



ST MICHAEL'S
C of E PRIMARY
HIGHGATE

WEEKLY ROUNDUP NEWSLETTER

24th March 2023



Message
from our

Head of School

Fran Sorapure

Dear Parents and Carers,

It does feel like Spring has arrived, which was perfect for the residential trip this week, and Year Four had a great time at Flatford Mill. They all came home happy, safe and a little exhausted! I know you will join me in thanking the dedicated staff for their around the clock support so that the children had a wonderful time. They will share what they got up to at their Flatford Assembly next Friday at 9:10am in the KS2 hall.

Next Tuesday and Thursday is parents evening for Years Two and Six, plus on Wednesday Ms Kelly-Jay will be presenting an information session about Teacher assessment and the Statutory Assessment Tests (SATs) for Year Two parents. If you are not able to make the meeting, we will share the slides.

Keep those Easter egg donations coming in ready for the raffle on Friday, and remember the clocks spring forward on Saturday night!

Have a lovely weekend.

Fran Sorapure

School vision

We believe our children's future is created every day. Every moment counts.

Brought to life through our mission

To nurture and inspire our children to develop a love of learning in a supportive Christian community and become the best they can be.

Underpinned by our values

Endurance | Forgiveness | Koinonia | Creation | Friendship



We currently have some chance in-year vacancies.

If you are interested or would like some more information, please do contact us by email on admin@stmichaelsn6.com or alternatively, give us a call on 0208 340 7441

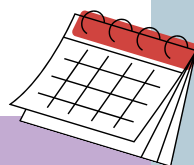


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DATES FOR THE DIARY



Mon 20th

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Tue 21st

Year 3 British Museum Trip

Wed 22nd

Flatford
Year 3 Egypt Virtual Workshop

Thu 23rd

Flatford
First Day of Ramadan

Fri 24th

Flatford
Year 5 & 6 Basketball at APS
Parent Talk KS2 Hall

Mon 27th

Year 4 Natural History Museum Trip

Tue 28th

Year 2 and 6 Parents' Evening
Year 5 Ragged School Museum Trip

Wed 29th

Year 3 Church Rehearsal
Year 2 SATs Information Evening

Thu 30th

Year 2 and 6 Parents' Evening
Year 1 Highgate Synagogue
Easter Church Service Led by Year 3
Easter Bonnet Parade

Fri 31st

LAST DAY OF TERM - 2PM FINISH

House Points & Attendance

Class House Point Winners

KS1	Ashman 312
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LKS2	Deutscher 313
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UKS2	Warwick 220
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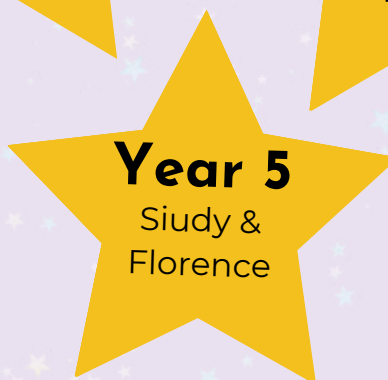
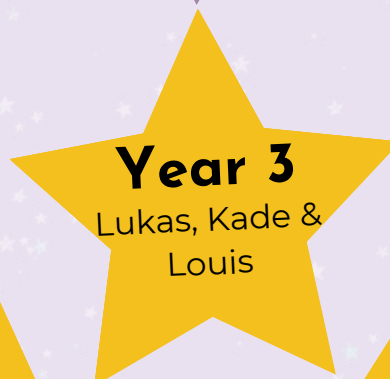
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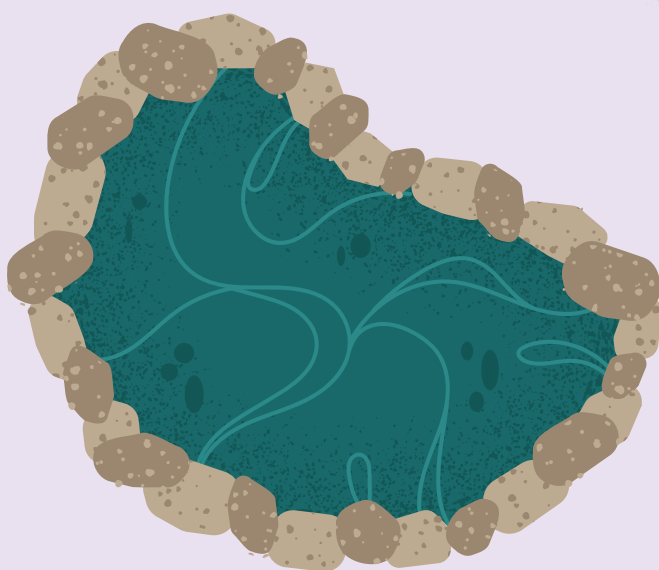
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Class with the best attendance

Nursery Blake
with 99.3%





The peace garden has been decorated for Easter by some little Y4 helpers. We would love if parents would bring their own waterproof painted Easter eggs to make the peace garden even more colourful.

Gardenangels (Stephanie, Mehrnoosh, anke)



Peace

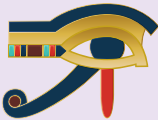


Year 3 British Museum Trip

"It is astonishing to think that someone so small was inside such a huge sarcophagus."

"The most interesting things were the paintings on the walls of the tombs."

