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School Holidays 2014-2015

Autumn 1

Wed 3rd Sept 2014

To

Thurs 23rd Oct 2014

(inset day Fri 24 Oct)

Autumn 2

Mon 3rd Nov 2014

To

Fri 19th Dec 2014

Spring 1

Mon 5th Jan 2015

To

Thurs 12th Feb 2015

Spring 2

Mon 23rd Feb 2015

To

Thurs 2nd April 2015

Summer 1

Mon 20th April 2015

To

Fri 22nd May 2015

(May Day Mon 4th May)

Summer 2

Mon 1st June 2015

To

Tues 21st July 2015

St James CE Primary School

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Friday 21st November 2014

ATTENDANCE SCORES

WE 14/11/2014		WE 21/11/2014	
Reception	93.1%	Reception	87.2%
Year 1	96.2%	Year 1	92.4%
Year 2	98.9%	Year 2	97.2%
Year 3	99.3%	Year 3	93.0%
Year 4	94.1%	Year 4	91.6%
Year 5	95.0%	Year 5	94.8%
Year 6	95.7%	Year 6	93.9%

WELL DONE YR3

WELL DONE YR2

CELEBRATION CERTIFICATES

ACADEMIC WARRIOR

Rec	TJ Mason Ava-Rose Dolan
Yr1	Callum Heaton Keira Bashar
Yr2	Bradley Pearson Jayden Moss
Yr3	Macie-Lea Keane Lucy Cowell
Yr4	Grace Bennett Libby Brodie
Yr5	Callum O'Hara Lucy Bennett
Yr6	Logan Pilkington Connor Heaton

VALUES WARRIOR

Jayden Greatrex Ben Conway Henthorn
Charlie Mather Lewis Pickering
Zackery Frodsham Eleanor Parker
Jessica Hazelwood Andrew Stanley
Libby Brodie Angelica Ratcliffe
Nikitia Lawrence Chjristopher Morley
Alfie Penders Caitlin Jewels



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Mon 1st Dec	Rotary Shoe Boxes to be returned
Tues 2nd Dec	Yr5 & Yr6 to visit World of Glass
Weds 3rd Dec	Yr3 & Yr4 to visit World of Glass Rotary boxes to be delivered to Preston
Thurs 4th Dec	Non-Uniform day (Chocolate Donation Please) PTFA Body Shop Party 6pm-8pm

This half term we are valuing : Respect

Circus Day



On Tuesday 11th November our school was visited by some clowns, they showed us lots of tricks that we could do with different things! I enjoyed the circus show especially meeting the clown. I enjoyed having my face painted as a clown and walking on the tightrope. It was good fun learning how to spin plates very very fast!

By Jack Evans, Paul McBride and Bradley Pearson

School Banner Design

Early next year Julia Allison the textile artist will be coming into school to work with the children to produce a new school banner. We would like to give the children the opportunity to share their ideas. Please complete the design sheet and return it to school by

Friday 28th November

Christmas Letters

Your child has brought a letter home regarding letters from Santa, if any parents wish to order the letters could you please return your form to the school office by **Monday 1st December**

Rotary Boxes

Could we please remind all Parents/Careers that Rotary Boxes can be collected from the School office.

Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 10th Dec- KS1 Nativity in Church- 2pm

Thursday 11th Dec- KS1 Nativity in Church 10.30am

Monday 15th Dec- KS2 Carol Concert in Church 2pm

Wednesday 15th Dec- Christmas Parties

Friday 19th December- Christingle service in Church 2pm

Toy & Cake Sale

On Friday 12th December PTFA are holding a Toy and Cake Sale. We would like to ask in advanced if anybody has any saleable old/unused toys that they would like to donate to school along with any homemade or bought cakes. If any donations could be brought into school on **Monday 8th December** it would be much appreciated. Further details of this event will follow nearer the time.

PTFA Body Shop Party

St James' PTFA are holding a Body Shop party on Thursday 4th December for parents, friends and families 6pm till 8pm. There will be a 50p entrance fee and refreshments on the night. Parents will be able to order products as well as have a natter! A letter will be sent home with more information.

Many Thanks

KS2 Writing Competition

KS2 will be taking part in a young writers competition. The task is to write a complete story in just 100 words! Children can take their inspiration from famous fairy-tales, myths or legends, but they must not exceed 100 for the whole story. Our children will not only have the opportunity to showcase their creative writing ability, but they will also be in with a chance of having their work published. All work will be completed in school, but you may wish to discuss and help your child generate ideas. All entries will be completed by 11th December 2014. We wish our children the best of luck as they prepare to let the magic of storytelling in.