

# St John's Highbury Vale C of E Primary School

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Friday 5th July

Dear Parents and Carers,

I can't believe we are in July!

It has been another incredibly busy week at St John's. We had an excellent week for enrichment activities, including a memorable choir performance at Milton Court, Y6 students continuing with kayaking, KS1 country dancing at Coram's fields, Y2 visiting the local area as part of the geography project, a KS1 music concert, and Reception continuing with forest school.

## Next academic year's teaching team

This week, I told the children who their teacher would be next academic year, and they had time to spend in their new classroom. This time of year can be hard for some children; we have different activities to help them manage the transition. Please let me know if there is anything we can do to help your child.

Year Group	Teacher	Teaching Assistants
Reception	Ms Bullen	Yasmina
		Sue
Year 1	Miss Reeve	Sarah
		Donna
Year 2	Mrs Slack	Michaela
Year 3	Ms Powder	Ruth
Year 4	Ms Bowie	Judy
		Kristian
Year 5	Ms Kirby	Ruth
Year 6	Mr Goldie-Scot	Mrs O

#### Music at St John's

This week, we have had a very musical week. Our youngest children in the school put on an amazing concert to showcase what they have been learning in their music lessons.

Our KS2 choir went to Milton Court at the Barbican on Thursday to perform three songs. There were a few other schools, and we were the best! The children made the school so proud. We want to grow the choir and perform in various places as a school. Thank you to all the parents who came to support the children.









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I would like more children to join the choir, which would make us even more amazing. K2 parents, if your child is not in the choir, please encourage them to join. We only have one child from Y5 who is in the choir. We know singing has many benefits—improving memory, building close relationships with peers, boosting confidence, and more.

### **Summer Social**

**Alice, Petuch and Kerry** - our three super mums are working hard to make our summer social successful. We hope to see as many of you as possible this evening.

#### **Fun Run**

More than 100 people have signed up for the event so far, which is very exciting. This is a reminder that Christ Church is holding a service at **9am** on Sunday - everyone is welcome. I am very much looking forward to seeing you all on Sunday.

### **Sports day**

Sports day is on Friday the 12th July at Finsbury Park. Our aim is to get started at 10am. Please come and support your child if you are available. Please make sure you stay in the spectator area. If you would like to collect your child at the end of the events, please complete the Google form linked <a href="here">here</a> if you have not already done so.

#### **Key Dates for next week**

Tuesday 9th July - Y5 secondary transition meeting 9am Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July - Y6 day time performance - 2.00pm Thursday 11th July - Y6 end-of-year performance 5pm Friday 12th July - Sports day

I hope you have a lovely weekend. Come on, England — let's hope it is better than last week's performance!

With thanks, Ms H Khan Head of School





