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# St. JOHN'S NEWSLETTER

### 27th June 2025

### **Congratulations!**

Angel from St Peter's won £5 on Numeracy Day to spend on travel training or in the school tuck shop!





### **Drama Centre Fun!**

St Patrick's have been enjoying their drama sessions at The Redbridge Drama Centre!















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#### Art Club -



In Art Club this week students made superhero masks. Here they are showing us their best superhero poses.









Oyster Cards — If your child is taking part in travel training as part of their curriculum, please could you ensure that they bring in their oyster travel card on the day. Many thanks for your co-operation.



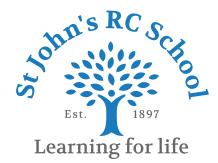
**Sunhats for Students This Term** – As we are experiencing very hot weather, could parents/carers please send sun hats in with your child to school. These should be clearly marked with your child's name. Also, please bring water in sturdy bottles, securely sealed. Many thanks.











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# **SUMMER FETE**

### AND SPORTS DAY

# SATURDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2025

12.00 PM - 4.00 PM





Our Summer Fete and Sports Day is almost upon us! This is a day for all the family to socialise and meet with your child's peers, staff and above all else to have fun!





Enterprise stalls, cakes, plants, toys, puzzles, books, bric a brac and meet and greet Malteser the therapy dog!





There will also be lots of fun to be had with a Formula 1 racing simulator, remote control cars, other racing e-sports, beat the goalie, face painting, glitter tattoos, hook a duck and many more fun-filled activities! Cornhole, splat a rat, ultimate lemon game, granny's bloomers game, soft toy adoption





Come and enjoy a wonderful afternoon with all your family and friends, enjoy a refreshing drink and barbecue while watching students enjoy their sports day! Dance 21 will also be performing, so please come along and support this fun-filled event!



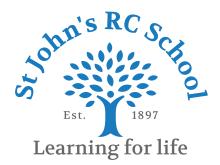
In the meantime, we are requesting donations of prizes for our raffle please. Also, if you having a good clear out, we would be very grateful to receive donations of good, saleable condition toys, books etc. Many thanks in advance!











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### **Parent Recommendations -**

At St John's, we are always learning from our parents and carers. We would like to share some of the resources, activities, and tools that families have found helpful.

If you have something you'd like to recommend, please contact our Occupational Therapist at: **susiethrift@stjohnsrcschool.co.uk**.

### **Money Money Money**

These days the majority of our purchases are made using cards. Many parents, teachers and students find payment cards helpful for students to use. A child can be as young as 6yrs to have their own card. Banks like Starling offer 'Kite Spaces' for 6-16 yrs where the adults can monitor spending on the app. Banks like Halifax offer debit cards from 11yrs and they can see their own spending on the app. There are also cards like Go Henry that offer more features related to pocket money.









**Attendance** — If your child is not going to be in school for any reason, please call the school and leave a message as early as possible in the morning. Alternatively, you can email <a href="mailto:office@stjohnsrcschool.co.uk">office@stjohnsrcschool.co.uk</a>. Any absences with no reason given will be marked unauthorised. Many thanks for your co-operation.



### Signs of The Week -

### Please follow the links for demonstrations of the following signs:

Monday <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QlxIlv9W0J0">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QlxIlv9W0J0</a>
Tuesday <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yl-PckBiLng">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yl-PckBiLng</a>

Wednesday <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZV7iqOnWB5s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZV7iqOnWB5s</a>









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# Dates for your Diary -

Date	Event
Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	School Fete
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Year Mass
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	Sports Day afternoon – Prom – Evening (details to follow)
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	St John's Got Talent
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Last Day of Term – School finishes at 12.30 pm

### **Happy Birthday!**

A very Happy Birthday to Angel, Tejasvi, Samiyah, Gokhan and Yasmin, who are celebrating their birthday this week! Also, a very Happy birthday to our staff, Wendy, who will also be celebrating!







St John's Team





