

Newsletter

Weekly Message from Mrs Clayton

Dear Parents,

Last week the Year 1 children had a thoroughly enjoyable morning with the team from Freshwater Theatre. They immersed themselves in The Fire of London and explored what it would have been like to have lived through it. The language development and learning opportunities were evident in their written work that followed the session, with the children producing some fantastic work.

I also spent some time in the Reception classes last week and I was so impressed with how their writing and reading is developing. It is a joy seeing children who come into school for the first time in September with little awareness of letters and sounds progressing to read and write simple sentences in a matter of months. It is one of the many joys of being a teacher! I wanted to thank you all for the hard work you do with your children at home to support us in this vital endeavour.

Wishing you all a good week ahead.

Next Week's Newsletter

As next Monday is a Bank Holiday, next week's newsletter will be available to read on Tuesday. Please see next week's menu on page 6 of this newsletter.



Special prayers from our children

Dear God,

Please help all the people who are less fortunate than me.

*Pray for the people who are in Heaven.
St Anne Line pray for us.*

Amen – (Aurelia - Owls)



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Lunch Menu This Week

Menu Week 1				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
CHOICE 1 Macaroni Cheese Garlic bread Broccoli florets	CHOICE 1 Beef Chilli (mild) Vegetable rice Steamed sweetcorn	CHOICE 1 Jerk Chicken Thighs Roast new potatoes Steamed carrots	CHOICE 1 Hot Dog Day Butchers Pork Sausage in a bun Nachos Fresh salad	CHOICE 1 Omega 3 Fish Fingers Chips Baked beans
CHOICE 2 Jacket Potato with choice of filling: tuna mayonnaise, cheese or baked beans	CHOICE 2 Vegan Mince Chilli Vegetable rice Steamed sweetcorn	CHOICE 2 Homemade Cheese and Onion Roll Roast new potatoes Steamed carrots	CHOICE 2 Vegetarian Sausage in a bun Nachos Fresh salad	CHOICE 2 Cheese Quesadilla Chips Baked beans
DESSERT Flapjack	DESSERT Fresh Fruit	DESSERT Jelly or Yoghurt	DESSERT Fresh Fruit	DESSERT Ice Cream

If children are unable to have any of the above due to allergies/intolerances there will be an alternative available – please see the office if you have any concerns regarding allergies.

Attendance

The school weekly attendance for last week was 97.3%. The Sparrows class won the attendance prize last week – their attendance was 99.2%. Well done.

School App



Please make sure you have the school app on your phone to receive notifications. If you require any assistance, please contact the school office.



Studybugs

You can report your child's absence on Studybugs at any time.

Headteacher's Award



Caleb (Robins) won the Headteacher's Award last week for his great knowledge of space and always being interested in his learning. Well done.

Artists of the Week

Congratulations to the following children who were awarded Artist of the Week last week:

Samuel - Owls

Excellent space tile.

Jovan - Herons

Excellent use of tone in your self portrait.

Avantika – Herons

Super listening and trying your best.

Family Beach Day – Friday 5th July

Please note, the Family Beach Day on Friday 5th of July will now be for EYFS only (not whole school as originally shown on the Academic Year Calendar).

School Parking

Our neighbours have contacted the school to advise us of inconsiderate parking. Please be kind to our neighbours and park in the Church when dropping off and collecting your child from school.

Sun Hats

As the weather is warming up, we have noticed the sun is quite hot by lunchtime play. Please therefore send your child in with a named sun hat.

Labelling of School Uniform and Coats

Please ensure your child's school uniform and coats are clearly labelled with their names. Thank you for your support with this.

House Points

The children have been working hard again to receive House Points.

St John Paul II	St Bernadette
1,285	919
St Alphonsa	St Martin de Porres
1,096	984

Gold Leaf Awards



Nathan (Owls) – Love
James (Wrens) – Learn
Kanaan (Kingfishers) – Learn
Willow (Herons) – Learn
Jason (Sparrows) – Learn
Chiagozie (Robins) – Learn
Alex (Wagtails) – Learn
Adanna (Ducklings) - Love

Dates for the Diary

Please check the list of dates in this newsletter for any additional dates/changes **highlighted in bold**. These dates are also on the school website calendar.

Reception

P.E. days are Mondays and Tuesdays. Please ensure your child is not wearing earrings on these days.

We need **cereal boxes** for junk modelling, you can bring them in to the school. We are in desperate need of spare jogging bottoms and underwear please.



Cygnets Nursery

We would be very grateful for donations of tissues please. Please return any borrowed uniform. Many thanks.



IMPORTANT

Please ensure any grapes/cherry tomatoes in lunchboxes are cut up into quarters.

Nursery - Wagtails & Ducklings

Please look on Tapestry for up to date information. Please also check the school website calendar for dates. We would be very grateful for donations of old magazines and catalogues as the children will use these to practice their cutting skills. **We would also very much appreciate donations of old newspapers please.** Donations of jogging bottoms and boxes of tissues would be much appreciated too. Please return any borrowed uniform that your child has come home in.

Please ensure children do not bring personal belongings to Nursery, i.e., toys, etc. Also children should not wear jewellery, i.e., earrings on Thursdays and Fridays as we have Multiskills on those days.



