

# St Edmund's Newsletter 30

## Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2024

Dear Parents,

We hope you have had a good week and enjoyed the recent fete and sports day. We have two weeks left to go before the end of term with many activities planned. A Pizza Express trip, a Crazy Bone Sweet Day, a Surrey Arts Music Concert and Y6 leavers retreat to Wintershall to name a few!

**Sports Day** – we had a fantastic Sports Day on Monday. Many thanks go to Godalming College and their students for the use of the field and their support on the day; and to Mr Roots and Mrs Shorten for organising and running the event. Well done to St John's and St Luke's House, our winners this year.



A watch was found outside school and an earring was found after Sports Day- if anyone has lost them, please do contact the office.

### PSA Cake Sale today



Year R Cake Sale after school today! Pricing will be from £1 for larger items and 50p for smaller items – Please do come along and support them!

**Concert Series** – Our Y3 and Y4 school concert series is on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm. This will be held at St Edmund's Church for a hymn and folk tune session – an exploration into the eclectic world of hymns, folksongs and the links between the two! Directed by Fraser Ellson this is free admission event and we encourage all to attend for a wonderful evening of music!

### Moving Up Day

We welcomed our new Year R children and families on Tuesday morning. The children enjoyed their time in Year R and we look forward to welcoming them all in September.

### Just a few reminders please

If we could ask that you notify the office every morning before 9am (or the evening before) if your child will be off sick please.

If your child needs medicine during the day, particularly at the moment with the summer colds / end of term fatigue / summer rashes – please do let the office know and bring in their medicine with approval for the school to administer it.

Please do have a look in the lost property for anything you may be missing – it’s just tucked inside the reception area and is the one overflowing!

Thank you as always for your help and you can contact us for all the above on:

[info@stedmunds.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:info@stedmunds.surrey.sch.uk)

Or call **01483 414497**

IMPORTANT DATES - new dates in yellow			
<b>Fri 5 Jul</b>	YR Cake Sale (PSA)	<b>Thurs 11 Jul</b>	Surrey Arts Music Concert 2.15pm (more info to follow)
<b>Mon 8 Jul</b>	Y6 Production (6pm)	<b>Fri 12 Jul</b>	Y6 Leavers Retreat at Wintershall Leavers Disco (open for whole school) (PSA) 5 – 6.30pm
<b>Tue 9 Jul</b>	Y1 Pizza Express trip	<b>Tue 16 Jul</b>	Rocksteady Concert (2.45pm) Y3 and Y4 Choir evening St Edmund’s Church 6pm
		<b>Wed 17 Jul</b>	Leavers’ Liturgy at Ladywell 9.30am
		<b>Fri 19 Jul</b>	2pm Close for Summer Holiday

Autumn Term 2024		
Start of Term	Half term dates	Last Day of Term
Monday 2 September	28 Oct to 1 Nov	Fri 20 December

Spring Term 2025		
Start of Term	Half term dates	Last Day of Term
Monday 6 January	17 to 21 February	Friday 4 April

Summer Term 2025		
Start of Term	Half term dates	Last Day of Term
Tuesday 22 April	26 to 30 May	Friday 18 July

<b>Inset Days</b>	<b>Monday 2 September 24</b> <b>Tuesday 3 Sept 24</b> <b>Friday 4 Oct 24</b> <b>Fri 14 March 25</b> <b>+ One more inset date to be confirmed</b>
<b>Other Closures</b>	<b>Mon 2 December 24</b> <b>Mon 21 April Bank Holiday</b> <b>Monday 5 May Bank Holiday</b>

### Useful Information

**Leave of Absence** – If you require your child to be absent from school for any reason, please can you complete the form accessed by the [link here](#) and give in to the office with as much notice as possible.

**Headteacher’s Blog** – every Friday Mrs Higgins writes about what has been happening in school during the week in her [Headteacher’s Blog](#) on the [school website](#).

#### Safeguarding



#### Children Safeguarding at St Edmund’s

The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. If you are concerned about a child’s welfare, please speak to our Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) who is **Mrs Higgins, Mrs Patrick or Mrs Millis**.