friends of Meads Association

Wednesday 9th November – 9am Open Day for Prospective Parents

Thursday 10th November – 2pm & 6pm Open Day for Prospective Parents

Tuesday 22nd November Mufti Day for the Christmas Fayre

Saturday 26th November 1pm to 4.30pm – Christmas Fayre

This Week's House Points Winners –

Celebration Assembly

Wow - so much enthusiasm, responsibility and perseverance to celebrate this week!

Well done to...

Our **Artists of the week**: Alessio, Matthew, Daniel, Charlie, Athena and Hollie.

Mathletics Award winners: Oscar, Tristan, Olive, Aban, Kossay, Elliott, Amelia, Grace and Molly.

Spanish superstars of the week: Kai, Olivia, Ana, Lilliwen.

Times Tables / Number Club Award winners: Oscar, William, Theo, Ana, Anne, Rupert, Lilliwen, Timmy, Henry, Declan, Rory, James and Matthew.

Lexia Certificate Winners: Sam, Jonah, Rory, Henry, Alessio, Aban, Rory, Bertie, Eli, Alice, Olivia, Athos, Eli, Niamh, Huxley, James, Theo, Zerya and Kossay.

Out of school certificates for Amelia (swimming), Athos (karate) and Felicity (caring for the community by doing a litter pick)! We are so proud of you all!

Farewell Mrs Newton-Brown, we will miss you!

It was a bitter sweet day this Thursday as Lisa Newton-Brown starts her retirement and looks forward to her next adventure. Possibly in the garden, maybe with a new dog, starring on Strictly?

She was showered with gifts and well wishes from the children and families, governors, the whole staff team and everyone who has worked with her.

Mrs Newton-Brown came to work at St John's Meads as a Teaching Assistant in 1995 before becoming School Secretary and most recently Office Manager. She has been an integral member of the team ever since and is universally loved by all for her knowledge, unflinching calmness in a crisis, her kindness and empathy, her sense of humour and her unwavering support for the school and its community these 27 years.

We will all miss her greatly and wish her the very happiest of retirements. She will still be coming in to school to read with the children and volunteer where needed so you will still be able to see her here and there.



Mrs Newton-Brown asked us to send her heartfelt thanks to all the families, governors, friends, team members of St John's past and present for their wonderful gifts, cards and messages on her retirement.

FMSA Christmas Fayre 2022

There will be a mufti day ahead of the school fayre this year. Please bring in chocolate and Bottle Tombola donations.

22nd November Mufti Day

26th November 2pm till 4:30pm Christmas Fayre

FRIENDS

THE FRIENDS OF ST JOHN'S MEADS SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAYRE

Crafts GAMES *Mulled Wine*
Santa's Grotto ENTERTAINMENT **Cake Tombola**
RAFFLE *and much more!*

Adults £1
Children Free

Saturday 26th November
14:00 - 16:30PM

Money raised will go towards Refurbishing the School Library

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ELFRIDGES
We are please asking for donations of WRAPPING PAPER and GOOD QUALITY GIFTS suitable for adults and children.
This is for our Elfridges event were children can buy and wrap a gift.
Please leave donations in the Friends box by reception.

-WANTED-
TEDDIES
The Friends need good quality teddy bears to help with fundraising.
Donation box by reception.
*** Thank you ***

BOOK DRIVE
Do you have any nice quality children's books you can donate?
Please leave donations in the Friends box by reception.
thank you.