Summer School Uniform

A reminder that summer school uniform can now be worn as follows (weather permitting):

- Nursery - Red shorts with an elasticated waist
- Reception - Grey school shorts with an elasticated waist, red & white checked summer dress
- Key Stage 1 - Grey school shorts, red & white checked summer dress

In the warmer weather children must have suncream applied and have a sunhat for outdoor learning/play times.

NHS Guidelines – if your child is unwell

A reminder, if you are unsure as to whether to bring your child to school if they are unwell, please check the NHS Guidelines in the following link:

<https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>

Stay and Pray (Year 2) – Wednesday 8th May (8:45am)

Please come along to Stay and Pray (Yr 2) on Wednesday 8th May (in the school hall).



The Big Help Out – Saturday 11th May (9:30am-11:30am)

Our previous Big Help Out's have been very successful. We would love to invite families to come into school again to help with keeping our grounds looking lovely for the summer. If you are available on Saturday 11th of May, please bring along your gardening gloves and tools along with any plant donations you may kindly have. There will be a bacon sandwich and cup of tea for all the volunteers. This is a great opportunity for families to spend time together outside in the fresh air. Mrs Camargo has kindly organised a tractor to be here for the event and children can have a photo taken with it. Please let us know if you will be attending for catering purposes: office@salinf.org.

Freshwater Theatre Visit (Year 1) – Wednesday 24th April (Great Fire of London)

Year 1 enjoyed learning about the Great Fire of London when the Freshwater Theatre visited school last week.



Lunch Menu - Week Commencing Monday 6 May

Menu Week 2

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
CHOICE 1	CHOICE 1	CHOICE 1	CHOICE 1	CHOICE 1
Bank Holiday	Tomato Pasta Bake with no cheese Garlic bread Broccoli florets	<i>All Day Breakfast</i> Butchers Pork Sausage, Free range omelette Hash brown Baked beans	Pepperoni Pizza Bread Potato wedges Fresh salad	Fish Fillet Chips Steamed peas
CHOICE 2	CHOICE 2	CHOICE 2	CHOICE 2	CHOICE 2
Bank Holiday	Jacket Potato with choice of filling: tuna mayonnaise, cheese, baked beans	Vegetarian Sausage Free range omelette Hash brown Baked beans	Cheesy Pizza Bread Potato wedges Fresh salad	Cheese Quesadilla Chips Steamed peas
DESSERT	DESSERT	DESSERT	DESSERT	DESSERT
Bank Holiday	Fresh Fruit	Jelly or Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit	Ice Cream

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HIDDEN TALENTS

KIDS CLUB
NEW CLASS
TOTS TALENT!
DANCE

EVERY SATURDAY
9.45AM - 10.30AM
@ST ANNE LINE INFANT SCHOOL,
BASILDON
AGES 2.5 - 5

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KIDS CLUB


THE ULTIMATE PERFORMING ARTS KIDS CLUB!
DANCE DRAMA
SINGING THEATRE
ARTS AND CRAFTS,

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BASILDON
9.30 - 12.30
AGES 3 - 11

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English Speaking Skills	Chelmsford	*NEW COURSE* ADDED SOON Email aclfamilylearning@essex.gov.uk for more information
Family English	Chelmsford	*NEW COURSE* ADDED SOON Email aclfamilylearning@essex.gov.uk for more information
Develop ESOL Conversational Skills	Clacton	https://courses.aclessex.com/CourseDetailsView.asp?CODE=DFL5A70Y23&NAME=FL+Develop+ESOL+Conversational+Skills&ID1=9000&ID2=287828&ID3=1
English Conversation & Role Play	Harlow	https://courses.aclessex.com/CourseDetailsView.asp?CODE=FFL4B73Y23&NAME=FL+English+Conversation+And+Role+Play&ID1=9000&ID2=287897&ID3=1
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DATES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR FOR 2024

Whilst every care has been taken at this stage in organising dates, to enable parents to plan events, they are subject to amendment if circumstances change.

SUMMER TERM 2024

DATE	EVENT	YEAR
15 Apr	Children return to school	Whole school
26 Apr	Used Uniform Sale (2:45pm-3:15pm)	Whole school
06 May	BANK HOLIDAY	Whole school
08 May	Stay and Pray (8:45am)	Yr 2
11 May	The Big Help Out (9:30am-11:30am)	Whole school
14 May	PTA Meeting (8:45am-9:45am)	Parents
24 May	Father's Forum (8:45am-9:45am)	Parents
24 May	Used Uniform Sale (2:45pm-3:15pm)	Whole school
27-31 May	HALF TERM	Whole school
03 Jun	Children return to school	Whole school
05 Jun	Mini Olympics	Selected children
05 Jun	Breakfast Morning (8:30am-9:30am)	Whole school
12 Jun	Stay and Pray (8:45am)	Reception
28 Jun	Used Uniform Sale (2:45pm-3:15pm)	Whole school
05 Jul	Family Beach Day	EYFS
05 Jul	Used Uniform Sale (2:45pm-3:15pm)	Whole school
10 Jul	Sports Day (Junior School Field – AM)	Reception/Yr 1 & Yr 2
10 July	Display Evening	Whole school
12 Jul	Family BBQ Celebration (3pm-5:30pm)	Whole school
18 Jul	Leaver's Mass (11am)	Yr 2
19 Jul	Leaver's Assembly & Lunch	Yr 2
19 Jul	Last Day of Term	Whole school
22 & 23 Jul	Non pupil days	Whole school
24 Jul–30 Aug	SUMMER HOLIDAYS	Whole school