



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Friday 8th December 2017

Music Masters Concert

On Wednesday, children from Years 1, 2, 3 and 4 performed for parents and visitors, showing what they have learnt this term in their lessons with London Music Masters. Year 3 and 4 sang in parts beautifully. Year 1 performed on their instruments for the first time, both cello and violin, and Year 2 showed how much they have progressed on the violin since last year. Well done everyone and thank you London Music Masters for teaching the children so well.



Year 2 Trip to the Poppy Factory

Last Friday, Year 2 went to Richmond to visit the Poppy Factory. It was part of their History topic about Remembrance. When they arrived, the children watched a film on soldiers who fought in World War 1 and other wars. Then they went through into the factory itself and had a go at making a poppy that people would wear on their clothes and a poppy wreath. Afterwards, the children were given a tour of the factory and saw the machines that make the poppies. Finally, they had lunch and made their way back to school. Angel commented 'I really loved it!'



Term Dates:

We finish on Wednesday 20th at 1.15pm and restart on Wednesday 3rd January at 9.00. Please co-ordinate your holidays with ours (and Santa's!). Thank you.

Dojo Point News:

Here are this week's hot chocolate winners, talking about all things Christmas!



Year 4 Trip to QPR

Yesterday, Year 4 visited QPR football club for a 'meet the author' day. This is part of the Premier League's Primary Stars programme, which St Mary's is part of.



Christmas Dates

Christingle Service in St Mary's church—Sunday 10th December at 11am (school choir singing)
Carol Service in church—Thursday 14th December 2.00 →
PLEASE COLLECT YOUR CHILD FROM CHURCH at 3.00 (F1 & F2), 3.05 (Y1&2), 3.10 (Y3&4), 3.15 (Y5&6)
EYFS Christmas play—Friday 15th December at 1.45
KS1 Christmas play—Monday 18th December at 1.45
KS2 Christmas play—Tuesday 19th December at 1.45
KS1 trip to see The Snowman—Tuesday 19th December

Coming up...

Our International Week will be January 15th—19th 2018, with International Afternoon on Friday 19th. During that week, each class will be learning about the culture, religion/beliefs, geography and history of a country in Asia: Y6—China, Y5—Malaysia, Y4—India, Y3—Thailand, Y2—Bangladesh, Y1—Indonesia, F2 & F1—Japan
If you come from one of these countries and would like to come and talk about it please speak to the classteacher. The children might like to start researching now!

Best wishes for the weekend,
Emily Norman, Headteacher

