





NEWSLETTER Friday 28th June 2024

Dear Families,

Year 6 attended the annual Year 6 leavers service on Thursday with other local deanery schools. The children sang beautifully and were fantastic representatives of St. Saviour's. They also had the opportunity to sit with other children from the secondary school that they will be attending in September and share a lunch

together.



Mr Dunford is fundraising to raise money for the **Year 6 residential 2025**. These funds will go towards making the residential cheaper for all children. The sponsorship page for the Big Half is now live. Parents can donate through there to raise money to send the Y6 children there next year!



https://www.peoplesfundraising.com/fundraising/tom-dunford-

Have a lovely weekend!







# **DIARY DATES**

School Closed Polling day 4<sup>th</sup> July

Looking forward to:

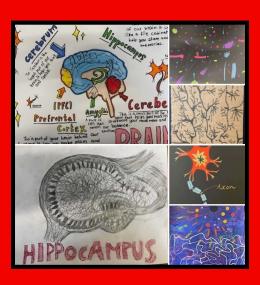
**Ministry of Stories –** Year 6 Transition to Year 7 on Monday  $1^s$  July

Road Safety Assembly – Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July for all classes.

**Watch out for:** Y2 to Kew, Y4&5 to the British Museum and Year 3 to the Greenwich observatory

**Sports days:** week of 8<sup>th</sup> July on our new pitch! Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> @ 9:30 EYFS, @2pm KS1 Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> @ 9:30 Year 3& 4, @2pm Year 5&6

Summer Fair - Friday 19th July - time TBC Gates will open at









Jesus said "I have come so that you can live life in all its' fullness" John 10:10



# STARS OF THE WEEK



Reception	Olivia	Teddi
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Year One Jay Noah P

Year Two Jesse Alena

Year Three Frankey Ardin

Year Four Jesse Somachi

Year Five Lyra Samara

Year Six Lacey Kieran



## **WORSHIP FOCUS**

### Mark

What do you ask Go for help for?



From small seeds of kindness great actions grow.





Our stars



June
Birthdays!
Emily
Stella
Ebenezer
Sophia















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### Summer Hampers



Dear Parents & Guardians,

Summer is here! We would need all your support to ensure our children have a fun afternoon. As we are trying to make it as fun as possible to raise money for the school. Therefore, we are asking families, if they could donate <u>one item per child</u> from your child/ren classes from the list below. From your donations, we will then make hampers for parents & guardians to purchase a raffle tickets to win the hampers.

Nursery & Reception	Beach items
Year 1 & 2	Bottle of drinks (this be any bottles)
Year 3 & 4	Bags of sweets
Year 5 & B	Riscuits & cakes

















Please give these donations to your child.

Raffle tickets are £1 each a strip. Michelle one of previous parent will be selling them from Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2023, you will see Michelle around the school gates/playground before and after school. You can also come to the school office between 3-3.20pm to purchase them.

The raffle will be drawn and winners announced on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July – the hampers need to be collected on the last day of term - Good Luck!

We fully appreciate that everyone's situation is different and any support you are able to give with either hamper donations or by buying raffle tickets will be very much appreciated. There is no obligation to take part.

#### The two top classes will receive a treat for their class - Good Luck!

We are a nut-free school so please ensure that any donations are nut-free, including packaged goods. Please also check that donated items are in date and unopened.

Thank you so much for any support you can give in these challenging times. We are hugely grateful.

#### Sweet donations

We need support to create and donate a jar. The idea is to decorate and fill a jar e.g. with sweets, chocolate (some sample pictures below) be as creative as you like. Please bring give your jars to your child to bring them into their class. The last of collections would be Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July so you have lots of time to be creative!





Thank you for all your support! @









#### St Saviour's School2024/25 Academic Calendar

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INSET DATS,
2 <sup>rd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> September
6th & 7th January
Good Friday 18th April
Easter Monday 21st April
SATs week: 12th May
School Birthday 1 <sup>st</sup> December celebrated 2 <sup>nd</sup> December

INSET DAVS

# **Keeping safe during warm weather**

All children wear sun cream to school which is applied before they leave home in the morning – this will offer them protection during the school day.

