

St James the Great Catholic School Newsletter

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Too proud or too humble?



Acknowledgement

As we end this half term we celebrate the achievement of our pupils with the Gold Star Award. We enjoy making a fuss of the children and set up a red carpet and small stage with lights and music. It's our 'Oscars' celebration but it's always great to see how each winner takes their moment of glory. It is very often, very humbling and always leaves us with a smile. Well done to all our children, each of them has done something wonderful these last few weeks, reading this week's Gospel will remind us how to celebrate.

Open morning. Open Evening.

Thank you to the adults who were able to visit their children's classes this week. It was really good to be able to open up the school once again in this way so that you could not only see the work in classes but also in the halls and corridors around the school. By having the two sessions we

hope that this was more helpful for adults who are at work.

Visits and Visitors

It's been an incredibly busy week of children going out with: Y5 visiting the South London Gallery, Y2 going to the National Maritime Museum, Year 1 visiting the Bus Garage, Year 3 visiting Mountview Drama School. Then we had visitors coming in with: Nursery parents attending a 'make learning fun' session, Savers Club registering new members, all parents visiting open classrooms on Tuesday and Wednesday and keeping us all behaving ourselves....PC Hazel calling in to the Nursery too! (See more overleaf)



Savers Club

8:30-8:55 Wednesday mornings

The Club will open up fully for children to bring their deposits (money) each Wednesday, starting the very first

Wednesday after Half term. We hope to see both our old and new savers making Wednesday mornings a regular trip to our own Bank.

Meal Vouchers-holiday update

These will be emailed, to those entitled to this support, on Monday and will cover five days of this holiday. Thanks go to Southwark Council who have again agreed to fund this.

St James the Great GOLD STAR AWARD

Year 2 Aryana

Year 3 Halima

Year 4 Fredah

Year 5 Victoria

Year 6 Leah Mae

Well Done Everyone!

St James the Great, Pray for us.

During the holiday remember to stay safe: at home, playing outside and playing on line.

School Re-opens after Half Term

on

Monday 31st October

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Year 2 went to National Maritime Museum, Greenwich. (Maps and Journeys)



Year 1 went to bus garage and went through the.... bus wash! (They've been reading 'The Naughty Bus').



Nursery celebrate 'People who help us': PC Hazel - thank you for coming in.



The children christened our beautiful oil painting of a crow, by artist Paul Sims - 'Mr Paul'



Year 6 parents / carers:
Secondary school application reminder
Applications will close in one week.