

St Francis of Assisi Catholic Primary School

Learning and growing together in God's love

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WEEKLY WHAT'S ON

Issue 7 20th October

ALL

Half Term – Break up Friday 20th October and return Monday 30th October 2023

Open Day for New Reception Intake 2024 1st November 2023 9.30 to 11.30 am

All Saints Mass (All Welcome) 2pm

Friday 8th December Christmas Fayre 3pm

Wednesday 13th December Wear a Christmas Jumper for CAFOD day.

Wednesday 20th December Carol Service at Cathedral am

Christmas Holiday Break up Wednesday 20th December and return Thursday 4th January 2024

Reception

Wednesday 8th November – Parents to look in class and in books 3pm to 3.30 pm

Year 3

Wednesday 8th November – Parents to look in class and in books 3.30 pm to 4 pm

Wednesday 12th December Trip to The Hippodrome Circus (payment via WISEPAY)

Year 4

Wednesday 8th November – Parents to look in class and in books 3.30 pm to 4 pm

Thursday 30th November Synagogue and Anglican Cathedral £7.30 WisePay

Tuesday 30th January Choir to the

Year 1

Wednesday 8th November – Parents to look in class and in books 3.15pm to 4 pm

Year 5

Wednesday 8th November – Parents to look in class and in books 3.30 pm to 4 pm

Monday 13th and Tuesday 14th November Pedal Power for 3rd and final 12 of mixed 5J/ 5W

Thursday 23rd November 2.30 pm Beauty and the Beast Ballet

Wednesday 17^h January 5W Dance Show

Tuesday 30th January Choir to the 02

Year 2

Wednesday 8th November – Parents to look in class and in books 3.15pm to 4 pm PLUS Reading Café 2.30 pm in class

23rd November Yr 2 Multi Skills Festival (12.30-2.10pm Easton & Otley College Tennis Centre

Year 6

Friday 3rd November Weight and Height NHS

Wednesday 8th November – Parents to look in class and in books 3.30 pm to 4 pm

Ullswater Residential Trip 27/11/23 to 1/12/23 Year 6

Tuesday 30th January Choir to the 02

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY AWARDS

1L Alex H being just like Ned because he is always so kind to others by encouraging them to do their best.

1PL Robyn C for an amazing model of her house.

2H Ines for being so involved in her learning that she was able to retell the Anansi story with interesting details.

Logan for using excellent observational skills to create a beautiful watercolour painting of a spider.

2B - Jessica: Jessica produced an excellent piece of writing as part of our Anansi learning and is always giving her best effort across all learning.

3MD-Chioma: for a really well written recall of our Thor story. I particularly liked your own vocabulary choices. Well done!

3M: Pablo has been a super star all term in our Spanish lessons, helping us with the pronunciation of our new vocabulary. Thank you for being a mini coach Pablo!

4D Lizzie - for working hard in English to create a wonderfully descriptive and beautifully presented non-chronological report.

Zuzanna - for approaching every task with a positive mindset, looking after our classroom and being an excellent role model to us all!

4HD: Zach is a star for his wonderful 'maths talk' in our lesson about days, weeks, months and years. He was a fabulous teacher with his great explanations.

Kayla is a star for her work in our topic PoP task where we compared Antarctica and Europe. Lots of care, thought and effort went into her work - well done Kayla!

5J Anastasia for being so involved and determined in her learning especially maths.

Milena for her excellent effort with all her subjects and for being a supportive and kind friend to others.

5W Daniel - Becoming such an active learner and listening well in lessons over the past couple of weeks.

Kaspar - For his efforts in making sure that the presentation of his work is always to a high standard.

6SW Cassandra – for excellent editing skills in English and super features within her sentences – well done!

6SW David – for excellent teamwork skills and input during our ICT project – well done!

6M Alana - for listening carefully to feedback this half term to improve her learning!

6M Feliks - for working hard and taking care to beautifully present their English this week.

Black History Month – Saluting our Sisters

This week's focus was amazing black female writers, illustrators and businesswomen:

Malorie Blackman, Vashti Harrison, Pat McGrath and Kanya King. We listened to the music of Florence Price.

You can find PDF copies of the flipcharts shared with pupils on our website: This Month

<https://www.stfrancisofassisi.co.uk/this-month/>.

House Captains

St Stephens (Red) Clodagh and Maks

St Augustines (Yellow) Tabatha O and Isla

St Giles (Green) Oliver and Yuma

St Benedicts (Blue) Igor and Imogen

School Council Class Representatives

3MD - Sofia and Sybille

3M - Isaiah and Carmen

4HD SophieC and Iris C

4D Evelyn H and Zuzanna

5J Ada and Matei F

5W Connie P and George R

- [Child Mental Health & Wellbeing - 10 Top Tips for Parents](#)
- [Parents' Mental Health & Wellbeing - 10 Top Tips for Parents](#)

PARKING ON GOULD ROAD **X**

We continue to receive complaints from the residents of Gould Road. We kindly request that parents of St Francis of Assisi **DO NOT PARK on this road.** T

Thank you.

Swap, borrow and share uniforms and more!

Did you know that there's a brilliant What's App group for parents at St. Francis to swap, borrow and share items they no longer need, such as uniforms, costumes and books, with no money changing hands? It's a great way to save time and money and reduce waste! You can sign up and start swapping, borrowing and sharing here: <https://tinyurl.com/2p9v5cvw>

REQUEST FOR FOOD

Dear parents,

Our Food Bank Store Cupboard is now empty and a number of families are in need. If you can donate anything at all, please leave it in the front office.

Many thanks



Cross Country Race 1#6 Sprowston

All of the above ran brilliantly but a special well done for Isaac who came 1st in the boys race out of 150 competitors and Alana who came 17th. Next race in November.

Football League UEA



Both the Year3-4 League and the 5-6 League have played their first group of matches.

The year 3s performed very well. They played two games, winning one and narrowly losing in the other. Pablo was a standout player.

The Year 4 also performed well drawing one match and narrowly losing the other at 3-2. Jack B was the stand out player. Feedback on the Year 5-6 match will be in the next newsletter.

After School Clubs with Premier next half term.

Monday Football 3.25 to 4.25pm

Tuesday Dodgeball “

Wednesday Gymnastics “

Friday Archery “

All Clubs start week beginning 31st October and finish on 16th December.

£34.65 each

Please pay on the website.