



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Spring Term Issue 3

February

Tuesday 5th Y5 Parents School Journey Meeting 7 p.m.

Wednesday 6th Reception Trip to the Toy Museum

Thursday 7th Governors' Meeting

Tuesday 12th Pancake Breakfast 8:00 a.m.

Parents' Evening

Thursday 14th St. Mary Magdalen's Loves Music Day

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Friday 15th School closes for Half Term

Tuesday 19th – Friday 22nd Ultra Sports Camp

March

Tuesday 5th Gill Hines Workshop for Parents 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Booking required.

Monday 11th Y5 Stations of the Cross

Tuesday 12th Singing Festival

Wednesday 27th Y6 Way of the Cross

Thursday 28th Golden Books out- break up for Easter Holidays

April

Monday 15th Summer Term begins

Dear Parents

Well done to all the children for working so hard on assessments. We look forward to sharing with you, at the Parents' Evenings that will be held next month, the progress that the children are making.

Security

We ask all parents to be vigilant with security around the school. We will be closing both school gates at 3:30 p.m. promptly. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Text Alert

In the event of school closure we would advise you by text and on our school website. If you are not receiving texts from the school, please let the school office know as soon as possible. Thank you.

Friday 25th January 2013

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Breakfast (12th February 2013)

On Shrove Tuesday, 12th February 2013 your child is invited to join us for a Pancake Breakfast at our Breakfast Club. Pancakes etc will be served for the normal breakfast club price of £2. Please fill in the slip attached and return it to the office with your payment by Wednesday 6th February 2013.

Holiday Sports Camps

Ultra Sports will be providing their popular, fun-packed sports activity camp at school during the February half term holiday Tuesday 19th February-Friday 22nd February 2013. Your children can join in this action packed half-term camp for individual days or for the full four days. Over 30 fun activities are on offer and the fully qualified coaches are experienced and enthusiastic. Children from Reception to Year 6 are welcome. Please pay using WisePay and return the attached booking form to the school office. Thank you.

St Richard Reynolds Website

St Richard Reynolds website is now up and running. Visit <http://www.strichardreynolds.org.uk> to find out more about the plans for the new school.

Well done to the children listed below for Going for Gold this week:

- Rec- Lavinia Hopkins
Violet Whelan
- Y1M- Amelia Mosiadz
- Y1P- Ana Bartolotta
Tom Taylor
- Y2- Mark D'Souza
- Y4- Inês Guimaraes
- Y6- Isabelle Whitehill



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St Mary Magdalen's Loves Music- Thursday 14th February

On Thursday 14th February St. Mary Magdalen's is having a Music Day. In view of the date we are calling it 'St. Mary Magdalen's Loves Music', and instead of the normal timetable, the whole of KS1 and KS2 will be doing different music activities all day. We are going to have an informal presentation at 2.45pm to which parents are warmly invited. This will involve a few short performances and we will ask some of the children to share their experiences of the day. We look forward to seeing you at the end of what promises to be an exciting and action-packed event!

Date for your diary - 22nd March 2013

The PTA's next social event will be a Black Tie Ball which will be held on Friday 22nd March 2013. This will be run jointly with the Church and should prove to be one of the highlights of the year. Please put the date in your diary now and the venue and full details will follow shortly.

Additional Reception Class

I just wanted to let you know that at the Governors meeting on the 7th February it is proposed that the next additional reception class be discussed. This could see an additional 30 children being admitted to the school along with the normal reception intake of 30 children. As this is an important issue that will interest all at the school, I am asking for any thoughts on the subject. If you have a point you would like me to make the Governors aware of, could you please let me know by email (nick@whiteboat.tv) before Monday 4th February. Depending on the response I receive, I will either collate your thoughts and distribute to the Governors before our meeting or feed them into the discussion on the night.

Many thanks.
Nick Gardner
Parent Governor

Family Support Worker

The Family Support Team is a non statutory team that supports children and families. The Team works in a holistic and creative manner, assessing the needs of the children and their families as they work. Examples of some tasks undertaken by FST include one-to-one or group delivery of parenting programmes; behaviour management & relationship support within the home; direct work with children around self esteem; thoughts & feelings; signposting & support to access specialist advice around housing; money management and employment; identifying & supporting with parental hidden harm and domestic violence and encouraging engagement with other support agencies.

A family support worker will be at school on the following dates 28/01/13, 11/02/13, 25/02/13, 11/03/13, and 5/03/13 between 9:00 -12:00.

Please feel free to book a session through the school office.

Important Notice

Thames Water are repairing a collapsed sewer near the level crossing at White Hart Lane, SW14 and White Hart Lane will be closed from Monday 21st January 2013 for 6 weeks.

Have a lovely weekend with your children.

Mrs Frostick
Headteacher

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My Child.....
would like to attend the Shrove Tuesday Pancake Breakfast club on Tuesday 21st February 2013.

I have paid via WisePay

I enclose £2 payment.

If paying by cash, please remember to collect your receipt. Thank you.

Signed.....