

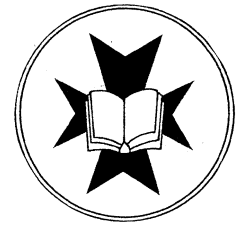
# St John's Primary School and Nursery - Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2018 -

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## Week 1: w/c 4.6.18

Welcome back after a lovely half-term break. I hope you all had some sort of rest and relaxation during the week.

I know it seems a little ironic given the extreme weather we have been enduring lately, but summer is here! Please can you make sure that the children take any hayfever medication before school and apply an all-day sunscreen if possible? Hats are also advised if the sunshine ever does manage to burn through the clouds!

Please don't forget that we have an INSET day on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June.

Have a lovely weekend and thank you for your ongoing support; it is much appreciated.

Best wishes,

**Mr D Barrow**  
Head Teacher

## Vacancy: Out of School Club

Sadly, after many years at St John's, Mrs Pryke will be leaving the Out of School Club to relocate. She has given many years of loyal service and has been an integral part of the Out of School Club and school for a long time. We all want to wish Mrs Pryke well when she leaves on 13<sup>th</sup> July.

Consequently, we have various hours and positions available:

- **Manager:** 32.5 hours per week (mornings and afternoons)
- **Play Workers:** Various hours, mornings and afternoons (flexible)

If you are interested, please call into the office for an application form. For the first time, we may be able to offer subsidised childcare for successful candidates. **The closing date for applications is Monday 18<sup>th</sup> June.**

## Vacancy: Midday Supervisor

A vacancy has arisen for a Midday Supervisor. The hours of work will be 12.00pm to 1.10pm, Monday to Friday (term-time only) – to start as soon as possible. If you are interested, please speak to Mrs Morris or Mrs Weir in the school office.

## Extra-Curricular Clubs – Monday 11<sup>th</sup> June

**Due to staff training, there will be no teacher-led after-school clubs on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> June.** Therefore, if your child normally attends gardening, cheerleading or football, please make alternative arrangements for the end of the day. Thank you.

## Parent Forum

Parents and carers of RFB are invited to join us for the next in our new-look Parent Forum coffee mornings after RFB's class assembly on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> June. Parents will be able to come and have a coffee in the Out of School Club and speak to me in a less formal environment. Please do make every effort to stay behind.

## Out of School Club

Please could we remind parents that the school is not open for parents to access after the school day? We are seeing an increasing number of parents (in particular, those whose children use the Out of School Club) coming into school to check cloakrooms for mislaid items etc. From a health and safety and safeguarding point of view, we need to know exactly who is in the building at any time. Thank you for your co-operation.

## Two Castles Run

Mrs Morris has taken up running to help her get fit before she turns 50! She will be running the Two Castles Run (10km) on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June in aid of Bloodwise. If you'd like to make a donation to help her on her way, she'd be very grateful. [www.justgiving.com/fundraising/lucy-morris23](http://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/lucy-morris23).

