

St. John the Evangelist Church School

NEWSLETTER



Term 5.2 Thursday 19th April 2018



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Multi Academy Trust
'That they may have life, life in all its fullness' John 10:10

Dear Parents and carers,

I hope you have had a good week. It has been a very busy and eventful one here in school with lots to be proud of. This has been made even better by the arrival of the sunshine and warmer weather. Long may it last!

On Monday we welcomed our Assistant Director of Learning and Achievement, Deborah Eveleigh, into school for her termly monitoring visit. She was very positive in her praise of the many achievements of the children and the hard work of the staff. She was able to see that we have made great leaps forward since September, both in terms of the learning environments around the school and in the quality of work in the children's books.

On Tuesday, we welcomed the headteachers from the other schools in the BWMAT North Somerset Hub. They attended a meeting here but also took part in a school scrutiny looking again at the learning environment and observing the children working. They were able to provide lots of positive next step feedback and made some very pleasing and positive observations about the school and about our wonderful children.

It was a privilege to be able to attend the North Somerset Dance Festival at The Playhouse in Weston super Mare on Tuesday evening. Our Year 5 children were absolutely fantastic and shone out from the stage with their confident performances. Their behaviour and attitude was also a real credit to them and a great reflection on the school. My personal thanks to them and also to Mrs Williams, for her tireless supervision and organisation for the event, along with Naomi Jeffrey for working with the children to produce such wonderful and innovative routines.

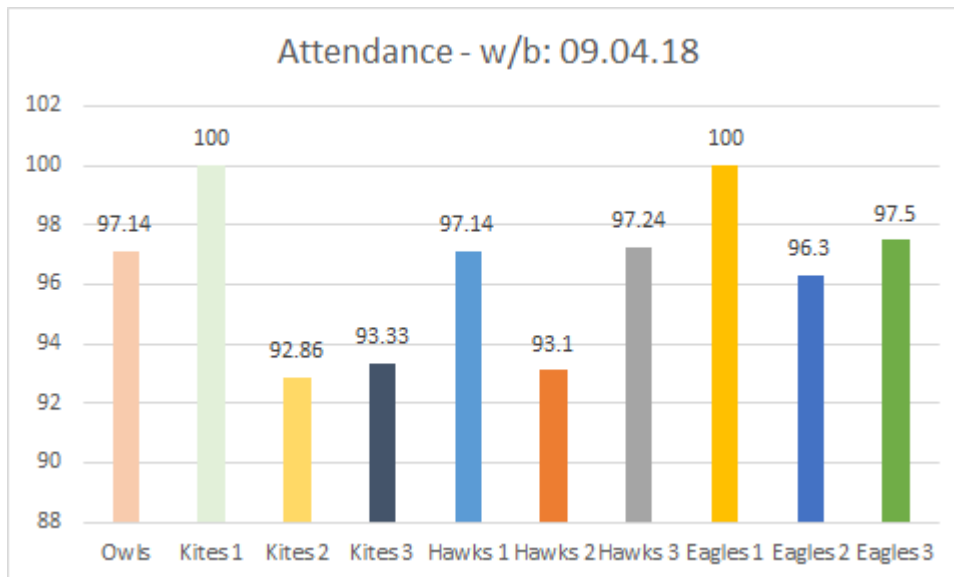
Today we held our first Thanksgiving Praise in school. This is a new act of worship where we came together to celebrate many of the children's achievements and recognise their efforts in maintaining super behaviour and demonstrating our school values. Certificates were presented to two children from each class, along with an attendance cup for the class with the best attendance for last week. We also celebrated each house for the housepoints that they had received so far and look forward to presenting the end of year house cup. We plan to hold a Thanksgiving Praise every two weeks initially until the end of this academic year.

