St. John's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter Friday 6th May 2022

Our Mission Statement: "Through Jesus Christ, all our children learn to love and love to learn. The family of St. John's love learning and are life-long learners. Through Jesus Christ everyone knows how to show love to others and God, remembering kindness comes first.

Taken from the Gospel for Sunday 8th May 2022 - Jesus the Good Shepherd (John 10:27-30)

Jesus said, "The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice; I know them and they follow me. I give them eternal life; they will never be lost and no one will ever steal them from me. The Father who gave them to me is greater than anyone, and no one can steal from the Father. The Father and I are one."

Star Certificates

Year Reception - Megan for being extremely helpful this week and using her initiative.

Year One - Joseph for always being kind and a good friend to everyone. Joseph quietly gets on with his work too. You are a super-star!

Year Two - Grace for her outstanding effort in class this week!

Year Three - Sofiia for being a fantastic addition to the class and always trying her hardest.

Year Four - Blanca when you combine fractions and decimals, it is always very tricky. Blanca—thank you for your determination to succeed this week in maths.

Year Five - Serena for fantastic engagement in her maths lessons and demonstrating a deserved increase in her confidence.

Year Six - Sophia who has come a million miles in maths in year. I am very proud of you!

Magnificent Reading Award - 250 Reads

Year 4 - Paige

Violet Reading Award - 200 Reads

Year 5 - Pierre & Lea

Gold Reading Award - 150 Reads

Year 1 - Ava
Year 3 - Nancy
Yea 4 - Eric
Year 5 - Rosie

Silver Reading Award - 100 Reads

Year 1 - James
Year 2 - Isabelle
Year 3 - Maisie

Bronze Reading Award - 50 Reads

Year 1 - Lila

SOS! Gardeners Needed!

The Gardening Club have asked if any grown ups would be able to dig out a small bed by the year 5 classroom one afternoon next week. They would like to do some planting before this half term is over.

Friends Summer Fete Planning Meeting

The Friends are holding a planning meeting for the summer fete on Thursday 12th May 7pm in the school hall.

All are welcome and any help will be gratefully appreciated.

Outdoor Area Tidy Up

We are looking for a caretaker and have advertised the role (see below), however, in the interim we are seeking a kind hearted individual or group that would be willing to give some time to help tidy up the outside of the school, both KS1,KS2 and the front of the school. This would be weeding, cutting back bushes, using a pressure washer to clean the concrete areas and ensure the safety of our children.

If you can help please email the office.

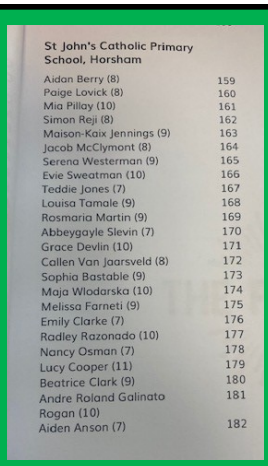
Thank you in advance Mrs Farr

https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/jobs/school-jobs/

Young Published Poets!

We are very proud of all the children who have had their poems published in Young Writers This is ME!

Congratulations to all these children.



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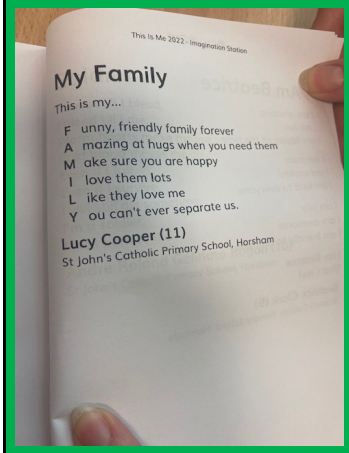


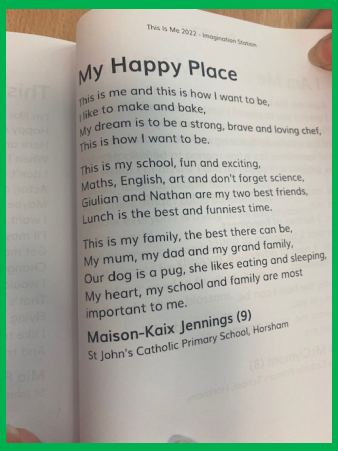
This is Me 2022 - Imagination Station

My Family

This is my...

F unny, friendly family forever
A mazing at hugs when you need them
M ake sure you are happy
I love them lots
L ike they love me
Y ou can't ever separate us.

Lucy Cooper (11)
St John's Catholic Primary School, Horsham



This is Me 2022 - Imagination Station

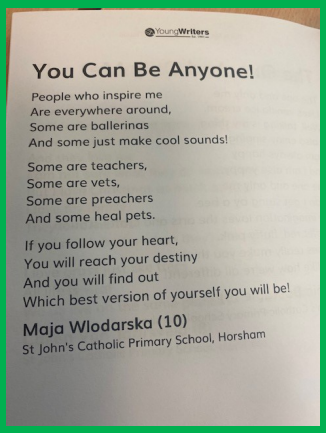
My Happy Place

This is me and this is how I want to be,
I like to make and bake,
My dream is to be a strong, brave and loving chef,
This is how I want to be.

This is my school, fun and exciting,
Maths, English, art and don't forget science,
Giulian and Nathan are my two best friends,
Lunch is the best and funniest time.

This is my family, the best there can be,
My mum, my dad and my grand family,
Our dog is a pug, she likes eating and sleeping,
My heart, my school and family are most important to me.

Maison-Kaix Jennings (9)
St John's Catholic Primary School, Horsham



YoungWriters

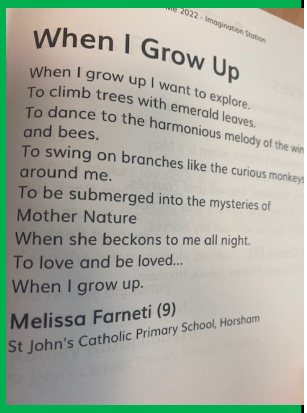
You Can Be Anyone!

People who inspire me
Are everywhere around,
Some are ballerinas
And some just make cool sounds!

Some are teachers,
Some are vets,
Some are preachers
And some heal pets.

If you follow your heart,
You will reach your destiny
And you will find out
Which best version of yourself you will be!

Maja Wlodarska (10)
St John's Catholic Primary School, Horsham



This is Me 2022 - Imagination Station

When I Grow Up

When I grow up I want to explore.
To climb trees with emerald leaves.
To dance to the harmonious melody of the win
and bees.
To swing on branches like the curious monkeys
around me.
To be submerged into the mysteries of
Mother Nature
When she beckons to me all night.
To love and be loved...
When I grow up.

Melissa Farneti (9)
St John's Catholic Primary School, Horsham

Dates for Diaries

Friday 6th May - KS2 school disco
Monday 9th to Thursday 12th May - Year 6 SATS (breakfast at 8.15am)

Thursday 12th May - Friends summer fete planning meeting 7pm school hall
Friday 10th May - Year 6 Domino's lunch
Tuesday 10th May - Year 1 Horsham Museum Dinosaur Workshop
Friday 27th May - Queens Jubilee Street Party
Half term - Monday 30th May to Friday 3rd June
Monday 6th June - Inset day
Tuesday 7th June - back to school
Tuesday 7th June - Year Six parents residential meeting @3pm
Saturday 11th June - School Fete

Friday 8th July - KS1 sports morning (9am-12pm)
Friday 8th July KS2 Sports afternoon (1pm-3pm)
Parents are invited to have a picnic lunch on the field with their children (weather permitting!)
Monday 11th July - Friday 15th July Year Six Residential.