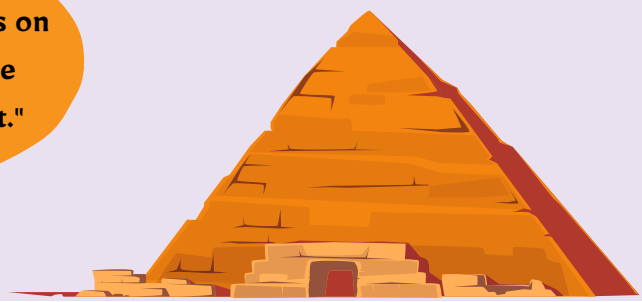
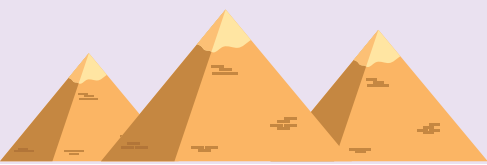
On Tuesday, Year 3 had an exciting visit to the British Museum. This was to extend our learning about the Ancient Egyptians. We were amazed by the huge statues of the pharaohs and fascinated by the Egyptian Mummies, although some of us thought they were creepy!

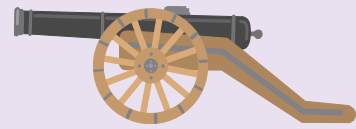
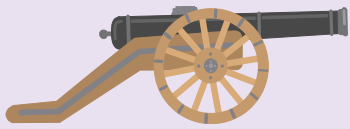


"I saw white columns, a glass roof, magnificent statues and confusing symbols."



"I liked the hieroglyphics on the big column and the beetle statue next to it."





BENTLEY PRIORY

WITH YEAR 6



YEAR 5 & 6 NETBALL TOURNAMENT



On Tuesday 21st of March, 16 brilliant girls played a netball tournament on our very own grounds. They played a friendly match against St James Primary School : the girls did amazingly well (as always!) and ended up scoring 12 goals within 2 matches!

Here is an interview with Daisy:

Tienne: “ What was your best score?”

Daisy: “ I think it was 12:0!”

Tienne: “ Did you enjoy the match?”

Daisy: “ YESSSS!!!!”

Our school ended up winning the match whilst having a blast! The netball team at our school is extremely talented and never fails to impress us with their scores!

Well done to St Michael’s netball team!

Also thank you to Helen Franks for making this possible!

Written by: Tienne (Y6 Sports Media)



Parent Q&A With Actress Vic Hamilton (Hal's Mum)

Year 6 had a very special visit this week. Award winning actress and parent Vic Hamilton very kindly attended to answer questions on her life and career as part of Year 6 English study on the art of interview writing.

Vic provided a delightful insight into the world of acting including how she started off as an actress as well as her favourite roles and films or shows, whilst highlighting the importance of following your dream.

Year 6 would like to say a BIG thanks to Vic for inspiring us all.

VIC



Talk With Year 6

On Thursday, Year 6 had an important talk from Elsa Shamash - a 95 year old refugee who came to England on the Kindertransport before the start of WW2.

She started by asking the children to think about what evil was, and posed the philosophical idea that evil can only happen if good people do nothing.

She spoke for almost an hour about growing up in Berlin and the rise of the Nazi party.

She described being just 6 years old when a girl from her school told her that they weren't allowed to play together anymore because she was Jewish.

She spoke of her father receiving an anonymous tip-off that the Gestapo were coming, and how he hid from them on the underground railway. If that person hadn't made the choice to do the right thing, her story could have been very different.

She spoke of coming to England at just 11 years old and the boarding school that she was sent to. She was treated differently because she was German and she thought "Here they don't want me because I am German. In Germany, they don't want me because I am Jewish."

All of the children were encapsulated in her amazing life story, and the important message of tolerance and acceptance of all peoples that she shared.

Year 6 have been working hard to transcribe the interview, and will be writing an article about her. We will publish one of the articles in next week's newsletter, and make the full transcript available to anyone who wants to read more about this fascinating woman's life.



We wish to congratulate Ms Cooper, who had a beautiful Nikah ceremony on Saturday at the Cambridge Central Mosque. They both look amazing, and we wish them all the very best in their new married life together.

Meet the Team

This week: Year 2 Sherman



Zara Massouras
Class Teacher



Mark Lawrence
Teaching Assistant



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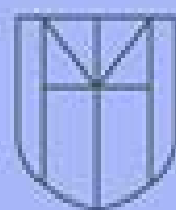
EASTER HOLIDAY CAMP

17th-21st April

HOURS: 9.30 - 15.30 EXTENDED HOURS OPTION AVAILABLE

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Parent Talk



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How to Build Resilience in Young People



Saskia Joss
BACP Registered
Children's Therapist

Parent Talk

After the success of our last Parent Talk, Saskia will join us again to provide us with some more insightful knowledge. The talk will detail how you can support young people to build resilience, using simple techniques that are really effective. Saskia will talk about the theory behind resilience and help us to understand how resilience in young people can be supported.

About Saskia

Saskia Joss is a therapist who uses an integrative therapies approach including talk, arts and play therapy to support young people through a range of emotional and psychological challenges. You can visit her website here: <https://www.saskiajosstherapy.co.uk/>



Reserve your place:
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Date: Friday 24th March @ 9am

Location: KS2 Hall



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scavenger hunts,
and lots of fun
learning!



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For any questions, please contact Karen at crouchend@lingotot.com



SUNDAY
12.MARCH.2023

JOIN OUR SPRING TIME RIDE
FOR SAFER STREETS!

11.00 AM. APPROX 2 HOURS

STARTS

GRANARY SQUARE.N1C ST PANCRAS ➡

ENDS

EWER STREET.SE1 BLACKFRIARS ➡

HARINGEY FEEDER RIDE!

Meet us at Finsbury park cafe
9.15AM (depart 9.30AM)





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11th-14th April 2023
Day & Week Bookings Available



Easter Holiday School!



9am-3.30pm

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