

St James the Great Catholic School Newsletter

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Year 6 enjoying a beach sunset on the Isle of Wight

Summer Celebrations

World Cup football excitement may have concluded for now but in many other ways our celebrations continue.

On Sunday our parish has its annual Parish Day, there will be just one Mass at 11 am and thereafter a day of celebrating community. Please try to come along, there will be music, entertainment and food to share.

1st Communion 2019: last enrolment opportunity is at church tomorrow.

Open Evening & Open Morning

These take place next Monday 3:45 - 4:30 and Tuesday 8:50 - 9:15 respectively.

There will be no appointments because you should all have received your child's 'End of Year Report' by now, so please take this opportunity to look around your child's current class and also, why not take a quick look at where they will be going next year.

Please remember to say thank you to the people who have worked hard to make this year a success for your child.

'SPLASH'

On Wednesday, Year 5 & 6 pupils took part in this year's major performing arts event, with schools from across Southwark, at the Queen Elizabeth Hall on London's South Bank.

The performance was, once again, amazing and the children were just brilliant!

Their music tutors of the last six weeks

had these things to say: Well done everyone!

You listened, followed, made your actions bold and your voices big, and you gave us every bit of energy you had. Thank-you so much for your hard work and commitment yesterday and throughout the project. You were incredible and made us very proud of each and every one of you. You should be very proud of yourselves! and from the dance tutors:

Fantastic work! Three routines learnt in 6 weeks! A challenging task that you all rose to. I hope you will remember how it felt to perform on stage and that you will get to do it again. It's been brilliant to watch the journey that you have been on and see you all grow in confidence and performance skills. We are all very proud of what you have achieved and you should be too. *Great praise!*

Summer Fair & Social

We hope that this afternoon's events are successful in bringing people from our school community together and to raise some funds for the benefit of the children.

✚ Parish website: www.stjamesthegreatpeckham.org

Important Dates

Mon 16th July - Parent's open evening

Tues 17th July - Parent's open morning

Wed 18th July - Year 5/6 Prom

Thurs 19th July - Sports Day

Leaver's Mass 7pm

Fri 20th July - School closes 1:30pm

Tues 4th September - school re opens.

See overleaf for Next Years Term dates

St John Bosco Summer Camp

For application forms or more information please look on the

website <http://svpboscocamp.org.uk>

More information can be found on the parish website, the posters in church and in school or speak to Fr Jack.

Pupils of Achievement

The Academic Achievement this week is 'Reading', Personal Attribute, 'The ability to give feedback to a peer - being able to make positive and challenging comments to help someone do something even better'.

The children were as follows:

Year 1: Thomas, Emmanuel & Briella

Year 2: Emily, Roxanne & Gift

Year 3: Ebuka, Benjamin & William

Year 4: Troy D, Noemi & Michelle

Year 5: Divine, Victoria & Moyo

Year 6: Laura, Ezekiel & David

'Sailor of the Week' - Kumba

Well Done Everyone