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Paul Easterbrook, Director of Education & Compliance, Wishford Schools, writes:

I am delighted to have been asked to write the introduction for this week's St David's Newsletter. In my role as Director of Education and Compliance for Wishford schools, I am lucky to visit all the schools in the group. As an ex-Headmaster, it is always a privilege to visit schools, especially getting to spend time with the children. When I visit St David's, I am always impressed by the levels of industriousness and diligence. In every classroom, the pupils are engaged and extending their learning, they are always most welcoming and keen to share what they are doing. They are articulate and I enjoy listening to their chatter and having conversations with them. On a recent visit, I was so pleased when one pupil told me that he learnt something new every day. How rewarding it is to hear young people talk like that! The sense of purpose that exists at St David's is palpable and the range of work the children are undertaking is impressive. When I look at their books and see what they are producing, I am constantly reminded how they readily absorb new skills and knowledge. It is a real pleasure to be involved with Wishford Schools and my visits to St David's are a true highlight. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the staff and the pupils for always making me feel so welcome.

THANK YOU TO THE PTA AND ALL THE PARENTS FOR THE WONDERFUL SUMMER FAIR! EVERYONE HAD A GREAT TIME, HELPED BY THE SUNNY WEATHER. WE LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING HOW MUCH WE RAISED! THE MARKINGS BELOW THAT ARE NOW ON OUR TOP COURT, ARE AN EXAMPLE OF HOW YOUR MONEY IS SPENT FOR THE CHILDREN.



#### PRE-PREP PLATE DECORATING WINNERS

Reception – Victoria

Year 1 – Jasmin

With a special mention to Albert for making his plate into a sunflower.

Year 2 - Efe

#### PREP WINNERS

The decorating biscuits competition was won by Tom (4) who was inspired by the football world cup.

Harrison (5) won the cake decorating prize for his school house decorations.

## THURSDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> JUNE

WHOLE SCHOOL PHOTO

PLEASE ARRIVE ON TIME AS THE  
PHOTOGRAPHER WILL BE STARTING AT  
9.00AM ON THE FIELD

ALL CHILDREN TO WEAR FULL  
SCHOOL UNIFORM  
(NO SPORTS KIT)



## MATHLETICS STARS OF THE WEEK

*Awarded 50 stars*

Year 1 - Abigail

Year 2 - Charlotte

Year 3 – Rupert

Year 4 – Rosa

Year 5 – Lana

*Awarded 40 stars*

Christopher (4)

Yari (5)

*Awarded 20 stars*

Sofia (1)

Russell (1)

Albert (1)

Anoushka (2)

Efe (2)

Rayanna (2)

Jessica (3)

James (3)

Florence (3)

Leylasu (3)

John (4)

Matvey (4)

Tom (4)

Rohan (4)

Zachary (5)

Chanté (5)

Neriah (5)

**WE LOVE LOOKING AT THE PROGRESS THE  
CHILDREN ARE MAKING.  
KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!**

## NOT TO BE MISSED ....



## SUMMER MUSICAL SHOWCASE JUSTIN HALL MONDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> JULY

Following on from the successful Musical Festival in  
March, come and hear the musical talent we have  
at St David's

9.30am

Reception, Year 1 & Year 2  
Little Voices Choir, Soloists and  
Class Performances  
(All Pre-Prep children will be taking part)

6.30pm

Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 & Year 6  
Year 3 Ukulele Band, Orchestra,  
Ensembles & Soloists

**Families & Friends All Welcome**

### JUNE

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> to Friday 25<sup>th</sup> : 9.30 – 12.00 Open Week

Monday 18<sup>th</sup>: Last day to purchase books from  
Travelling Books

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> : Whole School photo

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup>: 6.30pm Year 6 (and Year 5)  
The Tempest

Friday 29<sup>th</sup>: 6.30pm Year 6 (and Year 5)  
The Tempest

### JULY

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup>: 9.30am Musical Showcase – Pre Prep  
6.30pm Musical Showcase – Prep

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> 9.00am Sports Day

**School ends at 12.30pm**

7.00pm Year 6 Prize Giving Evening

Monday 9<sup>th</sup>: 7.00pm to 9.00pm Open Evening

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup>: Lego Land trip

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup>: TERM ENDS AT 12.30pm