They also bring a hat or cap to school.

If we have weather warnings, we may modify our play and play inside instead.

Please make sure the children have their water bottles so they can hydrated.









# **Martial Arts Training at St Saviour's School**

Mr Everiste will be offering all-age martial arts classes at St Saviour's this July on the following dates and times:

Dates	Time slots	Time slots
Tuesday 02 July	16:00 – 17:00	17:00 - 18:00
Wednesday 03 July	16:00 – 17:00	17:00 - 18:00
Tuesday 09 July	16:00 – 17:00	17:00 - 18:00
Wednesday 10 July	16:00 – 17:00	17:00 - 18:00
Tuesday 16 July	16:00 – 17:00	17:00 - 18:00
Wednesday 17 July	16:00 – 17:00	17:00 - 18:00

First session (taster) is free and then £5 per 1-hour session thereafter (payment at the start of class by cash or BACS) per child or adult. All ages are welcome including parents/carers.

Please register your interest by confirming the following to the school email address <a href="mailto:admin@st-saviours.towerhamlets.sch.uk">admin@st-saviours.towerhamlets.sch.uk</a>

Child's name, year group, date and timeslot and parent/carers' names (if also joining the session/s)

# **About Mr Everiste Training**

Instructor Mr Everiste is a Tae Kwon Do champion and a 4<sup>th</sup> degree Black Belt, having trained for 16 years in martial arts. Mr Everiste also has a BA (Hons) degree in Dance Performance also having trained in contemporary dance for 7 years and is a professional actor (notably appearing in *The Bill*).

Mr Everiste's children have been attending St Saviour's School since March 2018. Mia is now in Year 4 and Laila is in Reception.









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95%	=	47 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 8 days in total or 1 week and 3 days
90%	=	95 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 16 days in total or 3 weeks and 1 day
85%	=	142 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 24 days in total or 4 weeks and 4 days
80%	=	190 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 32 days in total or 6 weeks and 2 days

# ATTENDANCE MATTERS

WHAT DO YOUR
ATTENDANCE
FIGURES
ACTUALLY MEAN?

### **BE SMART BE THERE!**

95 37%

Percentages based on 190 academic days

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2 <sup>nd</sup> – Year 2	93.52%
3 <sup>rd</sup> - Year 3	93.06%
Congratulation	ons to our
top 3	<b>8!</b>
Our school tai	rget is 96%

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Our Attendance Welfare Officer (AWA), Ranu Begum, attends school every Tuesday morning. Ranu checks our school registers regularly and will contact parents & guardians by letter or telephone. Meetings and home visits will be completed if there is a cause for concern.

come on everyone!

Formal referrals of pupils with persistent absence or below 90% attendance will be made. Children need to be in school every day. Parents should be aware that they can ultimately be prosecuted for non-attendance offences.

We know that sometimes- even with children at school 190 out of 365 days in the year- they may fall ill. This can be worrying so please see advice from our local teams on

on

common illnesses and when to seek support.
Additional sports including swimming benefit children to be healthier and smarter. Please ensure children take full advantage of this by wearing appropriate kit and making sure they bring it with them each week!

Polite reminder:
Children need to be in school
on time.

Gates open at 8:45 and close at 8:55.

Early morning learning at this time sets the children up for the day.

## **Best Attendance Prize**

The children have decided that they would like a trip to the park with pizza and ice-cream if they are lucky enough to win our attendance prize. The reward will be given to the class with the best attendance over the course of the school year. Children who have also attended 100% of the school year will be included in this reward too!









# Year 1 trip to Marble Arch Synagogue

As part of their studies about Judaism, Year 1 visited Western Marble Arch Synagogue. The primary objective of this trip was to provide children with an insight into Judaism, facilitated by the knowledgeable and amiable Rabbi Daniel. The staff at the synagogue were very complimentary about our Year 1's knowledge, attentive learning and the way they represented our school on this visit. Well done Year 1!

