



St John Vianney Catholic School

Newsletter

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Please Help Us Reclaim Our Area

This week, some of you have shared your concern and horror about some of the anti-social behaviour that is happening around our perimeter – front and back. I have personally had to clear up the area alongside our football pitch this week, and have been disgusted by what I have had to pick up. I have had reports from parents about suspicious dealings near to the school, and this morning we removed a discarded bag of drugs, literally from the entrance to our school.

We have reported our growing concerns, numerous times, via 101, 999 and to the Local Authority, and still nothing tangible has changed.

We are a school, and we carry a precious commodity – we cannot wait until something serious happens for those that are charged with protecting us to act.

I am asking you all to lend your voices to ours, and to our local, law-abiding residents. Report what you see; report your concerns; report it to the police and to the Local Authority. Help us to make this area and this school a safe, vibrant place in which to live and learn. We do not ask for much in asking for this.

Reminders

Please remember: if your child has been sick, or has had diarrhoea, they need to stay off 48 hours **after**, so that the issue has had a full chance to clear. Returning your child too early, as has happened recently, puts others at risk of sickness – you can imagine how quickly a problem like this spreads in our environment.

Thank you for your understanding in this important matter.

Dates:

- Fri 25th May – Staff Training Day (School Closed)
- Mon May 28th to Fri 31st May – Half Term
- Mon Jun 4th – School starts for the second half of the Summer Term
- Fri 8th Jun – Friends of SJV meeting @ 9am
- Fri 22nd Jun – Year 1 Spirituality Assembly; Friends of SJV 'Healthy Friday' 3:30pm
- Fri 29th Jun – Reception Class Assembly
- Fri 6th Jul – Year 2 Assembly; Friends of SJV Ice Cream Sale 3:30pm
- Sat 7th Jul – Friends of SJV International Summer Picnic
- Fri 13th Jul – Friends of SJV Ice Cream Sale 3:30pm
- Mon 16th Jul – Year 6 Leavers' Mass
- Fri 20th Jul – School closes for the Summer at 1:15pm (NO after school club)



A HUGE 'Well Done' to our brilliant Y6s this week for completing their SATs – they showed great maturity, perseverance and attitude. We are very proud of you all!



The SJV Daily News

Friday 18th May 2018

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Free

Harry and Megan Visit SJV!

"These guys know how to party!" (Megan)

A Right Royal Knees-Up

Taking time before their big day tomorrow, Harry and Megan visited Nursery today to give the Royal seal of approval to their Royal Wedding party!

Megan could be seen tucking into the cucumber sandwiches, while Harry couldn't resist a boogie on the dancefloor, showing his newly perfected 'floss' moves.

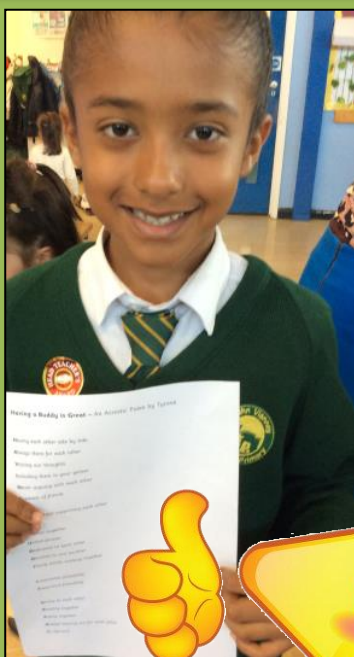
It still left time for a visit to the staffroom, and a spot of fish and chips, before getting the 141 back to Windsor! All the best for the big day...





STARS OF THE WEEK

THE FORCE IS STRONG IN THESE ONES...



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The Miraculous Medal Liturgy

Once again, our wonderful Year 4 Buddies have shown that they are true friends to our Reception class. As is tradition, Reception are 'confirmed' as members of the SJV community, in the Month of May, by receiving a Miraculous Medal from their Buddy. It is a heart-warming ceremony and one that make us all proud of our new friends.



Mary is standing upon a globe, crushing the head of a serpent beneath her foot. She stands upon the globe, as the Queen of Heaven and Earth. Her feet crush the serpent to proclaim Satan and all his followers are helpless before her (Gn 3:15). The year of 1830 on the Miraculous Medal is the year the Blessed Mother gave the design of the Miraculous Medal to Saint Catherine Labouré.



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Junior DISCO





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If you go down in the woods today...
Your might come across one of these delectable gingerbread houses! Class 1's models, based on the Hansel and Gretel fairy tale, looked, smelled and probably tasted wonderful!





