



# St John's Green Primary School

## First Footsteps

### Foundation & Year 1 Weekly Newsletter

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#### THIS WEEK:

Class Awards  
Lower Phase Reading  
Learning in Year 1  
Foundation Learning  
Forest School

#### DIARY DATES:

**Friday 30th June**—PTA Summer Fair

**Friday 14th July**  
New intake and Foundation  
Teddy Bear Picnic 2pm Abbey Field

**Thursday 6th July** -5.00p.m.—  
7.30p.m. Open Evening

**Thursday 20th July**—Last day of  
the Summer Term

#### Teddy Bears Picnic

Dear Foundation Parents  
You are invited to attend our  
Welcome to St John's Green  
Teddy Bears Picnic  
To meet our new intake children and their families  
on  
**Friday 14th July at 2pm**  
Please bring a drink, small snack and blanket.



#### Jumble Juniors

#### Foundation & Year 1

A reminder that next week is the last Jumble Juniors session before the end of term. Foundations last session will be on **Monday 3rd July** and Year 1's is on **Tuesday 4th of July**.

We ❤️  
Maths

We are all  
writers ...



We are growing  
our learning



#### Learning in the Foundation Classes

After all the excitement of the Sports Day the foundation children took part in a wet play afternoon in the Learning Garden. By the end of the session there was some very wet happy children and adults.



#### Learning in the Year 1 Classes

Last week in Maths the children were using arrays of objects to support their understanding of multiplication. The use of concrete resources allowed all the children to successfully develop their knowledge. After in pairs the children used the arrays to help them record their calculations. All of the year 1 teachers were very impressed with the way the children applied their learning.



#### PTA Summer Fair

This Friday 30th June, there will be the Summer Fair at the Abbey Fields site. There will be various inflatables, a cake stall, Tombola, refreshments and much more.

The fair starts at 5pm and will finish at 7pm.

Come along and join in the fun.



#### September 2017 New Intake Visits

This week saw the first induction visits for the new intake children. They all settled in quickly and took advantage of the weather to enjoy the activities in the Learning Garden.



#### Lower Phase Sports Day

We were very lucky with the weather during the Lower Phase Sports Day, with only a few small showers to cool us down. The children were fantastic and enthusiastically took part in all the events. It was lovely to see so many parents, relatives and friends able to attend and cheer the children on.

Then to round up a successful morning the sun shone brightly as everyone had their picnic lunch on the field.

The points have been added together from the sports day and the Team winners are Priority for Foundation and Year 1. Well done to everyone who took part.



#### Weekly Awards

**Star: Nisaam Rai**— For the fantastic effort he has put into his writing and following instructions.

**Jumbo: Leah Totman**— For her increased confidence when sharing her ideas during whole class activities.

**Chariot: Samuel Akintola**— For his brilliant attitude towards his learning.

**Eagles: Callum McPherson**— For applying his phonic knowledge to his writing.

**Circus: Riley Rudd**— For the five sentences he independently wrote about Sports Day.

**Roses: Jeahlyn Valencia**— For her increased confidence when recording her ideas.



#### Lower Phase Reading

Class	% Reading
Star	72%
Jumbo	84%
Chariot	55%
Roses	97%
Eagles	77%
Circus	82%