Pupil Assessment reports

Pupils in Year 1 -6 will receive their Spring term data reports tomorrow (Friday 20th April 2018). These will be sent home in a sealed envelope for your attention. You will also receive a detailed letter from Mrs Tossell, our Assessment Manager, that explains how the outcomes have been calculated and how to interpret the results. Please do not hesitate to contact her, or me, if you require further information, explanation or wish to discuss your child's report.

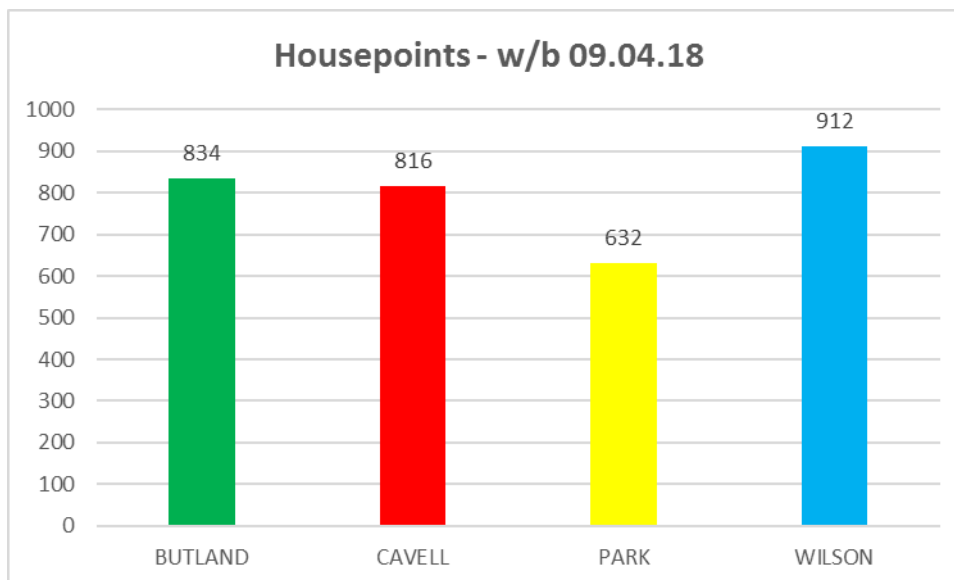
Scholastic Book Fair

This will be held in the Atrium from Monday 23rd to Friday 27th April 2018, at 15:00 daily. Payments for books can be made by cash. Additionally, there is a new phone payment system. This will allow you to choose your books and pay for purchases using a debit/credit card over a secure payment telephone line. Further details about this will be on display at the fair.



Last week's whole school attendance was **96.5%**

A special mention to both **Kites 1** and **Eagles 1** classes for their amazing **100%** attendance last week. They share this week's attendance trophy.



Wishing you all a very happy and peaceful week,

Ian Doswell

Headteacher

Notices

Head Lice

We have received notification from a number of parents in Kites Base that their child has head lice. Please follow the guidelines and ensure long hair is tied back.

[Link to NHS advice >](#)

E-Safety



[Link to Parent Zone for weekly updates >](#)

Please be reminded that general safeguarding information can be found on our school website under the policies section. The Child protection officer for the Primary school is Mr Ian Doswell, or Mrs Nicola Short in his absence. If you have any concerns regarding the safety or welfare of any child in our community please do not hesitate to contact them.

Community News

(Although these events are not endorsed by the school, they are shared with you for your information).

Chartwells Catering have a Vacancy in: St John the Evangelist Church School

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Swiss Valley Rangers Girls Football at Clevedon School

We are offering FREE training for girls from reception to year 6 to join our successful football team in preparation for our next season league. No football experience is required as the girls learn while playing, socialising and having fun. Plus, the excitement of FIFA Women World Cup 2019 is around the corner. Summer training is on every Thursday between 5.30-7pm at Clevedon School Sports Ground. Come and meet us, Noren and Bill Mckinen at the training ground for a visit/chat. Alternatively visit our website www.swissvalleyrangersfc.co.uk or call me on 07725253918 (Noren).