



# THE ST CHARLES' NEWSLETTER

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2023

*"Bring Forth Christ"*



**Determination Friendship Good Manners Respect Responsibility**

**\*\*\* SCHOOL CLOSSES AT 3:30PM ON THURSDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> APRIL FOR THE EASTER HOLIDAYS \*\*\***

## LENT

Our focus this week has been on how Jesus healed a blind man. From this Gospel story, we have focussed on how we can sometimes be blind to the world around us and how through our relationship with God, we can have our sight restored and see the fulfilment of the world around us. Next week our focus is on how we can show love in challenging situations. **CLASS MASS NEXT WEEK IS OUR YEAR 3 CLASS.**



## CREATION STATION

Mrs Troughton, who worked at St. Charles' RCP School for many years has started her own create club entitled 'Creation Station' where children can have fun with their friends making a range of creative artworks in an after school club. Children will experience cool and funky art activities and create artwork linked to this term's theme: CREATE THE CHANGE! In the sessions, children will think about the world and how we can help look after it. If you are interested in your child attending, check out the details below and book your child's place. There are 20 places available! It is held at St Charles' school.

**When:** Monday 27 March, 3 April, 24 April, 15 May & 22 May 2023 from 3.30-4.30pm

**Cost:** The half-term cost is £30.00.

**How to book:** [CLICK HERE for the St Charles Booking Link](#)

## LET'S GO SING CONCERT

A special well done to our school choir who performed magnificently at King George's Hall on Monday night. They were amazing! A special thank you to Mrs Dewhurst for all the work she has done preparing the choir for the concert and to the adult helpers who accompanied the children. Pictures and videos are available on our school Facebook page.

## IS YOUR CHILD ON OUR SEN REGISTER?

If so, your child's IEP targets have been reviewed and new targets have been set. Class teachers will be making arrangements for these to be shared with you over the next week. If you haven't heard from them, send them a message on ClassDojo!

## PTFA – ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A REMINDER - the rescheduled PTFA AGM is at 6pm next Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> March in school. We hope as many of you can attend as possible and that we can keep our PTFA operating.

## SATs

Our Year 6 class will be taking their SATs assessments during May of this year. We are working hard to make sure the children are as relaxed and confident as they can be as they prepare for these as we understand how stressful they can be. SATs are timetabled to take place during the WB 8th May and so we ask that you ensure that the children's attendance is as good as it can be so they are prepared for this week. If you have any questions, please speak with Mrs Horsfall or Mr Kennedy

## COMMUNICATION WITH STAFF IN SCHOOL

A quick reminder of the ways you can communicate with staff in school. ClassDojo! is the main method of communicating quick messages to staff in school. The class teacher accounts will be checked before and after school on a daily basis. The school office account is checked first thing in the morning and then at regular times during the school day. It is important to note that messages sent during the school day may not be picked up and so if you have anything urgent which needs to be passed onto school, you need to ring and speak to a member of staff in the office.

If you need to meet with a member of staff to discuss something in more detail, please can you make an appointment through the school office for this. That way, the class teacher can make sure they have the appropriate time available at the start or end of the school day. Thank you for your understanding.

STAR OF THE WEEK AWARD WINNERS (LAST WEEK)				STAR OF THE WEEK AWARD WINNERS (THIS WEEK)			
REC	Logan	YEAR 4	Scarlett	REC	Ellie	YEAR 4	Bethany
YEAR 1	Harley	YEAR 5	Erika	YEAR 1	Jack	YEAR 5	Wyatt
YEAR 2	Joshua	YEAR 6	Isabella	YEAR 2	Mia	YEAR 6	Declan
YEAR 3	Liberty			YEAR 3	Theia		

# **DIARY DATES**

## **March**

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup>** – Year 1 Parents' Evening

PTFA AGM

Stations of the Cross at St. Hubert's – 6:30pm

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup>** – Year 3 Class Mass

**Friday 31<sup>st</sup>** – Year 2 Class Mass

Rocksteady Music Concert

## **April**

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup>** – Holy Week Starts

**Thursday 6<sup>th</sup>** – School Closes for the Easter Holidays

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup>** – School Opens

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup>** – Year 1 Class Mass

## **May**

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup>** – School Closed – Bank Holiday

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup>** – Rec and Year 6 Class Mass

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup>** – School Closed – Coronation of King Charles III

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup>** – SATs start