



Dear Parents, Carers and Governors,

This half term has flown by once again. Reminder that school finishes at 3.30pm on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May for the half term break and re-opens on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June at 9am.

This is the start of a very busy week and so a reminder that children should be arriving in school on time, especially as there are a number of additional activities going on this week. If your child is absent for any reason please contact the school office.

### **Half Term Holiday**

Hopefully the weather we are enjoying at the moment will continue into the half term holidays. Check out the website: <https://www.dayoutwiththekids.co.uk/things-to-do/south-east-and-london/greater-london/waltham-forest> to try new things over the holidays. Three great places to visit (free of charge) are the Willow Morris Galley, Vestry House Museum and Walthamstow Wetlands. Some of the events being held over the holidays include:

**A Family Day at the old William Morris Gallery**, Forest Road, E17 4PP on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2018, from 1pm to 4pm (free). On the last Saturday of every month there are lots of fun

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activities for families to make and do together. This month, celebrates Maytime and summer's arrival by making a decoration inspired by Morris's Labours of the Months and enjoy some Morris dancing!

**Family activities at Vestry House Museum**, Vestry Road, Walthamstow E17 9NH - Wednesday 30 May 2018: 1.30pm to 4pm (free). Opportunity to take part in a Print-making workshop – using the garden as inspiration to make a unique multi-coloured print to take home.

**Walthamstow Wetlands** have a number of different activities each day including investigations on what lives in the pond, how many worms can be found in the soil, how healthy is the water on site, what animals live on site and see if you can make a home for one of them. There's an Under 5s day all about butterflies led by the London Wildlife Trust packed with storytelling and a minibeast hunt in the meadow, or the afternoon of butterflies inspired arts and crafts. Find out when these are happening: <https://walthamstowwetlands.com/whats-on>

If you do visit any of these it would be great to share any photos and reports of the activities your child has taken part in.



Alternatively we love to hear about any sporting achievements. Good luck to Reiss who is off on two football tournaments abroad.

### **School Trip/Workshops**

As part of our creative curriculum the children have had the opportunity to take part in many different trips and workshops this year to consolidate their learning. It is a valuable part of our school experience and one that often leaves many memories for the children. I can still remember visiting The British Museum and Natural History Museum whilst at Primary School. The trips seems to fade out in secondary school and so please ensure that you have completed the permission slip to ensure your child takes part in all of the activities. All of the trips do take a lot of planning and so volunteers are really important so that they can go ahead. We very nearly had to cancel a trip recently due to volunteers pulling out at the last moment. If you are available to accompany your child's class or if you would like to volunteer for any trip please let the school office know as we do appreciate your support.

One thing to be very proud of is the glowing reports that we often receive from members of the public and the places that we visit regarding the behaviour of the children of St Saviour's.

I hope that this continues to be the case on Wednesday and Thursday when Y5 and Y3 are on their school trip.

### **Whole School Attendance and punctuality**

The whole school attendance target is 96.5%.

From September 2017 to last week, attendance remains just short of that target at 95.57%

Attendance Award for 100% week ending 19<sup>th</sup> May 2018:

Year 6 Willow

Lateness Award for 100% being on time week ending 19<sup>th</sup> May 2018:

Year 6 Willow  
Year Elm

### **GDPR (General Data Protection Regulations)**

The regulation is intended to establish one single set of data protection rules across Europe and comes into effect on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018. Please ensure that you have return the letter sent home last week to the school office. Any questions please speak to a member of staff.

### **Assembly week commencing 21.05.18**

Our assembly theme links with our school Christian value of: **Truth**

*Dear children, let us not love with words or speech but with actions and in truth.*

1 John 3:18

As always parents/carers are very welcome to join us for any of our assemblies.

### **Parent Workshops and Information Sessions**

These are held on a weekly basis and an opportunity for you to come and find out how different aspects of the curriculum are taught but also to provide advice in how you can help your child further their studies at home. This year these have not been attended by as many parents as we want like and I would welcome any feedback on how this could be improved.

For your diary the following sessions have been arranged:

- Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – Special Educational Needs and Disabilities
- Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> June – Creative Curriculum

Congratulations to these children

### **Headteacher's Table:**

#### **KS1 (Afternoon Tea):**

Year 1 Oak: Xavier M  
Year 1 Birch: Dorothy  
Year 2 Elm: Marley  
Year 2 Willow: Malachi

#### **KS2(Head's Table)**

Year 3 Oak: Kasey  
Year 3 Birch: Eshaan  
Year 4 Elm: Emmanuella  
Year 4 Willow: George  
Year 5 Oak: Eddie  
Year 5 Birch: Harshan  
Year 6 Elm: Christina  
Year 6 Willow: Henry

Well done!!!



Huge congratulations to you all – you had a great week.

Have a well – deserved rest over the holidays.

*KMunden*  
Kerry Munden  
Headteacher

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Kate Dingle  
Deputy Head

### Key dates and times for the Summer Term 2018

7 <sup>th</sup> May 2018	<b>BANK HOLIDAY</b>
8 <sup>th</sup> May 2018	<b>Spirituality Parent Workshop</b>
14 <sup>th</sup> May 2018	<b>KS2 SATS week</b>
21 <sup>st</sup> May 2018	<b>KS1 SATS week</b>
21 <sup>st</sup> May 2018	<b>SEND Parent Workshop</b>
4 <sup>th</sup> June 2018	<b>KS2 Science Sampling Wokshop</b>
4 <sup>th</sup> June 2018	<b>Creative Curriculam Parent Workshop</b>
8 <sup>th</sup> June 2018	<b>Year 2 The Natural History Museum – Rocks and Soils</b>
11 <sup>th</sup> June 2018	<b>Year 6 School Journey</b>
11 <sup>th</sup> June 2018	<b>Phonics Testing</b>
15 <sup>th</sup> June 2018	<b>Mini Tour de WF</b>
20 <sup>th</sup> June 2018	<b>RSE Parent Workshop</b>
10 <sup>th</sup> July 2018 – 12 <sup>th</sup> July 2018	<b>Sports Day</b>
20 <sup>th</sup> July 2018	<b>School finishes at 2pm</b>

### [Term Dates 2018](#)

#### **Summer Term 2018 – First Half (30 Days)**

Start – Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April 2018

End – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018

**Half Term:** Monday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2018 – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2018

Holidays May Day Bank Holiday: Monday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2018

Spring Bank Holiday: Monday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2018 (during Half Term)

#### **Second Half (35 Days)**

Start – Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2018

End – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2018

[This calendar gives a total of 195 days \(190 pupil days plus 5 inset days\).](#)