

# St Alban's Newsletter



# 23 July 2023, 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### WEDNESDAY WORD—GROWING (please click)

"Unbelievably we have come to the end of the academic year. It has been a sincere pleasure witnessing all the achievements throughout the year. From the Reception class settling in so well, to the Year 6 saying goodbye at their amazing final assembly, the school goes from strength to strength. The children have been fantastic in their learning, attitude and confidence. They have been involved in so many events in and out of school, and my sincere thanks to everyone involved, staff and parents. There has been great success; performances in school and in theatres, local and county sporting events and of course the outstanding SATs results. Thank you to everyone who has contributed to our success.

I would like to thank the parents and the PFA for their generous financial support and to all the staff for their commitment to providing our children with interesting experiences, quality education, and a safe and happy place to learn.

Sadly we have to say goodbye to Year 6 and to Sophie Y3, Raphael Y3, Emilio Y4 and Marianna Y5. We also have said goodbye to Ms Commande, and Mr D Scarr. We wish them every success in the future, and pray they continue to Achieve, Believe and Succeed." Mr McCrossan

Congratulations William in Year R, and to his mum and dad, for the birth of a little baby brother Michael.

#### Year 6 Amazing End of Year Assembly and their final Mass.

Well done children, we are all so proud of you, please see the link for the photos. A few Goodbye messages from some Year 6 parents to our school, please see here.

Year 2 visited to the Botanical Gardens, and had a wonderful time investigating the various plants and learning about the different habitats. Thank to all those who helped.



This is an excellent opportunity to be part of our wonderful staff and help with the smooth running of the school. Mrs Koehler is leaving us in October and we would like to appoint someone with the loving, caring and friendly qualities she has shared with us over the past 6 years. If you have experience in an office or have the skill set to organise and manage people and events, we would love to hear from you. Training will be available and Mrs Koehler will be remain with us for the first half term to help your transition into the post.

Please see the details <u>here</u> on our school website. This is an exciting opportunity to join our wonderful school team.



THANK YOU FROM ALL OF THE STAFF FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND GIFTS. HAVE A GREAT SUMMER.

Newsletter from OLEM, please see the link here.

For some parents they are ending their time at St Alban's.

### A BIG THANK YOU to:

Badr-Bigeni

Boroviak

Byrne Barrett

Carvalho

Cooper

Fletcher

Gallagher

Keenan

Kemeklyte

Koehler

McCaughan

Paston-Bedingfeld

Pearson

Quigley-Silva

Santos

Schofield-Martoglio

Smith

Stanley

Wojciechowski

Yang

Zamuner Fernandes

De Solminihac

Stannard

Sabey

Sdanghi

Have a Happy and a Safe holiday and we look forward to seeing you on the 4th September





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## **Congratulations GALATIONs who are the House Champions 2023**



### PFA

### Anti-engine idling - Protect our Children

Please remember to switch off your engine when parked during school drop off and pickup

Well done to the Year 6 parents who raised over £750 at the End of Year party, and the Reception ice cream sale £104!
Thank you to all the parents who helped throughout the year with the various events. Our children are very lucky to have such wonderful mums and dads.

# Happy Birthday to all these children whose birthday is during the holidays and the first week back

Nina in Year 5 will be 10yrs old

James in Year R will be 5yrs old

Yumi in Year R will be 5yrs old

Maelle in Year 5 will be 10yrs old

Dree in Year R will be 5yrs old

Theodore in Year 5 will be 10yrs old

Arthur in Year 2 will be 7yrs old

Piers in Year 5 will be 10yrs old

Patrick in Year 3 will be 9yrs old

Sofia Olga in Year 2 will be 7yrs old
Joseph in Year 1 will be 6yrs old
Leo in Year 5 will be 10yrs old
Roisin in Year 6 will be 11yrs old
Naishe in Year 4 will be 9yrs old
Isabella in Year R will be 5yrs old
Giovanni in Year 6 will be 11yrs old
Madalena in Year 6 will be 11yrs old
Genevieve in Year 1 will be 6yrs old

Gabi in Year 4 will be 9yrs old
Grace in Year 6 will be 11yrs old
Harry in Year 4 will be 9yrs old
Maria in Year 3 will be 8yrs old
Abrielle in Year 2 will be 7yrs old



Quiz— The end of term quiz is about gifts which were represented on the altar at the end of year mass.

What do the following mean to the school;

- The statue of St Alban
- 2. The world globe
- The candle
- 4. The bible

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Botanic Garden event	- summer holidays details here: https://www.botanic.cam.ac.uk/whats-on/dear-planet-earth/

KAMAQUA swim lessons: A former swimming contestant who trained and competed at the national level for 15 years, and has been teaching for the past 16 years, highly recommended by parents. Sessions can be held at your private swimming pool where she comes to you at a convenient time for your family/small group. 121 or a group of 3 (friends) can be created. More information here: www.kamagua.uk or https://www.facebook.com/kamagua, contact details: 07780070310 or kamagua.uk@gmail.com FREE FAMILY ACTIVITY DAYS: Waste Education Centre, Waterbeach, more details here.

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