



St John Vianney Catholic School

Newsletter

Edition: 2018-19 / 113 (19th July 2019)

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



Where did THAT year go?

2018-19 will soon become 2019-20 and another year is put to bed! And what a year! Again! I'm running out of ways of saying how proud I am to lead this community and of how proud I am of the achievements of our staff and our children. A brief glance at our end of year results in this newsletter will tell you that our children's achievements are outstanding. But...that's not just it. It never is. Take a look at the photos too, and they'll tell you that they are happy here. In these photos you will see children full of fun and life and a willingness to learn. Hat's off to you, parents, our staff, the Parish team, the Governors and... the children.

Job done? I think so – until September...God bless.





THANK YOU

Dear Parents, Carers, Children and Family Friends,

Thank you so much for your incredibly kind support and all your donations to the St. John Vianney School Summer Fair. Together with you, the children and the local community, we made the fair a massive success. We managed to raise approximately £5,500 (total amount after all expenses will be confirmed after summer holiday) - lots of much needed money to complete the project of our infant and junior playground.

Your hard work during the summer fair, discos, infant/junior party, healthy event, quiz night, Easter raffle and cake sales has been greatly received and appreciated, and on behalf of all the Friends Association we thank you very much indeed!
We hope to see you all at the Quiz night next year :-))

A huge thank you to all the parents, teachers and children who made the summer fair entertainment exciting and fun for all- the lovely voices of the choirs, fabulous singers, exercise/dance groups and class 6 and the everyone who ran sports activities during the fair. We wish all class 6 leavers the very best in their new secondary schools and hope to see you back for visits to St John Vianney School soon. Please stay in touch.

It was an amazing and busy year for the Friends and we are now looking forward to a well deserved break!

We wish you the very best and hope you have a wonderful summer!

Kindest Regards

The Friends' Association of St John Vianney Primary School

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KS2 - Meeting KS2 Standard

	Met Standard	Met Standard	Met Standard
	2017	2018	2019
RWM Combined	81%	77%	77%
<i>National</i>	61%	64%	65%
Reading	85%	77%	80%
<i>National</i>	72%	75%	73%
Writing	96%	83%	87%
<i>National</i>	76%	78%	78%
Maths	96%	90%	97%
<i>National</i>	75%	75%	79%
Sp, Punc & Gram	100%	90%	97%
<i>National</i>	77%	78%	78%

KS2 - Exceeding KS2 Standard

	Greater Depth	Greater Depth	Greater Depth
	2017	2018	2019
RWM Combined	21%	30%	23%
<i>National</i>	9%	10%	11%
Reading	25%	33%	37%
<i>National</i>	25%	28%	27%
Writing	25%	37%	30%
<i>National</i>	15%	20%	20%
Maths	43%	47%	50%
<i>National</i>	23%	23%	27%
Sp, Punc & Gram	39%	53%	43%
<i>National</i>	31%	34%	36%



KS1 - Meeting Standard

	Met Standard	Met Standard	Met Standard
	2017	2018	2019
Reading	87%	83%	87%
<i>National</i>	76%	76%	75%
Writing	87%	80%	80%
<i>National</i>	68%	70%	69%
Maths	87%	83%	82%
<i>National</i>	75%	76%	76%

KS1 - Exceeding Standard

	Greater Depth	Greater Depth	Greater Depth
	2017	2018	2019
Reading	37%	33%	40%
<i>National</i>	25%	26%	25%
Writing	23%	27%	33%
<i>National</i>	19%	16%	15%
Maths	30%	33%	27%
<i>National</i>	25%	22%	22%

EYFS - Achieving a Good Level of Development

	GLD	GLD	GLD
	2017	2018	2019
GLD	73%	80%	76%
<i>National</i>	71%	72%	72%



KS1 - Phonics Screening

	Pass	Pass	Pass
	2017	2018	2019
Phonics	89%	93%	87%
<i>National</i>	82%	83%	83%



The SJV Daily News

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40 Glorious Years!

Mrs. Rowley Retires after a Life of Service!



Goodbye and good luck...but come back and see us!

