#### **House Points**

St Theresa-981

St Margaret -809

St Francis -727 St Philip-557

## Achievement certificates awarded to: Writing

Oak-Rafa Ash-Harry Beech-Alexandra Rowan-Reya

### **Other Certificates:**

Maple - Whole Class
Willow-Whole Class
Birch – Christopher
Elm-Olivia
Hazel-Aaron and Harmehar
Cherry-Alfie
Hawthorn-Leo and Mikayla
Poplar – Oscar
Chestnut-Preston
Sycamore-Louis

### Values and Virtues: Tolerance and Peace Alana, Phoebe, Rory, Olivia Lydia Elsie

Olivia, Lydia, Elsie, Seraphina, Grace

## Coming up next week:

- Year 4 Mission
   Week
- Breck Foundation online information meeting Monday 20th 7-8pm
- Parents evening22nd November
- Year 6 Cake sale
   24th November
- Football match at Trinity, Wednesday 22nd
- Photographer for Family photos, Saturday 25th.

# St Peter's News



17th November 2023

## This week in school...

Dear Parents and Children,

In our British Values assembly on Monday we had a visit from Rabbi Zvi. It was wonderful to learn about Judaism from him and I know that Year 3 enjoyed their Synagogue workshops with him too.

We had a wonderful morning on Tuesday when we welcomed many visitors to our school. Following Mrs Kelly's presentation, the Year 6 pupils were wonderful ambassadors for the school as they ran their own tours around the school. I know our visitors found them engaging, friendly and polite. Well done Year 6!

Tuesday was also the day our Science Quiz team took part in the National Championship Heat.
Callam, Parth, Joseph and Olek did very well against over one hundred other schools and we came 43rd!
Well done Science Quiz Team!

In our assembly today we celebrat-

ed all the wonderful achievements and behaviours here at St Peter's, but we also took some time to think about all those who suffering because of conflict around the world. You will see the prayer later in the newsletter, you might wish to say this prayer with your children,

Next week is the first of our two Parents Consultation evenings where you will get the opportunity to talk about your child's progress with their classteacher as well as see their work. If you have not made an appointment then please do as soon as possible; any problems please contact the school office.

We wish you a happy and safe weekend. Kind regards, Mrs Kelly and Mrs Hall

### At St Peter's...

We are kind

We are honest

We are respectful

We are helpful

We are always ready to learn



## From Sunday's Gospel...

This coming Sunday we celebrate the **Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A Matthew 25:14-30** 

In this week's Gospel, we hear that we must make the best use of the talents we have been given by God. Please take time to read the Gospel with your child.

Generous God, you gave us a voice. Help us shout loud for what is right and fair. You gave us ears. Help us to listen to those in need. You gave us talents. Help us share and multiply them for the good of all your people. Amen.



Winnie has been so excited to see some fabulous writing from **Victoria** and **Lucie** in Year 4. Mrs McWilliams says she loves seeing the children's writing almost as much as she loves hearing them read!

Well done girls!













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## School Safeguarding Team

If you are worried about something that your own, or another child has told you, or you think that they may be at risk of harm, please contact our Designated Safeguarding team:

Mrs Kelly (Lead)

Mrs. Hall (Deputy)

Mrs. Walsh (Deputy)

Mrs McWilliams
(Deputy)

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Mrs Tucker (Deputy)

## Supporting Families

We are able to offer support to any families experiencing financial difficulties. Please contact us in confidence and we will do whatever we can to help you.

### **FOSP News**

Friday 24th November 7pm - Christmas Wreath Making - only one week to go until our festive evening of creating your own swag wreath to decorate your home with. Saffron will guide you step by step on how to make a beautiful wreath. No previous experience necessary, it will be a fun evening, open to all, so bring your friends & family. Book your tickets here: <a href="https://www.pta-events.co.uk/fosp-events/">https://www.pta-events.co.uk/fosp-events/</a>

#### 1st December - Mufti Day for a Rainbow Hamper donation.

We will be doing a fabulous Christmas Raffle at the Christmas Grotto and are looking to have some beautiful rainbow hampers as part of the prizes. Please bring in something in your year group's nominated colour to create a tasty hamper. From each hamper we will also take a couple of items to create a 15th hamper to be donated to a family in need.

The colours for the years and please note, no nuts or refrigerated items.:

Red - Reception Orange - Year I Yellow - Year 2 Green - Year 3 Blue - Year 4 Purple - Year 5 Pink - Year 6





### 8th December - Christmas jumper day with donations for pre-loved toys and games and cakes.

Children can come to school wearing their school uniform with a Christmas jumper. As it is the season of giving, you may be making space for the lovely things that Santa will bring, and sometimes these toys and games will be enjoyed by someone else. We want to have a pre-loved toys and games stall at our Santa's Grotto, so please bring your good quality toys & games to drop off for us to collect. We're also looking for bakers who can provide tasty goods for us to sell at the Grotto - please get in touch with your rep if you can help!

