

St Augustine of Canterbury Catholic Primary School

"I called you by your name, you are mine." Isaiah 43

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We have certainly had an eventful week in school this week. I would like to thank all of our parents and carers, children and staff for your understanding and commitment to Remote Learning during our School Closure on Monday due to the snow and icy conditions. I would also like to thank Mr Martin and Mrs Hall for ensuring the school site was safe for the children and staff. We have amended our entrance and exit procedures this week due to the exceptional circumstances with the snow/ice conditions. We will resume our usual routine once we are able depending on the temperature and how long the snow is with us.

The Junior Carol Service will take place in the Church on Tuesday 20th December at 2.15pm. There will be no Junior PE on Tuesday therefore, all children in the juniors must wear their winter school uniform of white shirt, tie, trousers or skirt and school shoes.

Advent

This Sunday we light the purple candle to mark the fourth Sunday of Advent.



Year R Nativity

Well done to Year R for their wonderful Nativity, the children were fantastic with their acting and singing. Thank you to Mrs Burns and Mrs Carey for preparing the children for their first Nativity in primary school.



The children enjoyed their Christmas

Dinner on Wednesday with festive music and wonderful hats which they had made in class.

Christmas Dinner

Christmas Parties

On Monday afternoon, the children will celebrate Christmas Parties in their classrooms. As a Christmas treat, the children may wear non-uniform on Monday (please ensure clothing is appropriate for the weather including sensible shoes). Thank you.

Open Afternoon

Thank you to all of the Parents and Carers who attended our Open Afternoon this afternoon. It is wonderful for the children to be able to share their work in their classroom.

Christmas Card Competition 2022

Thank you to all of the children who entered the Christmas Card competition this year. The standard of the entries was very high!

The winner was announced in assembly this morning. Well done to Madison in Year 6 who is our winner.

Madison received a mug with her Christmas Card design on it as a special memory of her wonderful art work.



Class Attendance 2022/23

Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
89%	93%	80%	84%	88%	82%	83%

Birthdays

Adam age 7
Theo age 9
Cody age 6



Book of Excellence

The following children received their sticker during assembly this morning.

- Year R Whole class for their brilliant Nativity
- Year 1 Amber and Isaac
- Year 2 Hayley and Leo
- Year 3 Isaac and Lucas.M
- Year 4 Joseph and Liliana
- Year 5 Lilly and Chantelle
- Year 6 Paisley and Michael



Lunchtime Supervisors Award

The following children received their sticker during a celebration assembly

- Year R Paisley
- Year 1 Joey
- Year 2 Ano
- Year 3 Tomisin
- Year 4 Charlie
- Year 5 Phoebe
- Year 6 Daniel



Mathlete of the Week

- Year R Jaxson
- Year 1 Cody
- Year 2 Eugene
- Year 3 Gabriel
- Year 4 Sienna
- Year 5 Risini
- Year 6 William



Buster's Book Club

Year 5



WOW Year R



- <u>Dates for your diary</u>

 20 December Last day of Term 2. Carol Service in Church time 2.15pm.
- 3 January Inset Day no children in school
- 4 January First day of Term 3
- 3 February Year 2 Assembly 2.30pm

Week beginning 6 February—Children's Mental Health Week

- 7 February Online Safety Day
- 10 February Last Day of Term 3

Week beginning 13 February Half Term Break

- 20 February INSET Day—Children not in school
- 21 February first Day of Term 4

Week beginning 27 February—Book Week

2 March World Book Day Book Character Dress up day

Week beginning 13 March—Science Week

Year 6 Assembly

Well done to Year 6 who shared their fantastic assembly last Friday.



Medway Can

We have registered to join Medway Can Stars. This is a great way to encourage our children to add extra activity into their day. Medway Can Stars is a way to make every day a jumping day. Children will be able to get involved in school (starting officially after the Christmas holidays).

House Points

St. Patrick 4056 St. Andrew

St. David

3796 2853













St. George

3179











