



St John's Highbury Vale C of E Primary School

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Friday 15th March 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Another packed week at St John's. We had our choir singing at The Royal Albert Hall, Mothering Sunday lunch, Science Fair, Red Nose Day and International Women's Day assembly. We also had Cllr Finella Craig, Labour Councillor for Arsenal, come into our assembly to congratulate Y3 on the letters they wrote to the Prime Minister.

Royal Albert Hall

Our choir from Years 4, 5, and 6 performed with All Souls Orchestra at The Royal Albert Hall on Tuesday night. This year's theme was King David - A Hero's Journey. Our children were amazing! They behaved impeccably and sang beautifully. At our Easter service on Tuesday, 26th March, you will be able to listen to a few of the songs. Please join us. We will send out more information next week.

Thank you to parents and carers for your support on the night. You are all incredible. I would also like to thank the teachers and teaching assistants who accompanied the children. These events could not have happened without you.

Science Fair

Please see the newsletter to see the incredible experiments and models the children made. Thank you to our Judge, Dr Hana Roš (also known as Felix's mum from Y3), for judging the children's work. Winners will be announced in next week's achievement assembly. Once again, thank you for your support and engagement.

I promise nothing new is planned for the next few weeks. You have already been given dates for the things we have planned for the next two weeks - music concert for Y4, Y5 and Y6; Easter bonnet parade and church service).

Mothering Sunday Lunch

Thank you to all the parents and carers who were able to join us on Thursday. It was so wonderful to see so many of you in school. Events like this are what bring the St John's community together. I am really sorry to those parents and carers who were unable to join us. I can assure you that we will do a very similar event soon.





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Beverly, Janet, Tracey and Bella, our wonderful catering team prepared food for an extra 111 people. Thank you, ladies. This would not have been possible without your hard work, flexibility and your positive attitude.

Trip consent form

Please complete the Google form as soon as possible. We are still waiting for a few parents to complete it. The form is linked again [here](#) for your convenience.

After school club

Please complete the payment if you would like your child to attend the **Mandarin Club** after school. We can not offer the club unless we have at least 12 children. Please speak to Clare if you want more information.

Key dates for next week

Monday 18th March - Y6s to City University (journalism project)

Tuesday 19th March - Y4, Y5 and Y6 Music concert - 2.45pm

Friday 22nd March - Reception sharing assembly

As always, thank you for your support. Have a wonderful weekend. There is nothing to make for school this week! You can maybe start to think about Easter bonnets!

Yours faithfully,

Ms H Khan
Head of School

