NEWSLETTER



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Term 2: Week 3 & 4 2022

14th November – 25th November 2022

Rainbow Award Winners

Reception – Angus Farley

Year 1 - Sebastian Lawrence

Year 2 - Samuel Aston

Year 3 - William Marsh



Year 4 - Amelie Plagado

Year 5 - Elise Vine

Year 6 - Joshua King

This Week's House Points Winners – TOPAZ

School Calendar Dates

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

Wednesday 7th December –9am & 2.30pm Reception Christmas Sing

Friday 9th December - 2.30pm Parent Coffee Afternoon

Tuesday 13th 2.30pm December KS1 Nativity

Wednesday 14th 9am December KS1 Nativity

Wednesday 14th December Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Lunch

Thursday 15th December Christmas Service at St John's Church

INSET DAY 16th December

17th December Last Day of Term

INSET DAY 3rd January 2023

4th January First Day of Term 3

Celebration Assembly

An important part of our school vision is "celebrating success in its many forms, and overcoming challenges", and so we love Friday's many celebrations.

Rainbow Awards went to Angus, Sebastian, Samuel, William, Amelie, Elise and Josh. Lexia superstars were Emerson, Yasmin, Charlie, Rocco, Coco, Grace, Athena, Felicity, Myles and Eleni! All children who completed additional Lexia were awarded house points.

Spanish stars of the week were Flora, Niamh, Elliott, Rory, Finlay and Amelie!

Swimming awards went to Owen, Daniel, Kai, Luka, Max, Priya, Aidan, Timmy and Sophia! There were an incredible number of Mathletics, Time Tables and Number Fact certificates too - very impressive effort!

House point winners were Topaz, go Topaz! Well done everyone, keep up the good work

Ice Rink Colouring Competition

Well done to Mila (Y2) and Alice (Y5) For coming 1st and 2nd in the Ice Rink colouring competition winning a free family ticket to go Ice Skating also a special mention to Lenny (R), Eliam (R), Sophia (5) and Gracie (5) for being runners up.

Achievements Outside of School



Congratulations to Sam (Y6) who was recently invested in 1st Meads Scout Group!

A big well done to Amelia for earning her Children in Need 2022 badge! Amelia did a good deed every day for two weeks!



Roman Day

Year 3 had a great day on Thursday 24th learning all about the Romans. We loved seeing them dressed up and it was great to be able to welcome in their parents for a class presentation at the end of the day - as well as a cup of tea and a treat of Roman biscuits that the children had baked!

Eastbourne Youth Radio

Year 6 were live on the radio on Friday 18th in the morning! 12 pupils from Year 6 were chosen at random to represent St John's Meads at Eastbourne Youth Radio.

They went live from 9am to 10am, read a script including interviews with Elaine from the Fire Service and Mr Ashwood, and played songs chosen by the children who weren't able to take part in person.

The children overcame nerves and excitement, did incredibly well and presented clearly and confidently!

There may be some future radio/TV presenters in the making! The recording of the show will be available to listen to on www.eyr.org.uk. Well done to all of Year 6!

Christmas Fayre

26th November 14:00 - 16:30

We are looking forward to seeing lots of you at the school Christmas fayre on Saturday. It is a lot of fun and a great way to get us all in the Christmas spirit.

As always The Friends have put in a monumental effort to make it happen and we are grateful for their hard work and tireless enthusiasm for raising funds that directly benefit the children at St John's Meads throughout the year.



Please do come along and show your support by joining in with the games, visiting Father Christmas in his grotto and taking home some tasty treats.



You can still PRE-BOOK TICKETS for the Christmas Fayre and Grotto here: https://bit.ly/3DNxISf