

# St Wilfrid's CE Primary School



## May 2019 Newsletter

*'Happy is the person who finds wisdom and who gets understanding.'*

**Proverbs 3:13**

Dear Parents and Carers,



Welcome back to the Summer Term! It was lovely to welcome everyone back last week and see already the variety of learning taking place, from crashed spaceships to wildlife studies to Ancient Greek Gods!

This half term's value is **inquire** and we are encouraging the children to ask many questions! We will be thinking about the difference between being wise and being clever and what that means in the Bible.

During the half term, our wonderful year 6s and Year 2s have to take their end of key stage tests and they have been working very hard getting ready to show off all they know! Also, the Year 6s are off on their residential to the Isle of Wight in the last week of the half term.

The rest of the dates for the term have been added to the website calendar and our INSET days for 2019/2020 are below.

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2019**

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2019**

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2020**

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2020**

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2020**

### **First Aid**



Last week, myself and several members of staff updated our Paediatric First Aid qualifications. The importance of basic first aid knowledge and skills was made very clear to us and we were encouraged to share key elements with as many people as we could! A good source of information is YouTube with videos from St John's ambulance about CPR and other aspects of basic first aid. You can also download the St John's Ambulance app for further information. It takes very little time to learn the basic techniques and so we think it is time well spent.



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### **Singing at St Wilfrid's!**

Our Year 5s are once again supporting the singing at St Wilfrid's church on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May during the 9.30 service. Nic Robinson, the director of music at the church, is continuing to work with the children developing their singing and this is another way for the children to show off their talents.



### **Computer Room**

Over the Easter holidays, Mr Atkin has been very busy. The small hall was repainted along with several classrooms. In addition, he has converted the Year 3 cloakroom into an extra room used for group work, music lessons and school meetings.

Next on the list, thanks to your generosity through the funds raised from FOSW events, we are undertaking the refurbishment of our computer room. Over half term, the room will be redecorated and new furniture installed before the new computers are installed in the summer holidays.

### **All Stars Cricket**

All Starts Cricket are running a number of training sessions aimed at children aged 5-8. These sessions will involve fun skill games aimed at developing children's confidence and skills within cricket. If your child is interested, please see the attached poster for more details.

Kind regards,

Simon Hateley



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