



# St Saviour's

Church of England Primary School

## SPRING 2 WEEK 1

**Let God transform you into a new person by changing the way that you think - Romans 12:2 NLT**

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a fantastic week it has been in school! Our STEM Racing team achieved an incredible result, coming 2nd in the London regional finals and now preparing to compete in the STEM Racing National Finals in Sheffield next month, which will be streamed live on YouTube. On top of this remarkable achievement, the team were awarded Best Engineered Car and the Team Identity Award, reflecting both their skill and creativity. Many thanks also to our sponsors who supported the team and helped make this possible. We are incredibly proud of their hard work, innovation and teamwork.

Beyond these exciting achievements, the week has been filled with learning and engagement across all year groups. Classrooms have been busy, purposeful and full of enthusiasm as children continue to challenge themselves and collaborate with one another.

Looking ahead to next week, we are looking forward to seeing you at our Parent Consultation Meetings, where you will have the opportunity to discuss your child's progress with their class teacher. These meetings are always an important way to celebrate successes, share updates and support learning together.

On Thursday, we will be celebrating World Book Day across the school. Children will have the chance to explore stories, enjoy reading activities and share their love of books with their peers. We encourage all families to join in and talk about favourite stories or characters at home to complement the school celebrations.

Additionally, our KS1 Girls Football Festival will be taking place next week with 20 enthusiastic players representing the school. We are excited to see the pupils demonstrating their teamwork, skill and determination on the pitch.

As always, thank you for your continued support and encouragement. We are proud of all our pupils and the ways in which they continue to shine, both in and out of the classroom.

Wishing you all a restful and enjoyable weekend.

We would like to make families aware that our local MP, Stella Creasy, has issued a message in response to concerns about social media posts being circulated regarding "School Wars".

We are taking this matter seriously and are working closely with relevant partners to ensure the safety and wellbeing of our pupils.

In response, Stella Creasy has shared the following message and has asked that it be circulated to families:  
See link below

<https://www.youtube.com/shorts/9bAbjoS94ul>

Mr Pawley

FAITH. FORGIVENESS. TRUTH. LOVE. RESPECT. TENACITY. SERENITY

# STARS OF THE WEEK



**Reception**

Felix & Myro



**Year 1**

Lottie & Otis



**Year 2**

Ezekiel



**Year 3**

Tion & Maceo



**Year 4**

Seth & Josiah



**Year 5**

Sofia & Jackson



**Year 6**

Amelia & Ismahil

# PROGRESS CUP WINNERS

A huge well done to **Tion & Sofia** who are this week's Progress Cup winners!



**KS1**

**Tion Y3**



**KS2**

**Sofia Y5**

# PRESENTATION CUP WINNERS

A huge well done to **Eli & Edith** who are this week's Presentation Cup winners!



**KS1**

**Eli Y2**



**KS2**

**Edith Y6**

# YOUNG TRANSFORMERS AWARD

## QUINCY, RUDY, SID, STANLEY & IBUKI (Y5)

We are delighted to share that Quincy, Rudy, Sid, Stanley and Ibuki from Year 5 have received a Young Transformers Award in recognition of their fantastic achievements and exemplary attitudes.

All five pupils play for Coppermill Swifts FC Under-10s, and this month their team won their division in the Hackney Marshes League, finishing the season unbeaten – an incredible accomplishment!

Beyond their sporting success, they have demonstrated the true values we celebrate at our school: excellent sportsmanship, respect for other teams, remaining calm under pressure, and consistently working together to support one another.

The team also enjoyed celebrating their success with a special trip to Wembley to support England in their World Cup qualifier against Serbia – a memorable experience for them all.

We are very proud of the boys for representing both their club and our school so positively. Well done to you all!



## MISS VAN-EDA

We are proud to share that Miss Van-Eda has received a Young Transformers Award in recognition of her compassion and commitment to making a difference in the community.

On Friday 6th February, Miss Van-Eda took part in a sponsored sleep out to raise awareness and funds for people experiencing homelessness. Her willingness to step outside of her comfort zone to support such an important cause truly reflects our school values of kindness, empathy and social responsibility.

We are incredibly proud of her efforts and the positive example she continues to set for our school community. Well done, Miss Van-Eda!



