



Message from Mr Draeger

District sports

Earlier this week, many students from different classes have participated in District sports that was held at Sir John Lawes. District sports is an event that 16 schools took part in. Students that took part had a chance to do sports that they were selected for. e.g. Relay, Javelin and Long Jump. The athletes showed great sportsmanship. Thank you to Mr Price for his support.

Celebration Evening

Yesterday, we had Open evening showing parents what we have been doing at school this year, teachers asked students from Reception to Year 6 to come in to school to help show parents what they have done. There were two sessions when parents came in to see what has happened.

KS 1 Piano Recital

This morning, our KS1 children took part in a wonderful piano concert in the school hall. Parents were invited to come in and watch their child perform the piece they have been practising with Fabiana and Jade, and it was lovely to see so many families enjoying the music. The children performed with confidence and enthusiasm, and we are incredibly proud of their hard work and progress.



Core Values



Kindness



Perseverance



Hope



Responsibility

Sports Kit

As the sports season has come to an end, please can all the sports kit be returned to school. We have placed a labelled box under the covering in the playground for all clean sports kit to be returned from Monday 6th July.

Dates

- 4th July—St Nicholas PTA Summer Ball 7pm-Midnight
 - 7th Jul—KS1 Drama 4 All Workshop
 - 8th Jul—Jump for Joy pm
 - 9th Jul—Class Transition Session 1
 - 9th Jul—11.45am-12.50pm— Reception induction session 2
 - 9th Jul—STEMgineers—Last session**
 - 10th Jul—PTA AGM at Cornelia’s Café 1pm
 - 10th Jul—My (after school) Art Club—Last session**
 - 10th Jul—PTA School Disco**
 - KS1—5.45pm –6.45pm**
 - KS2—7—8pm**
 - Year 6 leavers—7-8.30pm**
 - 13th Jul—Breakfast Boxing Club—Last session**
 - 13th Jul—Chess Club—Last session**
 - 14th Jul—Class Transition Session 2
 - 14th Jul—Years 1 & 2 Football Club—Last session**
 - 15th Jul—Year 3 & 4 Football Club—Last session**
 - 15th Jul—Diamond Class Production 6pm
 - 16th-17th Jul—Year 5 Burwell House Residential Trip
 - 16th Jul—Year 5 & 6 Football Club—Last session**
 - 17th Jul—Fencing Club—Last session**
 - 17th Jul—KS2 Piano Performance—St Nicholas Church 5pm
 - 22nd Jul—End of Term Service—all classes attending Church 9.05am
 - 22nd Jul—Last day of Term—School finishes at 1.15pm
 - 23rd Jul—Inset Day—School Closed— No children attending
- <https://www.stnicholasce.org/diary/grid/2025/01/>

This half term we are learning about:

Truthfulness



Diamond Class Art News:

In Diamond class, the children made a photo montage in their art books. The montage technique will also be used for the back drop in their class production play. Here are some examples of some of their montages.



Awards: Stars of the week:

Diamond: Charlie for showing perseverance, pushing himself out of his comfort zone in the class production rehearsals and District Sports. Eleanor for her perseverance and responsibility during the class production rehearsals.



Sapphire: Charles F for contributing to class discussions with his knowledge of Greek Mythology. Ellie for her perseverance in Maths and working hard on adding decimals.

Emerald: Connie for following instructions well. Henry for working hard in Maths.

Topaz: Emilia for always thinking carefully about her writing and achieving her targets. All of Year 2 for their outstanding behaviour during the Key Stage 1 Music Festival.

Garnet: All of Garnet Class. We are very proud of how they have developed their independence and perseverance in our swimming lessons.

Extra-Curricular Achievements:

Congratulations to Clara, Daniella, Eleanor, Emmy, Eva, Evie, Grace C, Lilo, Munachiso, and Rosie for receiving their Proficiency Awards from Riverside Gymnastics Club.



Prayer

Lord,
You know our hearts and minds, our comings and goings.
You know the truth of what we have done and said.
We surrender the truth to you.
We know you have our best interest at heart and will care for us in the way you think is best.
Thank you, Great God, guide us and watch over us.
Amen



“Jump for Joy” Sponsored Fundraiser St Nicholas PTA:



The poster features a vibrant illustration of diverse children jumping rope and playing with hula hoops on a green grassy hill under a blue sky with clouds. A large gold medal with a star is prominently displayed in the upper right. Logos for the school and PTA are visible in the top corners.

JUMP FOR JOY

**8 July 2026
(afternoon)**

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Activity with
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Part of of National Schools Sports Week

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