



St John Vianney Catholic School

Newsletter

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"Everything we can be, with Christ in our hearts."

One More Step Along the
World I Go



And it's from the old I travel to the new, keep me travelling along with you.

If you're familiar with the brilliant hymn, 'One more step along the world I go', you will know it is sung when there are major changes in our lives; when we leave the old behind, and look forward to new challenges.

While we are not quite ready to move on, this last few weeks we have been thinking about the challenges that this will bring, and how we will face them. At Friday's assembly, the children discovered who their new teachers will be for next year, and were able to have some time with them to get to know each other better and to start the process of moving on!

We talked about who can help us along the way, and about how Jesus helped the Disciples when they became afraid when he said that he would be leaving them. He gave them the gift of the Holy Spirit to give them confidence; to guide them; to help them face new challenges.

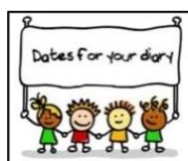
There are lots of things to look forward to – new experiences, new adventures, new lessons to learn – and, even if we are feeling a bit nervous, we can remember that God goes with us wherever we go so we will not be alone.

Dear Lord,

Thank you that, wherever we go and whatever we do, you are always with us.

As we get ready to move to our new classes and new schools, we'd like to thank you for all the happy memories and all the lessons we have learned and all the good times we've had. Thank you that we do not leave you behind, but you will be with us on the next part of our journey. Amen.

- Wed Jun 28th – Meeting for NEW Nursery parents 7pm)
- Fri Jun 30th – Reception Class Assembly
- Wed Jul 5th – Choir at the Water City Signing Festival; Y6 Transition Day (St. Thomas More & APS)
- Thu Jul 6th – Y6 Reconciliation Retreat
- Fri Jul 7th – Y5 Reconciliation Retreat
- **Sat Jul 8th – Friends of SJV Summer Fair**
- Tue Jul 11th – EYFS Sports Day (AM)
- Wed Jul 12th - Infant Sports Day
- Thu Jul 13th – Year 6 Leavers' Performance (9am & 6:30pm)
- Fri Jul 14th – Fun and Fitness Assembly; Junior Sports Day; Reports Sent to Parents
- Tue Jul 18th – Year 6 Leavers' Mass (7pm in the school)
- Wed Jul 19th – End of Year Mass (10am school hall)
- **Fri Jul 21 –End of Term: School closes 1:15pm**



Dates for the Summer Term

Please make a note of
these dates and events in
your diary:



Please may I make a personal plea on behalf of the Friends of SJV? I am witnessing a huge amount of effort from a small-but-dedicated group of parents, and I would dearly love to see their efforts rewarded. They, like you and I, want the best for our school, and they need your support.

PLEASE READ (AND ACT ON) THE REMINDERS AND REQUESTS IN THIS NEWSLETTER! IF WE ALL DO A LITTLE, SO MUCH CAN BE ACHIEVED.



**St John Vianney
Primary School**

SUMMER Fair



Saturday 8th July

1pm – 4pm

Stanley Rd, West Green, N15 3HD

Bouncy Castle
Face Painting
BBQ

Taxi Photo Booth
Candy Floss
Slushies

Prosecco Bar
Ice Cream
Cakes

Int'l Food Stalls
Raffle
And more...

Entrance £1



Summer Fair 2017

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Weeks To Go



Dear Parents/Carers,

This week we are asking you to contribute to the 'Pamper' tombola. This could be a bar of soap, a little perfume or aftershave, some nail varnish or even a sponge. The more imaginative the better.

Please return your pamper to the school by **Friday June 30th**.

Remember, all proceeds from the Summer Fair help to support your children throughout the school year, please do your best to bring as many people as you can.

Best wishes,

The Friends

Summer Fair 2017

Jar & Bottle Tombola
Reminder

Dear Parents/Carers,

July 8th is approaching fast and we really need your help and co-operation over the next few weeks to make sure our summer fair is a memorable day out for the entire community and a profitable one for the school.

We are going to be running two tombola's during the course of the day and would greatly appreciate it if every family could donate an item towards each one over the next two weeks.

This week we are asking you to contribute to the 'Jar and Bottle' tombola. This simply means that you send in a full, unused, jar or bottle to the school by **AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!!**

The jar or bottle may contain anything you like from olives to pickles to perfume to sweets to toy soldiers, the more unusual the better!

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Best wishes,

The Friends



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Raffle Tickets

Dear Parents/Carers,

Every other year we hold a raffle in conjunction with the summer fair to raise money for the school. We have been very lucky once again this year to have been generously supported by local shops, restaurants and cafes. We also have prizes on offer from major London theatres and tourist attractions. A lot of hard work has gone in to securing a large number of prizes for the raffle so now it is over to you to help us find them a home.

We are asking all the families of the school to help us sell as many raffle tickets as possible. You have been given 5 books of tickets to start you off which we hope you can sell to your aunts, uncles, cousins, neighbours, work colleagues etc. At only **50p per ticket (£2.50 per book)** they are an absolute bargain. More tickets are available at the office, just drop in and ask for some. **There will be a prize for the family who can sell the most tickets.**

Please return all ticket stubs, money and unsold tickets to the office by **Friday June 30th**. The raffle will be drawn at the fair on July 8th at 15:00.