At the synagogue, our children were excited to spot the special features that 'make a synagogue a synagogue' and were delighted to see the Torah Ark. We learnt some interesting facts, such as the Torah is made of animal skin, is handwritten and takes 1 year to write! Additionally, if a mistake is made, they would have to start writing again. They children were amazed to learn catch sight of a Torah scroll that 300 years old! As well as this, the children compared the English and Hebrew alphabet and even learnt how to pronounce the first two letters of the Hebrew alphabet: Alef and Bet. It goes without saying, the trip was a huge success, the children enhanced their learning, gained a deeper understanding of culture and diversity and had fun to boot.

A special thanks goes out to the Year 1 team, Mrs Golding, Mrs John and Ebi for their support.





























#### Moderate GLA Air Quality Alert

This is an air quality alert provided by the Mayor of London.

You are receiving it because the air pollution in London is forecast to be higher than normal and could reach "moderate" status.

What can schools do during high pollution days to protect children?

#### Suggested immediate actions:

- Notify parents and encourage children to use <u>less</u> polluting modes of transport to get to school such as walking, cycling or using public transport. Use quieter roads where possible.
- Defra advises that <u>children need not be kept from school or prevented from taking part in games</u>. However, during high air pollution episodes, those with cardiac or respiratory conditions may need to reduce vigorous physical activity, particularly outdoors and particularly if they experience coughing, wheezing, shortness of breath or worsening of existing heart and lung conditions.
- For children with asthma, extra attention should be given to ensure they take their preventer inhaler or controller medications every day as prescribed and have immediate access to their reliever inhalers if symptoms come on.
- Close external windows and doors that are close to main roads if there is adequate ventilation.

#### Suggested long term actions:

- · Keep an eye on pollution forecasts so your school is prepared for high alerts
- Use the GLA schools toolkit to improve air quality at your establishment
- If possible, swap your school entrance so it is away from the main road or set up a school street
- Engage your students on air pollution and the action they can take. You could use
  the resources available as part of the TfL <u>Travel for Life</u> programme
- . Contact the schools pollution helpdesk on 020 4534 3910 who can provide further
- Please see the <u>London schools' guide for the care of children and young people with asthma</u> and consider becoming an <u>asthma friendly school</u>
   Signpost parents to <u>London asthma toolkit for children and young people</u>

Further information on air pollution in London and what the Mayor is doing to improve air quality is <u>available here</u>.

If you have questions concerning this pollution alert, please contact airqualitylondon@london.gov.uk.





### **Holiday Childcare Summer Scheme 2024**

#### Information for professionals

The Tower Hamlets Holiday Childcare Summer 2024 Scheme is now open for bookings for working parents' resident in the borough, and for vulnerable referrals. Non-working parents / carers are welcome to book places from  $16^{\rm th}$  July 2024.

Monday 29th July to Friday 23rd August 2024 (20 days). Our scheme dates are based on the Tower Hamlets school holidays. Booking closing date: 23rd July 2024 by 12pm or earlier once bookings are full.

St Mary and St Michael Catholic Primary School, Sutton Street, E1 0BD

Please support and share this information with families you feel may benefit from our scheme. To refer a child please complete our referral form and support the family to book following the steps on our booking system.

More information can be found on our website www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/hcs.

We will look forward to receiving your bookings.

Holiday Childcare Team Parent & Family Support Service Children and Culture Directorate London Borough of Tower Hamlets

To ascertain how to allocate this budget for the benefit of the local businesses the Council undertook an engagement exercise in 2022 to receive feedback from stakeholders in the area.

Feedback from businesses, employees and other stakeholders helped inform the direction of an action plan for Whitechapel town centre and the priority themes that should be addressed. One of these themes is Women's Safety. We are promoting two projects under this theme.

Firstly, an Education and Promotional Campaign Information which features the Council's Violence Against Women and Girls (VAWG) training courses.

Secondly, Boxfit/Self-defence Classes for all female business owners and employees within the town centre. Classes are free for 18 months starting October 2023.

Venues and times for Boxfit/Self-defence are:

On a Wednesday 1pm - 2pm Whitechapel Leisure Centre, Sports Hall

On a Thursday 6pm -7pm The Maryam centre (Mosque), Conference Hall, 3rd Floor

Please contact Paul Hunter at paul.hunter@towerhamlets.gov.uk or call 07542318410