**Sunday 10th December 11am-3pm - Santa's Grotto and crafts -** Our hall will be beautifully decorated to welcome you and your children to spend some time crafting gingerbread men and designing decorations for your tree before meeting the man himself! Please book your slot here: <a href="https://www.pta-events.co.uk/fosp-events/">https://www.pta-events.co.uk/fosp-events/</a>

There will also be the Napoli-on-wheels pizza van, along with FOSP serving up mulled wine, mince pies and other seasonal treats, a few games to play and our Christmas raffle! With prizes including a Nintendo Switch console, £100 Sainsbury's voucher, £100 Tesco voucher, Hair care hamper from Ward & Cross, tickets to Bocketts Farm, vouchers for Josh Evans & Kiko, and lots more prizes.

#### Christmas lunch setup volunteers

We will be looking for Christmas lunch volunteers - if you are able to help setup on either day - please get in touch with your rep. We have places to set and crackers to lay!

### **Prayer for Peace**

God of peace, bearer of hope, we seek your help for the peoples of Palestine and Israel. Quiet the clamour of war and guide us towards peace.

Where there is hatred and division sow seeds of calm and openness.

Where there is destruction help us to rebuild.

Where children are crying bring an end to tears.

Shelter your peoples and protect them Guide them and keep them from harm.

Show us how to break down the barriers of history and fear and breathe whispers of hope.







### Visit by Rabbi Zvi

We were delighted to welcome Rabbi Zvi back for a visit.

Rabbi Zvi visits our school to help us learn more about Judaism as part of the "World Faith" section of our RE curriculum.

He spoke to the whole school in an assembly and then did workshops about the synagogue in Year 3.

"It was so interesting to see the Torah"
"The challah bread was delicious"
Rabbi Zvi said how much he had enjoyed the visit: "It is always lovely to come and visit this wonderful school."



### **Anti-Bullying week**

This week we have been talking about bullying and what we should do to stop it happening: "Make a noise about bullying" is the theme for this year.

In our special assemblies Mrs Kelly and Mrs Hall talked about what bullying is, how it makes us feel and what we can do if we experience it or see it happening. It was so good to hear the children of all ages being open and thoughtful about this topic.

In Years 5 and 6 we talked about cyber-bullying and discussed how we can keep ourselves safe online.

Next week the Breck Foundation will be visiting and will explore this in more detail with Years I-6.

In the online parent information meeting on **Monday 20th November at 7pm** you will be able to see what your children will be being taught and also gain further insight into how you can keep your children safe online.





https://www.breckfoundation.org/our-work

## Dates for your diary

	20/11/23	Breck Foundation online parents information meeting 7-8pm	NEW	
	21/11/23	Breck Foundation workshops for Years I-6	NEW	
	22/11/23	Boys and Girls' Football Matches at Trinity		
	22.11.23	Parents Consultation Evening 5.30-8.30pm		
	24.11.23	Year 6 Cake Sale		
	24.11.23	Christmas Wreath Making –FOSP		
	25.11.23	Photographer available for family photos		
	27/11/23	Peer Productions - emotional wellbeing and resilience workshop for Years 1-6	NEW	
	27.11.23	Parents Consultation Evening 3.30-6.30pm		
	28/11/23	Carol Singing at Emmeline Lodge	NEW	
	1.12.23	Year 6 Visit to Hampton Court		
	1.12.23	Mufti for hamper donation - more to follow		
	Week beg 4.12.23	Christmas Post starts, final week for teacher-led clubs	NEW	
	Week beg 4.12.23	Bikeability Year 4		
	5.12.23	Reception Nativity 9.30am	NEW TIME	
	6/12/23	Advent Penitential Service	NEW	
	6.12.23	Reception Nativity 2pm	NEW TIME	
	7.12.23	Year I Nativity 9am		
	8.12.23	Christmas jumper day - please bring in good quality pre-loved toys & games	NEW	
	8.12.23	Year I Nativity I.30pm		
	8.12.23	Year 3 and 4 Carols around the Christmas Tree		
	10.12.23	Santa's Grotto and Crafts		
	11.12.23	Year 2 Nativity 2.30pm	NEW TIME	
	12.12.23 13/12/23	Year 2 Nativity 9.15am KSI Lunch	NEW TIME	
	14/12/23	Year 5 and 6 Carol Service 10.45am Details to follow - KS2 Christmas Lunch	NEW	
	15.12.23	School finishes for Christmas Holidays at Ipm		
	2.01.24.	INSET DAY - School Closed for children		
	3.01.24	All children return to school		
	09.02.24	INSET DAY - School Closed for children		
	Monday 12th -Friday 16th February Half Term Holiday			
	19.02.24	Children return to school		
	26.02.24	Year 2 trip to Windsor Castle		
	07.03.24	World Book day—details to follow		
	28.03.24	School finishes for Easter Holidays at Ipm		
	15.04.24	All children return to school		
Monday 27th –Friday 31st May—Half Term Holiday				
	14.06.24	INSET DAY - School Closed for children		
	23.07.24	School finishes for Summer Holidays at 1pm		