

St James the Great Catholic School Newsletter

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Keep going!

End of Term

We finish school today with the 'Stations of the Cross' at the Church and two weeks to go before Easter. So we are very much still in Lent.

Please encourage each other to maintain your extra prayers, almsgiving and keep going with whatever you have 'given up' too. When we return after the holiday we intend to celebrate Easter together as a school. We will look forward to that.

School Inspection - OFSTED

We have welcomed our inspectors this week. Thank you to all parents who took the time to speak with them personally or by filling in the online questionnaire. We will let you know the outcome as soon as we are able to.

Savings Club - Every Wednesday

Well done all our savers who came to school early last Wednesday morning to make deposits to their accounts. We hope you are saving up for something good!

Peckham Citizens Accountability Assembly

What a fantastic presence our children and their parents and carers made at the meeting on Tuesday evening. Harriet Harman our local MP and members of the council were very impressed by our children's singing, musicianship and welcoming skills too. And a special mention to Sienna who announced our school's attendance to the assembled audience.

It was good to see our children singing so well with our friends from Oliver Goldsmiths school too. What great young people we have in Peckham.

A special thank you to Mr Dunphy, and the parents and staff who have been developing our choir to perform to such a good standard as was seen and remarked on by Harriet Harman at the meeting.

Advance notice - staff training day

Monday 5th June. School will be closed for pupils. This is the Monday following the summer half term holiday.

Lent Fundraising-silence!

This went really well.....can we do it again.....and again please!!

Seriously, well done to all the children for a great effort keeping quiet on Wednesday lunchtime, it really was a pleasure.

Kelly Ave-Art Project well underway now

The children once again worked with artist Jo Brinton on the designs for the new entrances to Kelly Ave Park.

This is a result of a grant from Southwark Council and our work as part of Peckham Citizens. The next stage will see our artists joining up with Oliver Goldsmiths and some work in the park itself. Exciting.

Please see overleaf the advert for the next Workshop in the park. Try to make it, it will be fun.

Free swimming lessons in Dulwich

Please see flyer attached - something for the holidays

GOLD STAR AWARD

This term the awards go to:

Year 1 Nelda Opoku-Mirri

Year 2 Daniela Castillo

Year 3 Favour Adeleye

Year 4 Marcus Fajardo

Year 5 Anna Jazienicka

Year 6 Damola Ajayi

Well Done Everyone! And

Shhh.....Happy Easter!

Remember.....Go to Church and Mass!

School re opens on Tuesday 18th April