



# The Head Teacher writes...

I realised this week that we are now over half way to half -term. Unbelievable! However, I love this part of the year; everyone has 'bedded down', new staff and pupils, new and not so new have settled into the routines of their new classes.

This morning, we held our first charity event and it was great to welcome parents and friends into school where Year 6, ably assisted by Mr Hunter, Mrs Stock and Mrs Sowter, did a great job of hosting the event. Well done team! Of course, the main purpose of the morning was to raise money for Macmillan Cancer and although final totals will not be announced until next week, early forecasts suggest that last year's total has already been beaten. Thank you to everyone who donated cakes, or supported by coming in or sending in generous donations. Part of our teaching here at St David's is to think about the wider world and the situations other people find themselves in.

Next Wednesday, we celebrate Harvest in school; a time to give thanks and another opportunity to share a little of what we have.









# **CHESS CLUB**

At the start of this week's chess there was great excitement as, for the first time, Year 2 pupils were able to join the club.

Awards from last term are to be presented to:

**Improved Player Awards:** 

Christopher - Year 4

George and Yari - Year 5

**Lower School Chess Champion:** 

Charan - Year 4

**Overall Chess Champion:** 

Neha Iyer - Year 6

### YEAR 3 – GIVE IT A GO

TANGRAM – an ancient Chinese puzzle where you make pictures using mathematical shapes.





IT'S NOT AS EASY AS IT LOOKS ...





# **Road Safety**

Year 2 have been learning all about the Green Cross Code this week.

Ably assisted by Oscar and Luke, our Year 6
Junior Travel Ambassadors, Year 2 learnt the
six rules to follow when crossing the road from
our Bromley Road Safety Officer.

Ava did a fabulous job as 'Lollypop Lady' and managed to guide the whole class across the 'Zebra Crossing'.

As well as learning some important lessons, Year 2 were delighted to be given a leaflet and fluorescent sticker to take home!



Last Saturday, Megan took part in the Hever Triathlon. The event included a 100m swim in the lake, a 4 km cycle through the woods and a 1.3km run both over hilly cross country terrain. She did very well, finishing 8th out of 533 participants and was the 3rd girl out of 226.



Well done Megan!

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#### **NEXT WEEK**

#### **FORTHCOMING EVENTS**

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> Harvest Festival Friday 6<sup>th</sup> 8.45am Parent Council

October

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> Pre-Prep to The Gruffalo at

**Churchill Theatre** 

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> 7.45pm PTA Meeting
Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> Outdoor Classroom Day

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> Open Morning: International Day
Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> Junior Transport Ambassador Meeting

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> STEM Morning

6 - 8pm Prep Swimming Gala

Half-Term: Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November

**HOLIDAY CLUB** 

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2017

November

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> Bromley Primary School Cross Country

Year 5 & 6 PTA Fireworks

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> Travelling Books for 1 week

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> Children in Need at St John's Church

7.30am Rehearsal7.00pm Concert

U11 ISA London South Football

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> Parents Evening Friday 24<sup>th</sup> Parent Council

**December** 

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> PTA Christmas Fair

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> Prep Cinderella at Greenwich Theatre



## **FOOTBALL**



Last Wednesday, Year 5 & 6 boys played their first South East London League game against Rosemead Prep. The A team lost 4-2 and the B Team lost 4-3. However, Mr Hunter and Mr Mutti were both delighted with the performance of all the boys. Thank you to all the parents who helped in transporting the team! A great sporting start to the year.

## **PARENT COUNCIL**

All parents are reminded that they are welcome to come along to the Parent Council meeting on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October at 8.45am Coffee and pastries supplied!