St John's Primary School Weekly Newsletter

Friday 12th September Headteacher: Mr M Harrison email:admin@sjsmacc.cheshire.sch.uk

https://www.stjohnsschoolmacclesfield.org

September/October

Friday 3rd October. Sweet Cup fundraising event

Thursday 9th. Reading information event. 3.30-4.30.

Tuesday 14th. Harvest Service. 9.00-10.00.

Wednesday 15th. Manor residential information. 5.30-6.30pm.

Thursday 16th. Reading information event. 5.30-6.30.

Wednesday 22nd. Parents evening. 3.30-6.00.

Thursday 23rd. Parents evening. 3.30-6.00.

Thursday 23rd. Coffee morning – pastoral support. 9.00-10.00

Friday 24th. Break the rules fundraising day.

Friday 31st. Deadline for high school applications

November/December

Wednesday 5th Nov. Y6 residential (3 days).

Wednesday 10th Dec. Y3/4 Nativity Play. 9.30. Thursday 11th. Y3/4 Nativity Play. 2.30. Friday 12th. Book and a biscuit. 2.45. Tuesday 16th. Whole school panto trip.

Thursday 18th. KS1 carol service. 9.30.

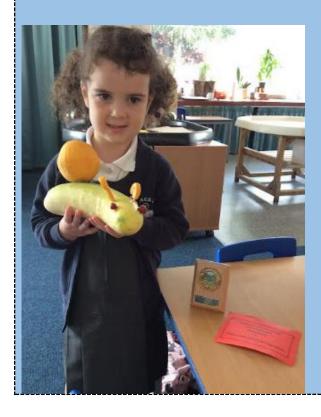
Pupil News

We have been all getting used to our new classes and routines this week. There have been lots of changes around the school so it has taken some getting used to but things are running smoothly.

Some of the extra-curricular clubs have started which has been really fun.

In collective worship we have been thinking about how there are so many different people in our school which make up the school family. We tried to count them all but lost count there were so many! However, when we work together then we can achieve the school vision of 'making a difference in the world.'

Check out Croia's award winning snail made from fruit and vegetables below.





Parent support

Visyon offer lots of support to parents. Please check out their website for details of courses available to support your children across a wide range of needs.

https://www.visyon.org.uk/parents

Operation Encompass

St John's is an operation encompass school. This means that we work jointly with police. If the police visit you for any reason, then they will automatically let us know so that we can support you and help to keep everyone safe.

Coffee morning

Thank you to those who completed our survey about a coffee morning to share more on our pastoral support here at St John's.

Based on the responses we are planning on hosting a coffee morning on Thursday 23rd October at 9am straight after drop off.

We will share more details on the event nearer the time but please put it in your diaries.

I will leave the google form below open for one more week if you would like to complete for our planning.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeGca5I6 k8RoLuJLHPEzJle5m8hz23kuBpR_YjKO-PYdlGftQ/viewform?usp=header

Parent support

There are a number of drop in sessions available in Cheshire East. There is a summary below and you can find more information on the attached documents.

0-19+ SEND Drop in.

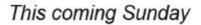
SEND 0-19+ health practitioners (On behalf of health visitor/school nursing service Cheshire East) for parents of children & Young people for support, signposting and guidance with all SEND related issues and helping to understand why your child may be struggling and ideas that may help. Think your child may have SEND and not sure where to go or what to do? Need support around toileting, sleep, behaviour or development – feel free to drop in for a chat.

Educational Psychology team Supporting Parents and Carers.

The Educational Psychology (EP) Service is offering appointments for parents and carers at Cheshire East Family Hubs, held every half term in both North and South localities. These informal sessions are an opportunity to discuss concerns, seek advice and explore strategies to support your child or young person. Our focus areas are **Cognition and Learning** and **SEMH (Social, Emotion and Mental Health)** needs. They are not sessions for local authority processes (e.g. EHCPs or placement changes) or child assessments.

<u>Talking Walk-in</u>- here you can talk to a Speech and language therapist to gain helpful hints and tips to support your child's speech and language.





Join us for worship, fun activities and food (drinks, croissants and bacon butties) in this very informal service





St John's Church 2nd Sunday of the Month 9.15 for 9.30am

All are welcome!





St John's Church, Wilwick Lane, Macclesfield SK11 8RS

Attendance

Attendance remains incredibly important. I am pleased that our overall attendance improved last year and I would like to keep that progress going this year.

There is a very clear effect on how well your child does in school and how often they attend. We will always do our best to help so please let us know if you are struggling.

If you child's attendance was	Your child will have lost	Or they would have missed	
	approximately	approximately	
95%	9 days from school	50 lessons	
90%	19 days from school	100 lessons	
85%	29 days from school	150 lessons	
80%	38 days from school	200 lessons	
75%	48 days from school	250 lessons	

PE timetable

These are the regular slots. Keep an eye on any emails from your teachers in the event of a change for a particular week.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
PE/Forest	Miss Williams	Mrs Walsh	Mrs Cole	Miss Williams	Mrs Walsh
School:					
	Mrs	Mrs Cole	Mrs Wilby	Mrs Johnson/Mrs	Mrs Wilby
Children to	Johnson/Mrs			Reed	
	Reed	Mrs Westerby	Mrs Arnold/Mrs		Miss Foster
dress in PE kit			Clark	Mrs Westerby	
on these	Mrs			,	Miss
days.	Arnold/Mrs		Miss Bartley/Miss		Bartley/Miss
	Clark		Teale		Teale
			Y4s swimming		

Extra curricular clubs SUMMER TERM

We keep a register of club attendance. In the event of over subscription for a club and names being pulled out of a hat we endeavour to ensure fairness by prioritising those who haven't been able to attend other clubs.

	Club	Leader	Year groups	Timing	How to sign up	
Monday						
Tuesday	Netball	Miss Foster	Y5/6	3.15-4.15	Complete a letter and hand back to Miss Foster	
	Gardening	Mrs Patterson	KS2	lunchtime	Expression of interest to staff	
Wednesday	Football	Mr Harrison	Y5/6	3.15-4.15	Complete a letter and hand back to Mr Harrison (starts w.c. 15.9.25)	
Thursday	Football	PFC	Y3-6	3.15-4.15	https://premier-football-coaching.classforkids.io/	
	Tag rugby	Mr Sivewright	Y5/6	3.15-4.15	Complete a new letter and hand back to Mr Sivewright	
Friday	Explore	Mrs Clark and Mrs Hawkyard	Y3-6	lunchtime	Expression of interest to staff	
	Street dance	Sylk Dance Academy	Y2-4	3.15-4.15	Sign up online: https://dancestudio-pro.com/online/classes.php?account_id=11199	
	Multi- sports	PFC	YR-6	3.15-4.15	https://premier-football-coaching.classforkids.io/	
Various	Mr Sivewright will also run Forest School clubs at lunch time depending on the weather and other events in school. This will be an offer open to those interested on the day.					