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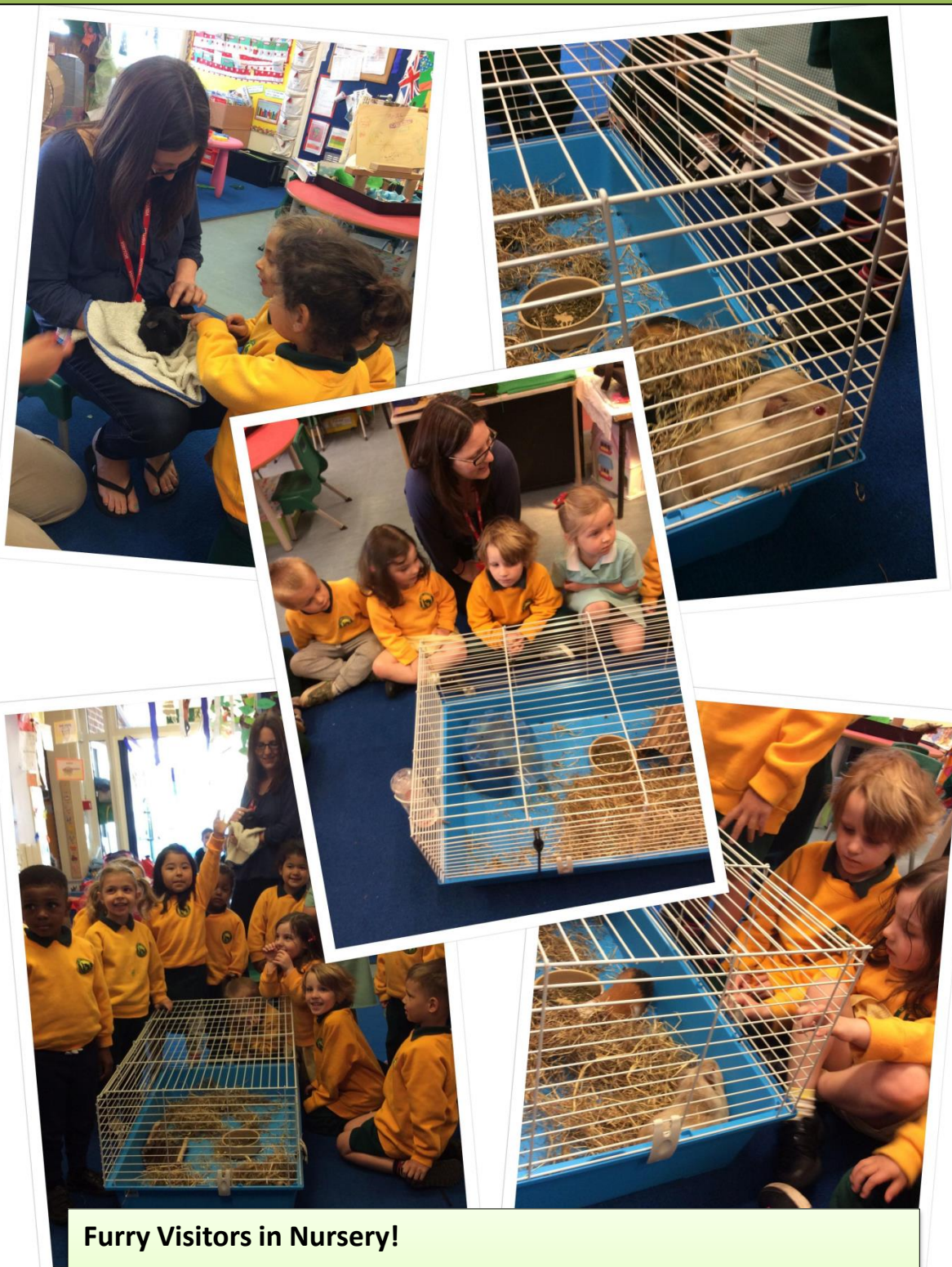


Golf Masters

Our Year 6s unwound today, after a hard week of SATs tests, and played a little golf! And why not? Something different, and they did really well, finishing 4th overall. Fantastic effort



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Furry Visitors in Nursery!

Nursery have had one of the most exciting days ever! Not only did they meet Harry and Megan, but they got to meet 3 beautiful hamsters, up close and personal! Thanks to Ms. Clarke for bringing these lovely animals to meet the children!