# ATTENDANCE AWARDS

Well done to

**Year 2 David Attenborough**

**99.49%**

&

**Year 5 Purple - Mr Kruti**

**99.59%**

who have won the attendance  
mascots this week.



## WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

We are delighted to share that our whole school attendance this week **97%** – a fantastic achievement!

Thank you to all of our families for your continued support in ensuring children attend school regularly and arrive on time each day.

Excellent attendance plays a vital role in children's learning, confidence and overall success. Let's keep working together to maintain and even improve on this brilliant figure. Every day in school really does count!

50% OFF INITIAL PAYMENT

# TAKE THE PLUNGE INTO WEEKLY LESSONS

Give your child the gift of confidence and safety in and around the water with Better Swim School.



Join weekly lessons with Better Swim School and get 50% off your first payment with code SCHOOL50.



**Better Swim School**

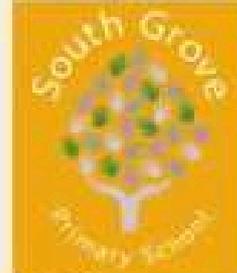
Terms and conditions apply. Offer open to new customers only for school children aged between 4-12 years. Offer ends on 07/08/2026. Full terms at [better.org.uk/offer-terms](https://better.org.uk/offer-terms). Better is a registered trademark and trading name of GLL (Greenwich Leisure Limited), a charitable social enterprise and registered society under the Co-operative & Community Benefit & Societies Act 2014 registration no. 27793R. Registered office: Middlegate House, The Royal Arsenal, London, SE18 6SX. Inland Revenue Charity no. XR43398.

**BETTER**



**NEAR  
NEIGHBOURS**  
BRINGING PEOPLE TOGETHER

Salaam  
Peace



# STORY TELLING

## *Celebrating Cultures: Storytelling, Faith & Friendship*

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH SOUTH GROVE PRIMARY SCHOOL  
AND SALAAM PEACE, ST. BARNABAS IS HOSTING STORYTELLING  
WORKSHOPS

WITH ARTS AND CRAFT AND RECIPE SHARING

THURSDAY, FEB. 12<sup>TH</sup> 4-6 PM  
SUNDAY, FEB. 15<sup>TH</sup> 1.30-3.30 PM  
THURSDAY, FEB. 19<sup>TH</sup> 11 AM-1 PM  
SUNDAY, MARCH 1<sup>ST</sup> 1.30-3.30 PM



**STAFFORD HALL  
ST. BARNABAS ROAD  
E17 8JZ**

**FREE ENTRY ALL WELCOME**

# PARENT CALENDAR



## MARCH 2026



MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
2	3 Parent Consultations	4 Parent Consultations	5 World Book Day Come dressed in your favourite book character	6	7	8
9	10	11	12 Bollywood Dancing Y3 West end Musical Workshop Y5	13 Mindful Movement Workshop Reception	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23 Fire Safety Workshop Y2 & Y5	24	25 Science Fair (More details to follow soon)	26 Class Photos	27 Last day of term 2:00pm finish	28	



# Term Dates

## 2025- 2026



### **Autumn Term 2025**

#### **First Half (37 Days)**

**INSET – Monday 1st, Tuesday 2nd and Wednesday 3rd September 2025**

Start – Thursday 4th September 2025

End – Friday 24th October 2025

**Half Term: Monday 27th October 2025-31st October 2025**

#### **Second Half (34 Days)**

Start – Monday 3rd November 2025

End – Thursday 18th December 2025

**Holidays: Friday 19th December 2025 to Friday 2nd January 2026**

### **Spring Term 2026**

#### **First Half (30 Days)**

Start – Monday 5th January 2026

End - Friday 13th February 2026

**Half Term: Monday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2026 – Friday 20th February 2026**

#### **Second Half (25 Days)**

Start - Monday 23rd February 2026

End – Friday 27th March 2026

**Holidays: Monday 30th March 2026 to Friday 10th April 2026**

### **Summer Term 2026**

#### **First Half (29 Days)**

Start – Monday 13th April 2026

End - Friday 22nd May 2026

**Half Term: Monday 25th May 2026 - Friday 29th May 2026**

**Holidays May Day Bank Holiday: Monday 4th May 2026**

**Spring Bank Holiday: Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2026 (during Half Term)**

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

Start - Monday 1st June 2026

End – Friday 17th July 2026