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# St John's Green Primary School

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## Newsletter

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### School Funding and Petition

The support we receive from parents is really appreciated and truly touching.

Thank you to parents who have already been in to sign the petition against school funding cuts in both offices—sheets for signing are available until the end of term. We will add the sheets to a collection from other schools in the local area after that date.

### World Autism Awareness Day

#### Tuesday 2nd April

World Autism Awareness Day celebrates the unique talents of those with autism, while putting a huge focus on the warm embrace and welcome that these skills deserve through community events around the globe.

We are helping to raise awareness on **Friday 5th April** by wearing our most colourful socks—ankle or knee-high—to school. Everyone is welcome to join in!



**Silly Sock Day 2019**

### Cricket Assembly

Essex County Cricket education team popped into Abbeyfield site to give an assembly on the rules of cricket, teamwork and respect.



### Assembly Theme for Next Week:

I know how to be a good friend and enjoy healthy relationships.

### The 'Right' we will be focusing on this Half Term is Article 17:

You have the right to get information that is important to your well-being, from radio, newspaper, books, computers and other sources. Adults should make sure that the information you are getting is not harmful, and help you find and understand the information you need.

At the end of the day, the most overwhelming key to a child's success is the positive involvement of parents.

Jane D. Hull

### Sponsored Read Update

Currently we have raised over £1,000 to spend on curriculum reading books for each Year Group. Your children have really got into the reading habit through the sponsored event.

### Football Match

Year 5/6 footballers showed magnificent heart and energy in their match against last night. Their spirit cannot be faulted.

**"Practice isn't the thing you do once you're good. It's the thing you do that makes you good."** - Malcolm Gladwell

### Easter Holiday Club

Fun 4 Kids holiday club at St John's Green Town site are now taking bookings for the Easter holidays. Don't leave it too late, as spaces are limited. For more information and to book please visit [www.fun4kidscolchester.co.uk](http://www.fun4kidscolchester.co.uk)



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### Diary Dates

Tuesday 26th March. Children's Evening. AF & T. 5.00p.m.—7.30p.m.

Thursday 28th March. Year 4 Danbury final information meeting for parents/children. 6.00p.m. @ Town.

Tuesday 2nd April—World Autism Awareness Day

Wednesday 3rd April. Year 4 Production to Parents. Town. 2.00p.m. Pre-school children/babies welcome.

Wednesday 3rd April & Thursday 4th April. Year 4 Production to parents. No pre-school children or babies. 6.00p.m.

Thursday 4th April. PTA Coffee Morning. 9.15a.m. @ T

Thursday 4th April. Year 3 trip to V&A Museum

Friday 5th April. Silly Sock Day

Monday 8th April—Monday 22nd April—Easter Holiday

Tuesday 23rd April—First Day of the Summer Term

Tuesday 30th April—Friday 3rd May. Year 4 Danbury Residential.

Monday 13th May—Thursday 16th May. Year 6 KS2 SATs.

WC 24/6/19—Year 2 to Skreens Park

Tuesday 23rd July—Last Day of Summer Term

Wednesday 4th September. First Day of Autumn Term.

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT THERE ARE OTHER KEY DATES ON THE SCHOOL CALENDAR ON THE

REMINDER—Next Tuesday Children's Evening 5pm-7.30pm. Your children will talk you through their learning and you can speak to their teacher. If you want a longer chat in private please do make an appointment through the school office for a different date.

### Awards

Year 6 (Trinovantes) - Leon Chapman (RREX)  
Year 6 (Cymbeline) - Abed Ali (MLM)  
Year 5 (Oysters) - Sadie Cranmer (CC)  
Year 5 (Magnets) - Yaqub Kamal (MM)  
Year 4 (Castle) - Oliver Price (RROX)  
Year 4 (Cavalier) - Tyrese Odamtten (MM)  
Year 4 (Garrison) - Nida Amir (CC)  
Year 3 (Dutch) - Beau Sales (RREX)  
Year 3 (Iceni) - Esmee Smith (RREX)  
Year 3 (Paxman) - Riley Rudd (MLM)  
Year 2 (Mercury) - Roman Stallard (MM)  
Year 2 (Claudius) - Oliver Littlechild (RROX)  
Year 2 (Romans) - Harry Cording (RREX)  
Year 1 (Eagles) - Sofia-Rae Laurie (CC)  
Year 1 (Circus) - Lianna West (MLM)  
Year 1 (Roses) - Inez Dulull (MM)  
Foundation (Chariot) - Samaa Ahmad (RR)  
Foundation (Star) - Harley Campbell (RR)  
Foundation (Jumbo) - Carson Lai (RR)  
Attendance - Jumbo

**Swimming Payments:** Just a reminder that final payments for Year 4 are now due please.

### Cricket Photos

Year 5 pupils are enjoying 6 weeks of Cricket Training delivered by Essex County Cricket Club.



Year 1 pupils will have the opportunity to play some cricket themed games led by cricket coaches in the summer term.



A productive partnership and setting us up nicely for summer cricket watching on TV!

### Learning Disposition Challenge

**Can you use all the Learning Dispositions in One Day!**

**Can you talk about them?**

**Can you recognise these dispositions in others?**



The best learning is practised at home as well as school. Praising your child for demonstrating:

Collaborative skills, Motivation, Resilience, Reflection and Making Links through connections will enable them to grow more confident as learners.

USE THOSE LEARNING POWERS!

And Finally,

Our school community are so lovely—this week the Rotary Club extended a warm welcome to 8 of our pupils at The Officers' Club for lunch and a magic show. It's these acts of kindness that help our children to appreciate the wider community.

Have a Good Weekend

Tina Bourne