

St Barnabas' Church of England (VA) Primary School

Newsletter Friday 20th January 2023

Each child is uniquely created and loved by God.

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Our School Christian Values are Aspiration, Love, Trust, Perseverance, Reconciliation and Compassion.

This week we continued exploring crosses from around the world

Attendance

We are always challenged to have the best attendance we can and our target this year is 97%. As a School our attendance stands at 92%

Do remember that we close our gates at 8:45am everyday and we finish at 3pm.



This week...

What a busy week! On Tuesday we had our SIAMs Church inspection and it was a very busy day! We are looking forward to receiving their report and sharing it with you. A huge thank you to everyone involved.

On Thursday afternoon our Young Voices Choir travelled up to London to the O2 to take part in a concert with over 8000 singers!! The event started with a rehearsal and then the concert began...



Everyone had a great time and not only sang but danced the night away.... including our parents who came to watch!

Today we had Fantastic Fred visit us who performed to all the children with a health message.

Friday Worship

On a Friday our worship is all about celebration. We share our stars of the week, children who are in our Golden books for showing our School Values, team points and any other celebrations from our School community.

Our stars this week are: Olivia, Aayan C, Aayan H, Juan, Eloise, Aaron, Joshua, Vedika, Nyla, Aimee, Robert, Evie, Nellie, Charlotte and Tanvi.

Well done to Nellie for achieving her handwriting award.

This week our Team Point winner was Saints – congratulations.

Keeping in contact

If you would like to contact your child's class teacher here are the class email addresses. If it is an urgent matter please contact the School office.

Acorn: acorn@st-barnabas.kent.sch.uk Willow: willow@st-barnabas.kent.sch.uk

Beech: beech@st-barnabas.kent.sch.uk Maple: maple@st-barnabas.kent.sch.uk

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Safeguarding Concerns

Please can we remind everyone that the School Designated Safeguard leads are Mrs Duncombe and Mrs Pring. If you have any concerns do contact us.

**PE kits need to be
in school every day**



Reminders

Please can we ask that we have no chocolate nut spread in sandwiches as we have children who are allergic to nuts in school.

Chocolate should be in moderation and we ask that the children do not have other sweets in their packed lunch boxes

Please remember to bring a coat everyday and make sure it is named!

Have a lovely weekend and I hope it's a little less cold!

With best wishes

Moira Duncombe

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