

St Sebastian's CoE Primary School

Fortnightly Newsletter (Friday 13th February 2026)



Through our Christian Values, we strive to create an inclusive nurturing community where everyone can flourish, unlock their potential and widen their horizons.

We have enjoyed seeing so many children taking part in sporting events this term – three events last week (badminton, swimming and indoor athletics). Thank you so much to the adults who helped us with transport. We are so lucky to be able to have access to such great opportunities.

The Year 3 children had a fabulous day at Marston last week for their 'Hindu Experience Day'. They really enjoyed dressing up and showing off their outfits, learning about Indian culture and traditions and making rangoli patterns. They were able to share their knowledge from the RE lessons they had had and add to this with help from Sunita.

This week in Collective Worship, we have been continuing to learn about the value of 'aspiration'. This week our shared aspiration has been to learn the Makaton signs for the 'Lord's Prayer'. The children were amazing and picking these up really quickly.

We are all looking forward to a well-earned break next week and look forward to seeing everyone ready for the new term on Monday 23rd February.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Mrs Bedford



Term Dates

Last Day of Term

Friday 13th February

Term 4 Begins

Monday 23rd February

Koalas Woolsthorpe Manor Visit

Thursday 26th February

Shine in Church 2.30pm

Giraffes WW2 afternoon 2.45pm

Friday 27th February

Pandas Trip to

Tattershall Farm Park

Wednesday 4th March

KS1 Class News

Pandas— Panda's had a great time celebrating Holi using coloured scarves and music. We learned that Holi is a festival of colour, happiness and joy and we talked about how the colours and movement made us feel.



Koalas— Year 1 have been working super hard in maths this term. We have been exploring numbers up to 20 as well as addition and subtraction. We have been using practical resources and pictures to help us. Great work this term Koalas.

Polar Bears— Polar Bears have been busily writing pirate adventure stories this week. They are looking forward to sharing them with the Koalas when they have finished. The children's amazing homework has been helping to inspire their stories.



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This term our Christian Value is 'Aspirations'

"I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." Jeremiah 29:11

KS2 Class News

Tigers— We have had a lovely term in Tigers Class. The children all enjoyed our Hinduism day last week, especially creating rangoli patterns and dressing up in traditional Indian clothes. The children have also all worked really hard in DT this term and have designed and sewn together their own cushion. Great work Tigers, enjoy the half term break!



Penguins— Penguins have enjoyed designing and making their own torches. We have researched good types of torches for different uses.

Elephants— This week in Elephant's class, we have put the finishing touches to our amazing stuffed toys as well as our Amazon rainforest-based news articles. Keep a look out for the stuffed toys which will be making their way home this week!

Giraffes— This week the Year 6's have been working hard to build their prototype play-grounds as part of their DT Project work. They have designed them on paper, made a footprint for their pieces of equipment and thought about how they can be fun, move and also be safe. Drilling, sawing and using the hot glue guns have been integral to the successful builds and we have also seen some great teamwork and examples of working together!



Star of the Week

Charlie G, Bella, Esme, Tigers Class,
James, Freddie S, Jenson



Special Mention

Emily W, Lalvith, Henry L, Kenny, Finn, Olier P-H,
Alex B

25 Values Points

Henry L, Reuben W, Addison, Elbie

50 Values Points

Isobel, Bodhi, Ryan, Antonella, Samuel, Hattie,
Maxim, Sophie C, Taylor, Arabella, Oregon, Henry
H, Thomas, Freya B

75 Values Points

Ronnie, Tommy, Grace, Zach

Swimarathon

Last week some of our children took part in the rotary swimarathon . They had a great time and swam an incredible 267 lengths of the pool raising a total of £800 in sponsorship between them.

Well done team St Sebastian's!



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