The school this week said an emotional farewell to Mrs. Rowley. She has been a part of the school fabric since 1978 (when I was in Year 6!) and has cared for thousands of children along the way. Each and every one of them (1,200 give or take) will remember her with fondness for the service and care she has given to them. Staff too will miss her terribly – the longest serving member of staff, she has seen others come and go, she has seen Headteachers come and go and she has been a constant for 4 decades.

We will all have our special memories of Delores, and we all wish her well in her retirement – she deserves a break! We have insisted she come back and help out with a reader or two; you can't just walk away after 40 years! Goodbye and all best wishes from all at SJV!

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Class of 2019

Goodbye and Good Luck!

New friends and new places to see!

As the now traditional song says, "Tell everybody I'm on my way, and I'm loving every step I take!"

Year 6 signed off this week with a series of events, starting with a lovely Leavers' Mass on Monday. Fr. Joe celebrated with us the children reflected on what made them 'Joyful'. Simple things like...time to be alone, having a lie-in, the colour purple and...watching Spurs win! These vignettes revealed a great deal and, when the children shared their thank-you letters with their families, it made for a evening of depth and joy.

Well done Team 6! You have come so far and have added so much to our school. We will miss you, but we know that you will be fine next year. You've earned your place with your hard work, attitude and the myriad things that make up your wonderful personalities! Joyfully forward...





Sister Act – Back in the Habit!

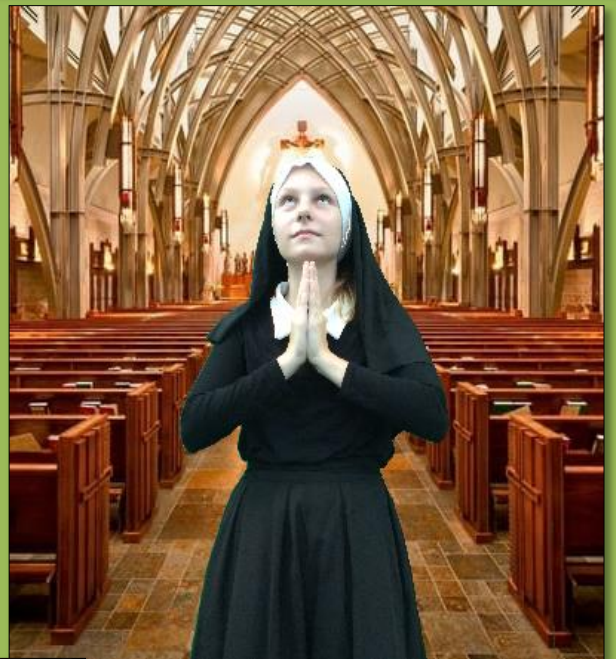
The Year 6 production this year was another spectacular and joyous all-singing-all-dancing extravaganza! Wonderful performances from a group at the peak of their powers! Congratulations and well done to Ms. Kavanagh, Ms. Griffin and Mr. Quin for getting the best out of our cast!



SISTER ACT







I want to be brave,
 I want to be strong.
 I want to believe
 I'm where I belong.
 To stand up and say
 "I'm seizing the day"
 To not just obey, but to
 choose...

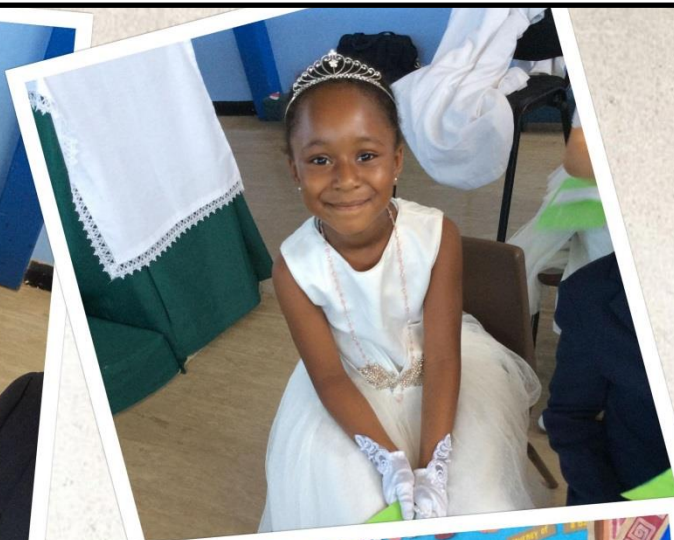


Puppetry performance

The children were treated to a magical day of puppetry performance from the world famous Little Angel Theatre Company. Thanks to...the Friends of SJV

Communion Mass

Year 3 looked splendid as they led the celebrations in our end of year mass. Their communion outfits were magnificent!