Please return unsold tickets as soon as possible.

Thank you once again for all your kind support,

With best regards,



SJV'S GOT TALENT!

Calling all singers, dancers, poets, actors and any other kind of budding entertainer!

Would your child like to take part in our own talent spectacular, on stage at the Summer Fair? If so, your child just needs to give their name to their teacher **NOW** along with a description of what they would like to do (your child should have recently received a letter home).



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Year 6 Junior Citizens

Part of moving onto secondary school is developing the ability to look after oneself and to become more independent. The police, fire service, health service and transport for London teamed up to give the Year 6s of Haringey a crash course in just that. Important life skills, learned in a fun and hands-on way.



Reception – On Tour!

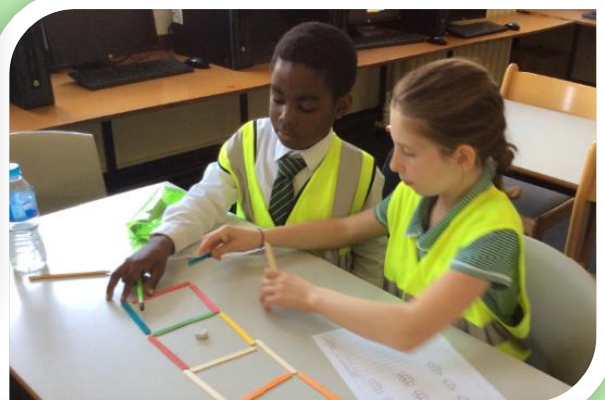
Today marked a momentous milestone in Reception Class's SJV journey, when they, I should say 'we', as I was an honorary Reception Team Member today, ventured out on a school trip!

We toddled off to the Bernie Grant Arts Centre and enjoyed a truly delightful Musical Jamboree, featuring one of my firm favourites: We're Going on a Bear Hunt. What a lovely way to spend a Friday afternoon, and what GREAT company!

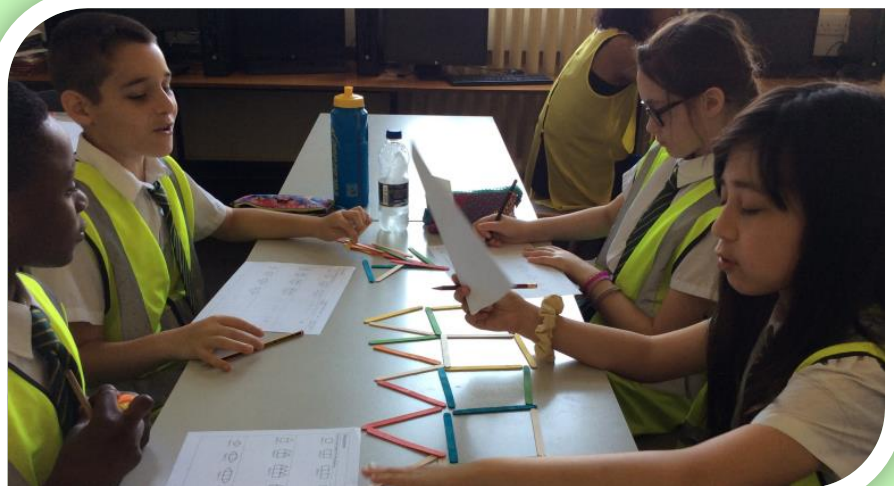
On the way back, I picked an appropriate spot for a Team Photo (I LOVE TOTTENHAM!). Thanks for having me, Reception Class!



St. Thomas More Taster Day for Year 5



Class 5 visited St. Thomas More Secondary School for a taste of what life is like in 'big' school! They enjoyed advanced maths, science and a good old fashioned bounce on the PE department's trampolines. Looks like fun!



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Free!

Lights! Camera! Action!

By Harry Porter



Winner, winner, chicken dinner! If there's a prize going...

Year 5 and 6 rolled out the red carpet this week, when they went to Alexandra Palace (Ally Pally to you and met) to take part in the BAFTA Kids event. They got a sneak look behind the scenes of TV World, looking at some of the technologies that are used in TV programmes today.

The sun shone (quite a lot) on their day, and they were able to enjoy the unique panoramic views of London from the Ally Pally grounds.



Top of the world!



Kids

And the winner is....

Can you see your house from here?

Moving On!

This Friday, the children found out which classes and teachers they'd be moving onto next year. While Year 6 are working their way through Secondary school visits and transitions, the rest of us are already planning for next year. The children had an opportunity today to spend some time with their new teachers, helping them remove any anxiety they may have – they really have nothing to worry about; the teachers here are the best!

As preparation, we have been thinking about emotions, and emotional wellbeing for the last couple of weeks. We have talked about how ALL feelings and emotions are important, even the so-called 'negative' ones. They all play a part in shaping who we become and how we develop.

The children shared some beautiful work at assembly this morning before hearing the big news!



Class 1: Ms. Collins



Class 2: Ms. Holden



Class 3: Ms. Burry



Class 4: Ms. Ali and Ms. Giltinan



Class 5: Ms. Milonas and Ms. Hulbert



Class 6: Mr. Quin and Ms. Kennedy



Reception Class & Ms. O'Donnell



And finally...Ms. Agu & Ms. Duah: Nursery

