

# "Loving to learn as we build friendship and faith"



Newsletter 9

Dear Parents/Carers,

## This week in school

Last week I received a letter from a Year 6 sports squad member asking teachers to consider streaming the England v Iran match. It was such a passionate letter about the importance of the tournament to him and his peers, we gave permission to show the match... the pupils (and staff) were delighted!



Our School Council has updated their child friendly anti bullying policy, adding cyber bullying to it. It is now published on the policy section of our website and a copy is also on display in each classroom.



Well done to our Year 6 football team for their enthusiasm and skill at the recent cluster event. They played 4 matches: they won 2 and drew 2, scored 8 goals and conceded 0.

### **Next Week's Dates**

- Monday 28<sup>th</sup> November is an INSET day, no pupils are expected in school on this day.
- Our next Forest Schools is on **Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December** with **Year 2** (for this week only the day has swapped to Friday). Children undertake Forest School activities during the morning. They can wear own shoes into school and then change into their school wellies after registration. If the forecast is heavy rain, please provide a spare change of clothes.

#### **Christmas Art Competition**

We had a huge response to our Christmas art competition, thank you to all the children who took part. We will announce the winners on Monday! The beautiful baubles will be on display around school throughout December!

# **Guitar Lessons**

Our guitar teacher has spaces available for pupils in Key Stage 2, please see Mrs Cookson if interested.

#### **Governor Report to Parents**

Attached to this week's newsletter is the 2021/22 governor report to parents.

#### **School Uniform**

Pupils are expected to wear black soled shoes on all days other than PE days (when trainers or plimsolls should be worn).

# Can you help us support isolated older people in your community?

Local charity, Silver Salisbury, wants to support older people in minority groups who live in Salisbury but they need your help! Silver Salisbury is a very successful programme of activities to help older people get out and about and enjoy life, helping to relieve loneliness and isolation in old age. They now have a little funding from Salisbury City Council to help ensure that EVERYONE in our community is included. Please see item attached with this week's newsletter.

#### **Cleaner Vacancy**

We are looking for a committed and conscientious person to join our school cleaning team from January 2023. The hours are 3.45-6pm, five evenings per week. The contract is term time (including Inset days) plus 22.5 hours over 4 days during the summer holidays for a deep clean of the school. If you are interested, please contact the school office or e-mail our Business Manager, Mrs Field, on <a href="mailto:admin@sarum-st-pauls.wilts.sch.uk">admin@sarum-st-pauls.wilts.sch.uk</a> for further information and an application form.

#### **Safeguarding**

Each week we share useful safeguarding information for parents / carers. The purpose is to empower you, raise awareness to protective measures you could adopt and provide up-to-date information on trends in order to safeguard your child.



# Our Family Link Worker - Debbie Newman

The role of a Family Link Worker is to work in partnership with parents and school. Our FLW, Debbie, can offer help and support to parents in a variety of ways: provide a listening ear for your worries, help you talk to your child's teacher or school, offer strategies and guidance about behaviour problems, give support and advice on starting school school, organise family learning activities, gain access to information about other difficulties you may be having such as money worries, relationships, health, housing and more. Debbie is in school every Tuesday and Wednesday. However, she can be contacted on 07752 158827 or PSA@sarum-st-pauls.wilts.sch.uk.



#### FOSSP - Friends of Sarum St Paul's

**Fairy Cake Friday** –The next event will take place on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December and **Year 1** will donate and sell cakes to the rest of the school. Half the money raised will come back to the class!



**Future dates for Fairy Cake Friday** –YR: 9<sup>th</sup> Dec.

**Christmas Disco** –Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December. Tickets are now on sale as a shop item on School Money. Tickets can also be reserved via the office. All tickets will be issued next week.