

St Mary's RC Primary School



Friday 5th July 2024



@StMarys_SW8



Dear parents and carers,

Thank you to all who attended our multicultural food and family event last Friday. The weather was kind and the food was delicious! Thank you to all those who kindly donated food, bought tickets and helped us celebrate our many countries.

Thank you all.

Also thanks to the amazing staff team who pulled it altogether.

Well done to all those who won the raffle and we hope you enjoy your activity prizes over the summer-do send us photos! Thanks so much to Miss Traynor who organised it all and sold the tickets on the night. The raffle alone raised £143.



Our Mission Statement

'A man took a grain of mustard seed and sowed it in his field. Indeed the seed is smaller than all other seeds but when it is grown, it is greater than the herbs, and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and lodge in its branches'
Matthew 13.31

Wednesday Word

The Wednesday word this week is
WELCOME

"Let us welcome the light of God into our hearts."

Pope Francis

Key Dates – Summer Term 2024

Date	Event
Monday 8th—Friday 12th July	Y5 swimming all week
Wednesday 10 th July	Market Day at Whole Foods Clapham Junction
Wednesday 10 th July	Y6 Production
Thursday 11th July	Reception class assembly
Friday 12 th July	EYFS/KS1 Sport's Day
Tuesday 16th July	Meet the teacher!
Thursday 18 th July	Y6 mass at OLMC and BBQ
Tuesday 23rd July	Last day for Y6
Wednesday 24 th July	Last day of term- end of the academic year-closing at lunch time

Summer activities!

Please take a look at this link here for lots of free and inexpensive activities for you and your family taking place over the coming weeks and summer holidays all in Wandsworth!

https://wandsworth.gov.uk/leisure-and-culture/sports-and-leisure-venues/access-for-all/?utm_medium=email&utm_name=&utm_source=govdelivery#Times



KS1 and KS2 Maths Challenge!



Well done to Micke and Rajhani for their fabulous answers to last week's challenge!

Challenge for the whole school!



Hampton Court Maths Challenge

- a) Hampton Court Palace was built in 1515 - how many years old is it?
- b) How many bricks do you think were needed to build Hampton Court? 2.6 million, 26 million or 260 million?
- c) Hampton Court has 261 chimneys. If only $\frac{1}{3}$ of them work, how many chimneys are not working?

St Mary's School Council



We are setting up a School Council for the upcoming academic year (2023/24)! This will be for KS2, so the incoming Year 3, 4, 5 and 6.

If you would like to have your voice heard and share your ideas to improve our school then, **WE WANT YOU!**

How can I get involved? Prepare a short video, poster or speech (no longer than 2 minutes) to explain why your classmates should vote for you. You should include 2-3 ideas of things you would like to improve or start up in our school.

How does it work? You will present your video/ poster/ speech to your class and they will vote. There will be two children chosen in each class.

What will I have to do? You will need to commit to meeting with Miss Hunt (Year 5) once every two weeks to plan ideas and deliver them.

When? Have your video/poster/speech ready by 8th July. Voting will be this week.

Happy Streets

FESTIVAL

Saturday 6 July
12 noon - 6pm

A FREE one-day festival
for all the family
Thessaly Road
and local area, SW8

- ★ Crafts and workshops ★ Live music ★
- ★ Dance ★ Interactive performance ★
- ★ Beatboxing ★ Sport sessions ★

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Happy Streets PROGRAMME 2024

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11a KikiLicks AfroCari - Nigerian street food
11a Happy Cafe - Nine Elms Church/Living Room
serving refreshments all day

MAIN STAGE *

- 12.00 - 12.30: World Heart Beat Band
- 12.40 - 1.00: Kinetika Bloco
- 1.10 - 1.40: MACS Dance - Show Reel
- 1.50 - 2.10: MovementWorks
Interactive Family Disco
- 2.20 - 2.40: Kinetika Bloco
- 3.00 - 3.20: Caribbe Steel Pans
- 3.30 - 3.50: SASALSA
Performance & Workshop
- 4.00 - 4.20: Soothe -
Dance Performance
and Workshop
with E33 Dance
- 4.30 - 5.00: BAC Beatboxers Academy -
Beats, Grooves and Vibes...
- 5.10 - 5.30: The Bollywood Co performance
and workshop
- 5.40 - 6.00: Caribbe Steel Pans

SCHOOL HALL

- 2.50 - 3.25: MovementWorks 'Artists For
Autism' and Dance Workshop

INSIDE THE SCHOOL

- 12.00 - 6.00: Chocolate Films Workshops -
Pop up Video Booth
- 12.00 - 6.00: Fee Uhasi - Colour Yourself Happy

