St Mary's

Church of England, Primary School

Newsletter 12 www.stmarysen4-barnet.co.uk **12 June 2018**

The final half term of the year is here! The children are enjoying the summer sunshine, which is wonderful. Please help them to stay comfortable by:

- Ensuring they have a bottle of water at all times. It can be topped up during the day. Please remind them they need to drink it!
- They have sun cream applied before school.
- They have a hat
- They have a shower-proof coat in case of rain.

Instrumental music lessons.

We will be sending out information about how to book individual instrumental music lessons from September. In year 1, children may begin to learn violin and from year 3, they can learn flute, clarinet, drums, guitar or piano. The lessons are during the day and usually last 15 minutes. There is a charge for these lessons from Barnet Educational Arts Trust which is currently £106.25 for 10 lessons per term. (A 50% deposit is required to secure the booking of the teacher). When the children are able to play to grade 1 standard, usually after about a year, they can then join the orchestra. Further details will be sent out later in

REMINDER!

Class photos next **Monday 18th June**. These will be available to buy as a memory of your child's class this year.

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Summer Fayre, **Saturday 30th June**: any volunteers to prepare for the fayre or to help on the day are welcome. Please speak to any of the Friends committee if you are able to do an hour or two.

Staffing update

Miss Arlow and Mrs Hall are moving on! They have been appointed to teaching positions in Lyonsdown School. They have both been excellent teachers and we will miss them very much, and wish them well in the next stage of the respective careers.

Secondary Transfer.

Year 5 parents will need to look round secondary schools to make an application next term.

There will be a briefing meeting for year 5 parents on Tuesday 26th June at 6.00pm when we there will be an opportunity to find out more and ask questions.

Year 3 parents meeting for the class school journey next term.

Wednesday 27th June at 6.oopm

Year 4 always have a residential school journey during the first half term of the year. This is to Lincolnsfield Study Centre in Bushey. The dates are 17-19 October. Children will take part in a range of outdoor activities.

This journey is part of a series of journeys they will make over the next 3 years, culminating in the Bude visit at the end of year 6.

Other dates for the term are as follows. Please note there are changes to the year 6 consultation times. SATS results are not published until early July. Year 6 dates have been moved to enable parents to include the results in the end of year discussions we will advise you of the dates asap.

Mel Adams, Headteacher

Other important dates to the end of term:

Monday 18 June	**Class photos**
Thursday 21 June	**Choir to Barnet school music festival at the Arts Depot**
Tuesday 26 June	**1.30 Sports day in the park (back up 27 and 28 in the event of rain)**
	6pm Secondary Transfer Meeting for current Year 5 parents
Wednesday 27 June	**6pm School Journey Meeting for current Year 3 parents**
Saturday 30 June	**12 noon Summer Fayre**
Thursday 5 July	**Y3 & Y4 Trip to Ragged School**
Tuesday 10 & Wednesday 11 July	**8-9 am & 3-6 pm Consultations YR—Y5**
Wednesday 18 July	**7pm End of year production**
Thursday 19 July	**Fun day**
Friday 20 July	**9 am Leavers' service**
	3.00 pm, close for summer holiday.
Tuesday 4 September	**School re-opens for Autumn Term**

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Thank you

St Mary's C of E Primary School,
For raising an incredible £1433.65 for JDRF!

7 November 2017

Karen Addington.

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JDRF Chief Executive

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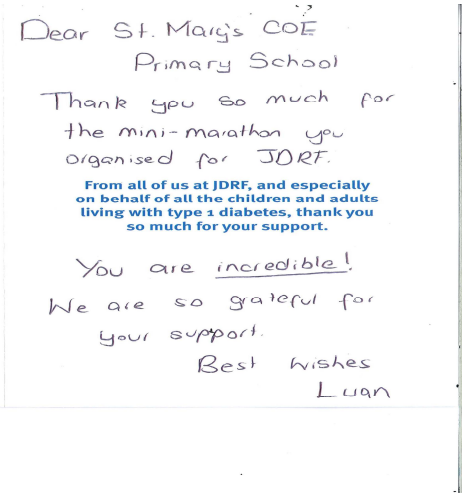

Dear St. Mary's COE Primary School

Thank you so much for the mini-marathon you organised for JDRF.

From all of us at JDRF, and especially on behalf of all the children and adults living with type 1 diabetes, thank you so much for your support.

You are incredible!

We are so grateful for your support.

Best wishes

Luan