

# St. Francis' School Newsletter

April 30<sup>TH</sup> 2021



## Value of the month – Courage

### Dear Parents and Carers

We have had a lovely, if cold, week in school and it was a joy for me to be able to spend some time covering in Apple Class on Thursday while Miss Denny attended a course. The children are amazing. Their learning, and especially writing, is coming on beautifully – well done to them all!



### Water 21 Appeal Is now live!

Our Water Appeal is now live, please click on the link for our crowdfunding page. Details of how to sponsor Mrs Rebecca Ward is on the page

<https://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/water21-project>

### Hair for Charity Jan in Year 5

Well done to Jan in year 5 who has donated his hair to the Little Princess Trust who make wigs for children with illness such as alopecia and a cancer. We are all very proud of you Jan! See the pictures and Jan's reasons below.

### Year 6 'Team Week'

This will begin on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> June with their trip to Blacklands Farm. The teachers are in the process of planning a full week of events, as we are unable to go to Kingswood on the Isle of Wight as planned. The teachers will be in contact with parents to confirm the details of the week as soon as they can – they are making sure that the costs remain reasonable for all parents and events planned are Covid safe. Schools have been told this week that we are to receive more information from the Government in mid-May on what we are allowed to do, so we ask that you please bear with us while we ensure that we are compliant with the Government regulations for schools.

### LAST CHANCE- SCHOOL LOTTERY FIRST DRAW TOMORROW!

This is **YOUR** last chance to purchase tickets for our **FIRST** draw on 1 May 2021.

Buy a £1 ticket, for **YOUR** chance to **WIN up to £25,000**. A local prize also guarantees that we will have a St Francis School winner each week. Local cash prize is currently **£25** and will increase as more tickets are purchased. A donation from the lottery is paid directly to St Francis School Association so your children will benefit regardless of who wins.

To purchase tickets please click the link.

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/st-francis-catholic-primary-school-caterham>

Please share with friends and family, best of luck to all.

Best wishes for a lovely bank holiday weekend.

Mrs Wheeler and all the Staff

## Donating Hair to The Little Princess Trust

The reason I cut my hair was because I was tired of having to tie it up every single time I wanted to do something. The second reason was because it was in absolute knots and it was utter pain to brush it. The third reason is because I just thought that it was time to cut it. And last but not least I didn't just want to cut it so I decided I would cut it for charity. I like my new hair and even better that I was able to do something good.



## Calendar Dates

Monday & Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> & 18 <sup>th</sup> May	Circus Skills Days
WC- Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Science Week – including YR to Y4 Silly Science Show, Y5 & Y6 Forensic Science Day RSE (Relationship Sex Education) Week 2
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> June	Y1 Trip to Bocketts Farm
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 Trip to Blackland Farm – Team Building Day
Wk of 21 <sup>st</sup> June	RSE (Relationship Sex Education) Week 3
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> June	Class Group Photograph Day
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	New Parents Meeting - <b>To be confirmed</b>
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	INSET DAY – School is closed
Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 Trip to Wintershall Bags2school Day
Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	Changeover Day - - <b>To be confirmed</b>
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Y5 trip to Wintershall
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Sports Day followed by School Fayre/event- <b>To be confirmed</b>
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Show (1) – <b>To be confirmed</b>
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Reception Trio to Bocketts Farm
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Show (2) – <b>To be confirmed</b>
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Disco – <b>To be confirmed</b> Reserve Sports Day - <b>To be confirmed</b>
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Leavers Mass 2pm
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Y6 Leavers Assembly School Closes 1pm



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and search for: **St Francis' Caterham**

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