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26th April 2024

Football Report

On Monday 16th April the St Johns team played at Parkdale in a league match. The first half we played quite sloppy and Parkdale had lots of shots on goal. We were 4-0 down by half time. In the second half we stepped it up and scored an early goal with Andrew. Jaylan also hit the post. We played much better in the second half but the final score was 5-1. We all felt disappointed and want to be more energetic for the next match with St Wilfred's.

By Jaylan and Harrison

Unfortunately, due to the weather the match with St Wilfred's was cancelled.

Academisation Update

The academisation process is continuing but has hit a hurdle at the moment. There are issues to be resolved regarding the ownership of the land that the school sits on, so this is expected to set back to the projected transfer date of the new academic year. However, the Archway team are continuing their work with the school on teaching and learning and are visible in school. I will give you another update next month.

The School Plane

Despite our best efforts in 2020 to renovate it, it is with sadness that I inform you that during the May half term the school plane will be removed from the school grounds. Unfortunately, it has become an unusable space and will become a money pit to keep in good condition. Money was spent on improving it in 2020 and it has already become unusable. Therefore, we have taken the difficult decision to free up the space. I have been approached by an enthusiast who will be transporting the plane to a flying school on the south coast and upcycling it for use there. The work to remove the plane will take approximately 3 days so the school holidays are the best time to ensure safety on site. The plane has been an iconic part of the St John's journey and we are frequently referred to as 'the school with the plane' or 'the plane school'.

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The new owner has promised to keep us updated with its journey for our school history board in the entrance. Over the longer term we aim to replace it with another building that will have a multi-purpose use.

Awards

Forgiveness award

FS Toby, C1 Chloe, C2 Anastasia, C3 Evelyn, C4 Esme P, C5 Max BW, C6 Ella

Platinum awards

Week beginning 15th April - FS Nova, Layton, Mason, C1 Ayra, Amber, C4 Jade, Billie-Leigh, Esme R, Vihana, Olivier B, Fletcher, C5 Paulus, Hannah, Sophie E, C6 Sophie, Jasmine

Week beginning 22nd April - FS Abdul, C1 Zoe, Isla, C2 Ophelia, Darcy, Millie, Rhia, Robbie, Hannah, C3 Amelia, Josh G, C4 Ajay, Rhys K, Hamnah, C5 Angel-Rose, Paulus, Esther, Lydia, Sophie

Attendance award

Week beginning 15th April - C2

Week beginning 22nd April - C5

Times Tables award

Week beginning 22nd April - C3

Diary Dates

Monday 29 th April	Year 3/4 Athletics Tournament at Gamston School 4pm
Friday 3 rd May	Class Photos
Monday 6 th May	Bank Holiday School Closed
Week beginning 13 th May	Year 6 SATs
Wednesday 15 th May	After School Church (bookable at afterschoolchurch@yahoo.com)
Monday 20 th May	Coffee and Chat morning
Monday 27 th May-Friday 31 st May – Half term Holiday 1 week	
Monday 3 rd June	INSET DAY (School closed to pupils)
Week beginning 3 rd June-14 th June	Year 4 Multiplication Check Window
Tuesday 4 th June	Pupils return for Summer term 2
Friday 7 th June	Sports day
Week beginning 10 th June	Year 1 Phonics Screening Check
Tuesday 11 th June	Year 2 Mini Olympics with Cotgrave and Gamston schools
Friday 14 th June	Coffee and Chat morning Summer Fair after school

Wednesday 19 th June	After School Church (bookable at afterschoolchurch@yahoo.com)
Monday 24 th June	Sports Award evening invite only
Friday 5 th July	Year 5 Camp out TBC
Wednesday 17 th July	After School Church (bookable at afterschoolchurch@yahoo.com)
Monday 22 nd July	Year 5/6 show TBC
Tuesday 23 rd July	Year 5/6 show TBC
Wednesday 24 th July	Coffee and Chat morning
Thursday 25 th July	PTFA Year 6 leavers event
Friday 26 th July	Last day of the academic year, year 6 leavers assembly
Monday 29 th July-Monday 2 nd September – School holidays	