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## Diary Dates

Mon 11 <sup>th</sup> Jun	<b>After-school clubs cancelled today (football, gardening, cheerleading)</b>
Tue 12 <sup>th</sup> Jun	2.30pm: Reception Father's Day picnic 4.00pm: KDPSA athletics – field events (selected children, Years 3 to 6 – Kenilworth School)
Wed 13 <sup>th</sup> Jun	4.00pm: KDPSA athletics – track events (selected children, Years 3 to 6 – Edmonscote)
<b>Fri 15<sup>th</sup> Jun</b>	<b>Non-uniform day: Year 3 carnival float (£1 donation)</b>
w/c 18 <sup>th</sup> Jun	Arts Week
Mon 18 <sup>th</sup> Jun	pm: Head of Year 7, Kenilworth School visiting Year 6
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup> Jun	9.00am: RFB class assembly 9.30am: Parent forum – RFB
<b>Thu 21<sup>st</sup> Jun</b>	<b>Non-uniform day: Music curriculum (£1 donation)</b> 12.00pm: 1C parent sharing lunch <b>After school: PTA Summer Disco</b>
<b>Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> Jun</b>	<b>INSET day – school closed</b>
Tue 26 <sup>th</sup> Jun	6.00pm: New Reception parents' meeting
<b>Wed 27<sup>th</sup> Jun</b>	<b>Common Induction Day (Year 6 children at new schools for the day)</b>
Sat 30 <sup>th</sup> Jun	Kenilworth Carnival (Year 3 float)
Tue 3 <sup>rd</sup> Jul	6.00pm: KDPSA country dancing festival (Kenilworth Castle)
Wed 4 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Year 2 trip to Twycross Zoo 3.30pm-4.30pm: Reception stay and play #1 (September 2018 intake)
Thu 5 <sup>th</sup> Jul	12.00pm: RFB parent sharing lunch
Fri 6 <sup>th</sup> Jul	Cheerleaders at Warwick University
Tue 10 <sup>th</sup> Jul	am: Reception/Year 1 trip to The Children's Play Village 1.30pm & 6.30pm: Year 6 end-of-year performance
Wed 11 <sup>th</sup> Jul	3.30pm-4.30pm: Reception stay and play #2 (September 2018 intake)
<b>Fri 13<sup>th</sup> Jul</b>	<b>Non-uniform day: KS1 - bottle tombola / KS2 - cake)</b> 9.15am: Early Years sports morning (NK/RFB) Reports home to parents/carers
<b>Sat 14<sup>th</sup> Jul</b>	<b>12.00pm-3.00pm: PTA Summer Fair</b>
Tue 17 <sup>th</sup> Jul	am: Sports Morning (Years 1 to 6) 3.30pm: Optional parents' evening (to discuss report concerns/queries)
<b>Wed 18<sup>th</sup> Jul</b>	<b>St John's induction day (classes move up a year for the day)</b> Year 6 trip to Abbey Fields 9.30am-11.45am: Reception induction #1 (September 2018 intake) 1.15pm-3.30pm: Reception induction #2 (September 2018 intake) 3.30pm-3.45pm: Say hello to your child's new teacher 3.30pm: Nursery stay and play (September 2018 intake)
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup> Jul	9.00am: Leavers' assembly <b>3.15pm: Break up for summer holiday</b>

## PTA Summer Disco: Save the Planet!

A letter regarding the PTA Summer Disco on 21<sup>st</sup> June accompanies this newsletter. The PTA are very conscious of protecting our planet so, due to the excessive waste produced by using disposable plastic cups, are kindly asking that **parents provide any children attending the school disco with their own water bottle**. They will, of course, be happy to refill them when required. Thank you for your understanding.



### School Uniform

We have decided to phase out our green PE t-shirts. Instead, our PE t-shirts will be white (either plain white or with the St John's logo). If you would like to order a white PE t-shirt, these are available from NSC Alcester. Orders can be placed online via [www.alcesternsc.co.uk](http://www.alcesternsc.co.uk) or by completing an order form (available from the school office).

### Non-Uniform Days

#### **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June: Year 3 carnival float**

It is traditional for Year 3 families to take part in Kenilworth Carnival. This year's event is taking place on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> June, and the theme for the float is going to be **Willie Wonka and the Chocolate Factory** (based on the original film). Year 3 would like to organise a whole-school non-uniform day to raise funds for decorating the carnival float. So, *please wear your own clothes on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June in return for a suggested £1 donation towards float resources.*

#### **Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> June: Music curriculum**

*Wear your own clothes on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> June in return for a suggested £1 donation towards our new music curriculum.*

#### **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July: PTA Summer Fair donations**

*Wear your own clothes on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July in return for Summer Fair donations as follows:*

- KS1: Bottles for the bottle tombola (beverages)
- KS2: Cakes (no fresh cream please)