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Respect, Hope, Friendship and Forgiveness.

Newsletter Autumn Term

Friday 13th October 2023



Dear Parents and Carers,

This week, my message goes out to all the Key Stage 2 girls who attended the football festival at Batley Sports and Tennis Centre competing against many other local schools. The children thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon and represented our school exceptionally well. They were well mannered, showed respect to others and best of all had lots of fun. Well done girls! Watch out for more sports events throughout the year, run by the School Sports Partnership.

Kind regards,
Mr Blackburn.

Sponsored Walk to raise money for school:

On Sunday, various members of the St John's staff team are doing a sponsored walk from Saltaire to Leeds. A remarkable distance of 12 miles! It's not too late to sponsor the team using the link; <https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/stjohnsdewsbury>

Thank you Mrs Preston for organising this event for us!

Thankyou - Macmillan:

A great big thank you to all who attended the Macmillan coffee morning or bought buns at the bun sale. We raised a great total of £176.40. Thank you for your support towards this great national charity event.

Dates for your diaries:

Individual School
Photos – Friday 20th
October

Shoebox Launch Day
– Monday 23rd
October

Harvest Festival –
Tuesday 24th
October
9.30am KS2 & 2pm
EYFS & KSI

School Closes –
Thursday 26th
October

Inset Day – Friday
27th October (School
Closed to Children)

School Reopens –
Monday 6th
November

School Closes –
Thursday 21st
December

Police:

If anyone has any cause for concern regarding unpleasant smells in the local area, please can we advise you to report it to the police, just as we have done many times as a school.

Dogs:

Just a reminder that dogs are not allowed on school site. Please can we ask that dogs are also not directly by the school gate where children leave school. Thank you for your support with this matter.

Parent's Evening:

Parent's Evening booking will go live today. You should all receive an email which allows you to book your slot. Emails are only sent to emergency contact number 1 and if you have provided school with an email address. Please ensure you check both your inbox and junk folder just to be sure. If you don't receive an email, please contact Miss Stanley in the office and she will book your appointment for you.

Parent's Evening is over two evenings after school:

- Wednesday 8th November – 3.30 – 7pm.
- Thursday 9th November – 3.30 – 5pm.

Please ensure you book as soon as possible as appointments will go on a first come basis. We hope you are looking forward to this event!

★ St John's Stars ★

Red	Salahuddin
Orange	Fatima
Yellow	Hammaad
Green	Fatimah
Purple	Elin
Blue	Ihsaan
Brown	Zara



Weekly Attendance

Red	90%
Orange	95%
Yellow	92%
Green	94%
Purple	96%
Blue	96%
Brown	94%