

Weekly Newsletter
Tuesday 23 April 2019



Dear Parent and Carer,

Welcome back to the summer term at St Saviour's. I do hope you enjoyed the Easter holidays, spending quality time with your children. Hopefully, the children return feeling refreshed and ready for their final term in their current academic year. I was fortunate enough to visit my family in The Netherlands and spent time on my bike cycling around the North of England for a few days. Luckily, we had the most wonderful weather as well.

According to Mr Parker, our lovely alpacas have settled in very nicely and they feel very much at home in our school field. They have become increasingly confident and are now used to being around children and adults. I notice that people, myself included, enjoy simply watching them as they are such beautiful creatures.

As we approach the final school term, I am very much aware of the importance of looking at pupil progress and attainment. Years 2 and 6, who have been working extremely hard this year as have the other Year groups, will soon be approaching their Standard Assessment Tasks or SATs in May. Many pupils attended Easter School to prepare them for this important stage in their education and they are keen to do their very best.

We will also continue with our Forest school rota. During the Easter holiday, the Forest school has developed even further. Some of our classes have already had the chance to spend an afternoon learning in the Forest school and this half term, the remaining classes will have a similar opportunity. This week we will let you know who the lucky classes are.

There will be plenty of exciting events coming up such as trips, including Year 6's residential to Gilwell Park, the Summer Fair, Sports Days and more. In short, all the usual seasonal activities that form part of our school calendar.

Have a great week.

Amir Lemouchi

Headteacher

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Julie Toliday
Deputy Head

Kate Dingle

Deputy Head

Class photos

Friday 3 May 2019

**Please ensure your
child is in full school
uniform.**

Our value of the week is:

Love

***Be kind and compassionate to one
another, forgiving each other, just
as in Christ God forgave you.***

Ephesians 4:32

Whole School Attendance

The whole school attendance
target is 96.5%.

Last week the attendance was
95.11%

NEWLY REFURISHED CHURCH

School Mass

Our whole school Mass takes places on **Thursday 25 April 2019** at **St Saviour's Church**.

Please feel free to join us at 2.00pm

Reminders

PE Kits

Please ensure your child has a PE kit in school, this should include leggings, shorts, t -shirt and trainers/plimsols

Y6 SATS

SATS information evening:

Wednesday 24 April 2019, 4.00pm – 4.30pm

Thursday 24 April 2019, 5.30pm-6.00pm

MORNING AND AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITY CLUBS

We are very fortunate in being able to run a number of clubs due to the commitment of our teachers and teaching assistants. It is an opportunity to have fantastic fun, make new friends and develop skills, interests and talents.

Please see below for the full list of clubs. Your request should be emailed to Alisha Anderson

alisha.anderson@st-waltham.sch.uk

Board games & chess Mr Yeboah	KS1 & KS2	Monday	3.30pm – 4.20pm
Homework Mrs Williams	KS2	Monday	3.30pm – 4.20pm
Multi Sports Mr Philpotts	Year 1 & 2 only	Monday	3.30pm – 4.20pm
Basketball Mr Yeboah	KS2	Tuesday	3.30pm – 4.20pm
Rockstar Timetables Mrs Williams	KS2	Tuesday	3.30pm – 4.20pm
Science Mr Philpotts	KS2	Tuesday	3.30pm – 4.20pm
Multi Sports Mr Philpotts	Year 3 & 4 only	Wednesday	3.30pm – 4.20pm
Rockstar Timetables Mrs Williams	KS1	Wednesday	3.30pm – 4.20pm
Choir Miss Baron	Invite only	Wednesday	3.30pm – 4.20pm
Coding Club Mrs Buckley	KS2	Thursday	3.30pm – 4.20pm
Design & Technology Mr Philpotts	KS2	Thursday	3.30pm – 4.20pm
Handwriting Miss Walsh & Mrs Bullock	Year 1 & 2 invite only	Thursday	3.30pm – 4.20pm
Art Mrs Williams	KS1	Thursday	3.30pm – 4.20pm
Netball Miss Hughes	Year 4 & 5	Thursday	3.30pm- 4.20
Sporting Competition St Saviours's v St Mary's (field)	Invite only	Friday	3.30pm – 4.20pm

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Multi Sports (playground) Mr Yeboah	KS2	Friday	3.30pm – 4.20pm
Homework Mrs Williams	KS1	Friday	3.30pm – 4.20pm

Summer Term 2019

First Half (23 Days)

Start – Tuesday 23rd April 2019

End - Friday 24th May 2019

Half Term: Monday 27th May 2019 - Friday 31st May 2019

Holidays May Day Bank Holiday: Monday 6th May 2019

Spring Bank Holiday: Monday 27th May 2019 (during Half Term)

Second Half (37 Days)

Start - Monday 3rd June 2019

End – Tuesday 23rd July 2019

This calendar gives a total of 195 (190 pupil days plus 4 inset days – Staff to work twilight sessions to make up 1 inset day).