



St Augustine of Canterbury Catholic Primary School

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

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Newsletter

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Our school value this term is:
Be Brave



Well done to Year 6 who have completed their SATs this week. We are so proud of all of you!

We are really excited as next Friday (24th May) we will be celebrating the feast day of Saint Augustine of Canterbury. This is always one of the most memorable days of our school year. We will begin the day with a special whole school Mass in the Church followed by a day full of fun activities for the children to celebrate our special feast day.

As part of our celebrations, the children will be receiving an ice cream in a cone from the Ice Cream van, with the option of strawberry sauce, or an ice lolly. Children with dietary needs will be offered a vegan ice cream scoop in a tub.

If you do NOT wish your child to receive an ice cream/lolly, please email office@staugustine.medway.sch.uk to inform us.

There will be a year 6 parent/carer information meeting on Thursday 23rd May after school to discuss the Year 6 residential trip to PGL Marchant Hill. This will be a valuable opportunity to receive information about the centre and the facilities they offer.



Year 6 Class of the Week

We would like to begin by saying how proud we are of all the Year 6 children for their hard work and perseverance during this week! They have all worked really hard and we are proud of all of them! Well done Year 6!

This week we have been learning in the eco garden and demonstrating team work. The children explored the eco garden and worked together to build benches suitable for sitting etc.

The Year 6 production was finally revealed to the children this week and they were excited to find out it is 'Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits' linked to the story of Aladdin. We looked at the script and listened to the songs together. Next Wednesday, the children will have the opportunity to perform an audition for a chosen



Class Attendance 2023/24

| Year R | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 91.9% | 98.6% | 96.8% | 97.6% | 96.2% | 96.5% | 98.6% |

Well done to Year 6 with 98.6% attendance!
They have received the Attendance trophy this week!



Birthdays

Children who have celebrated their birthday this week



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|----------|--------|----------|--------|
| Barnaby | age 6 | Zachary | age 11 |
| Maddison | age 11 | Sasha | age 9 |
| Lucas | age 9 | Freya | age 10 |
| Sawyer | age 9 | Hadassah | age 5 |

Book of Excellence

The children have received their Headteacher sticker in assembly

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| Year R | Kasie and Hadassah |
| Year 1 | Elizabeth and Jayden |
| Year 2 | Nini and Alex |
| Year 3 | The whole class |
| Year 4 | Isaac and Nevaeh |
| Year 5 | Freya and Darragh |
| Year 6 | The whole class |



Lunchtime Supervisors Award

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| Year R | Noah |
| Year 1 | Barnaby |
| Year 2 | Anastacia |
| Year 3 | Stephanie |
| Year 4 | Gloria |
| Year 5 | Poppy |
| Year 6 | Patrick |



Mathletics

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| Year 1 | David |
| Year 2 | Cherryice |
| Year 3 | Nathaniel |
| Year 4 | Nogie |
| Year 5 | Nicole |
| Year 6 | TY |



WOW Year 4



Dates for your diary

- 23 May** – Year 6 Residential meeting 3:35pm
- 24 May** – St Augustine of Canterbury Day—Last Day of Term
- 27 to 31 May** Half Term
- 3 June** – INSET day—Children not in school
- 4 June** – Term 6 begins—Children back to school
- 7 June** – PTA 'Crazy hair day—more information to follow
- 10 June** – Year 6 class photo
- 21 June** – Summer Enterprise Years 2 and 6
- 28 June** – Sports Day (KS1 AM and KS2 PM)
- 5 July** – PTA Summer Disco - more information to follow
- 8 & 9 July** Year 6 Play
- 10 to 12 July** Year 6 Residential
- 19 July** – Last Day of Term 6

Achievements outside of school

When children take part in activities outside of school we would love to hear about their achievements.

Joseph and Zac competed in the Kent Schools Championship skiing competition on Sunday 12th May representing St. Augustine of Canterbury. They were both amazing.

Joseph - 2nd place with 18.06 seconds (7th overall out of 138 skiers within primary and secondary)

Zac - 6th place with 20.16 seconds (29th overall out of 138 skiers within primary and secondary)

Phoebe and Sawyer did a 2km charity run to raise money for the neonatal unit at Medway Hospital, they both received a medal for completing the run. Well done!



House Points

St. Patrick
14893

St. George
14014

St. Andrew
10143

St. David
15134