Football Competition

The girls and boys of SJV pitted their skills against their counterparts at St. Mary's this week. A brilliant morning of football ended with the girls winning the girls' competition and St. Mary's winning the boys'. An amical outcome to a great morning!







Teachers Win! At last...

The teachers were in no mood to be charitable this year in the annual leavers' rounders match (booooo!). They made their advantage tell as they inflicted the first defeat on SJV year 6s in recent years!



Peace Cup

SJV's annual football tournament, designed to include all and to teach sportsmanship, was held this week. Hotly contested, but marked by an absence of tantrums and sulking! Great tradition!



Sibling Group: Our sibling group this week treated themselves to a McDonald's lunch after a good year!



Author! Author!: This brilliant group of year 5s have written an ending to Roald Dahl's unfinished novel 'The White House' – you can't see the joins! Wonderful stuff...

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17th July 2019

Dear parents,

FIXED PENALTY NOTICE ADVICE TO PARENTS

With the academic year drawing to a close, the Local Authority has instructed us to restate the collective position on pupil attendance.

There is a very clear and demonstrable link between good attendance at school and good educational outcomes. To ensure pupils receive a full-time education, we work in partnership with Haringey Council to monitor attendance on a regular basis.

We have been advised that, from September 2019, should your child be absent for unauthorised reasons for **3 days or more within a 6-week period**, you may be issued with a Fixed Penalty Notice by Haringey Council. This is a penalty of £120, payable for each of your children that have been absent from school. The penalty is payable by each parent. This means that you and your partner will have to pay the penalty. If it is paid within 21 days, the amount is reduced to £60 per penalty notice.

This year, we have noticed a pattern of sick days occurring immediately before or after a school holiday. In such cases, evidence may be required by the school in order to mark your child's absence as authorised. Evidence can take the form of a GP appointment card, a medicine label, a note from the pharmacist, or a hospital/dentist appointment letter.

The Local Authority is clear on this matter and is acting to address a growing problem across the borough. Ofsted too will be inspecting robustly to ensure that the school is doing everything it can to ensure that positive attendance contributes to strong outcomes.

Thank you in advance for supporting the school to ensure excellent school attendance.

Yours faithfully,

Stephen McNicholas
Headteacher

Haringey Local Authority – Attendance and Unauthorised Absences

You will have received a copy of the above letter, outlining Haringey's tougher stance on unauthorised term time absences. Please understand the school's position on this – it is clearly our responsibility to ensure that children attend every possible day.



STARS OF THE WEEK

THE FORCE IS STRONG IN THESE ONES...



12th July 2019



celebrate!



HAPPY
BIRTHDAY





**Goodbye and
Good Luck to
Ms. Milonas and
Ms. Sinclair!**

Key Dates:



Term Dates 2019-20



	Start	End
Autumn 1	Tuesday 3 rd September	Friday 18 th October
<i>Half Term</i>	<i>Monday 21st October</i>	<i>Friday 25th October</i>
Autumn 2	Tuesday 29 th October	Friday 20 th December
<i>Christmas Holiday</i>	<i>Monday 23rd December</i>	<i>Friday 3rd January</i>

Activities for children and young people

July - September 2019

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look online for any late holiday entries at
www.haringey.gov.uk/holidayfun



£1 under 16 swim entry for
Tottenham Green and Park Road
Pools & Fitness (lido excluded)



Activities for the Summer Holidays!

- [Click HERE to access the full booklet](#)
- Lots of ideas for days out and activities in the local area over the summer holidays.