MAIN PLAYGROUND

- 12.00 - 6.00: Roadshow Stalls
- 12.00 - 6.00: 575 Wandsworth Road,
National Trust - The Knit Club
St. George's Nine Elms Church -
Cup Cake Making, Badge Making,
Spin the Wheel
Air Quality Team -
Smoothie Bike Challenge

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LONG PLAYGROUND

- 12.00 - 6.00: Free Face Painting
- 12.00 - 6.00: Under Water Mural
with Felicity Prazak

ALLOTMENTS

- 12.00 - 6.00: Wandsworth Detached Youth Bus
gaming, arts and crafts, music &
podcasting

HAPPINESS GARDEN

- 12.30 - 4.30: Creative Joy: Nature-based craft
workshops for all ages with
Nine Elms Arts Ministry

THE PEN

- 12.00 - 3.00: Football Games & Boxing with
FAST London Youth Sports 7-11
- 3.00 - 6.00: Football Games & Boxing with
FAST London Youth Sports 12-16

ROSE Community Clubroom

LARGE HALL

Art and Craft Workshops

- 12.00 - 6.00: PINS Happy Caps (6+)
- 12.00 - 6.00: Scene in London (all ages)

SMALL HALL

- 12.00 - 6.00: Ayana's Multisensory Wellbeing
Experience with the enchanting
Jade (all ages)

GARDEN

- 12.00 - 6.00: Pizza Making Workshop
with Kitchen Academy (all ages)

Ascalon Ball Court

For all these sports and movement workshops
please wear clothes you can move easily in and
bring water. Bottles can be refilled at the ROSE

- 12.00 - 1.00: Breathing Workshop with Steph
- 1.00 - 2.30: Basketball
with FAST London Youth Sports
- 3.00 - 4.30: Basketball
with FAST London Youth Sports
- 5.00 - 6.00: Breathing Workshop with Steph

Out and about

- 12.00 - 1.30: Thessaly Road Four Artists Stroll,
guided tour led by Jeanne
Rathbone, local historian and
Battersea Society member
(Meeting Point is Oasis Playspace)
- 2.30 - 4.00: Art & Architecture Walking Tour of
Battersea Nine Elms by History
Speak, a guided walk through the
largest regeneration project in
Europe (Meeting Point is outside
Nine Elms Tube station)
- 12.00 - 6.00: Walkabout pop up performances
by BLINK Dance Theatre,
Divine Stilt walkers and
Bureau of Silly Ideas

Refreshments available to buy

Access

All festival events and activities are free.
All venues are wheelchair accessible.
Events marked with * are British Sign Language
interpreted.
If there is something we can do to make the
festival accessible for you, let us know what
you need by contacting batterseanineels@
wandsworth.gov.uk or speaking to a member of
the team on the day.
We will do our best to meet as many of your
access requirements as possible.

For full artist and workshop descriptions,
age guidance, food, and drink information
visit wandsworthart.com/happystreets



or scan the QR code
with your phone



Find Your Happy!



Beatbox
Academy ...

...Steel Pans...

...make your
own pizza
at the ROSE...

...and see if you can spot
the Divine
Stilt Walkers...

...or Bureau of Silly Ideas
doing something a bit
out of the ordinary...

Join FAST for some
basketball on
Ascalon Ball Court ...

...Get Art and
Crafty
at the
ROSE...
Linda Achan's
workshop...

...PINS
- Design
your own
Happy Cap...

...Scene in London
- Reimagine your
Neighbourhood

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Term Dates 2024 – 2025

Please be aware that some dates differ from those published by Wandsworth.
These are our term dates for the academic year.

Autumn Term 2024
INSET Day: 2nd September
First Day: 3rd September
INSET Day: 7th October
Half Term: 28th October to 1st November
INSET Day: 4th November
Last Day: 20th December
Spring Term 2025
First Day: 6th January
Half Term: 17th to 21st February
Last Day: 4th April
Summer Term 2025
First Day: 22nd April
Bank Holiday: 5th May
Half Term: 26th to 30th May
INSET Day: 2nd June
Last Day: 22nd July
One INSET Day TBC

Ten:Ten Resources

July 2024

The final few weeks of the school year probably bring mixed feelings: the excitement and relief that the holidays are near may, for some, be tinged with a little sadness that the year is coming to an end, particularly for families with children preparing to leave for new challenges ahead.

July's resources encourage children to think about how they see themselves and others, to pray for children throughout the world, and to look back at the year with gratitude.

This newsletter shares some of the content children will experience in school throughout July and suggests ways for you to engage with them about it. We hope it is a useful resource for your family prayer time.

To read the July 2024 newsletter please click this link here-

<http://www.tentenresources.co.uk/prayers-for-home/parent-newsletter/>