HOLIDAY cycle Training

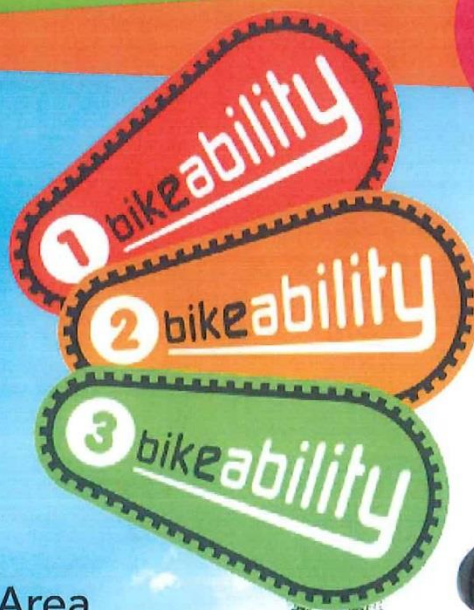
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Finsbury Park

Ball Games Area
Tuesday 30 July to
Friday 2 August,
10am to 2.30pm

Priory Park

Priory Park, Tarmac Area
Tuesday 6 August to Friday
9 August, 10am to 2.30pm



Contact Cycle Confident
on 020 3031 6730
www.cycleconfident.com

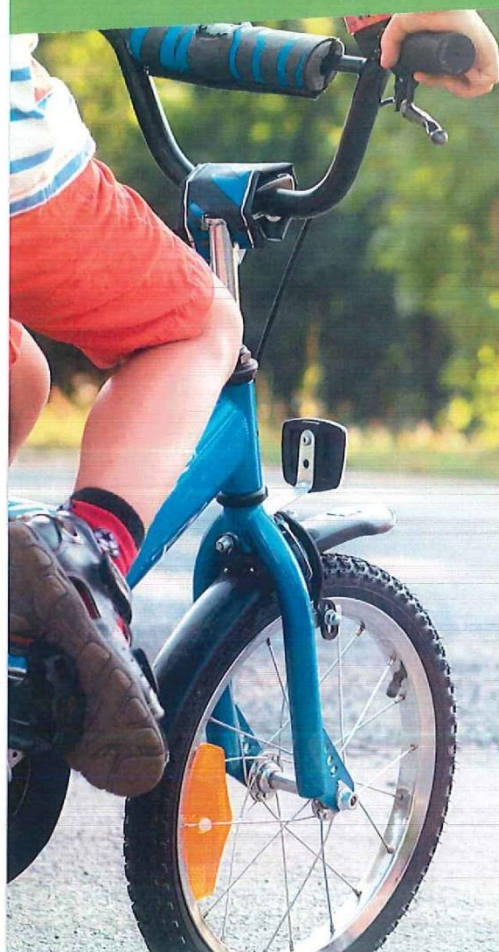
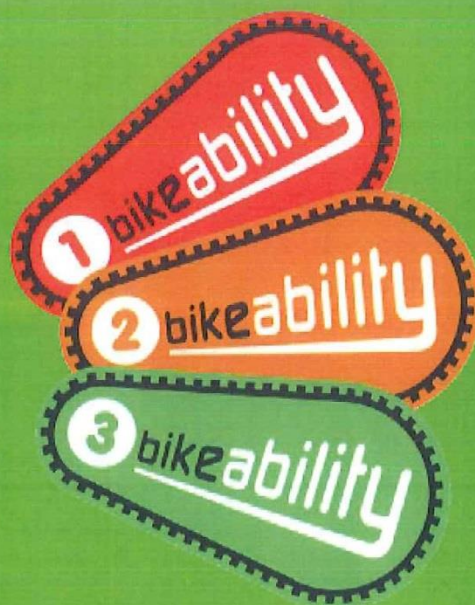
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Bikeability

FREE Holiday & Half Term Cycling Courses

Cycle to school with confidence! These courses, aimed at School Year 5 and above, are designed to give trainees the skills needed to start cycling, and when old enough, to make a journey to and from school on quiet roads.



All trainees must have a signed and completed consent form.

Trainees must have a roadworthy bicycle.

Helmets worn at parental discretion.
Hi Viz tops supplied.

Trainees leave the park and go on road with the instructors during the course.

All instructors are DBS checked.
Bikeability Certificates and Badges are awarded to trainees who successfully complete the course.



ST. JOHN VIANNEY NURSERY APPLICATIONS ~ SEPTEMBER 2019

If your child was born between **1st September 2015** and **31st August 2016** and you wish to apply for a Nursery place in September 2019 at St John Vianney School, please come and collect an application pack from the school office.

We offer FREE 15 or 30hour (if eligible) spaces.

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