**St John’s Primary School Weekly Newsletter**

 Friday 25th **October**  Headteacher: Mr M Harrison email:admin@sjsmacc.cheshire.sch.uk

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| **November**Monday 4th INSET dayWednesday 6th-8th  Manor residentialThursday 14th PTA disco 5.00-.6.00 KS1 and 6.15-7.15 KS2 | **December**Wednesday 11th KS1 nativity (9.30am)Thursday 12th KS1 nativity (2.00pm)Monday 16th School trip to Panto @ Stockport PlazaThursday 19th KS2 Carol service (9-10)Thursday 19th KS1 and EYFS book and a biscuit parent event (2.45pm) |
|  **INSET reminder**There is an INSET day on Monday 4th November.Children should be back in school on Tuesday 5th November.  | **Secondary school applications**Calling all Y6s. The deadline for a secondary school place is 31st October. To apply:https://www.cheshireeast.gov.uk/schools/admissions/start-school-september.aspx |
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| **PE timetable** |
| **These are the regular slots. Keep an eye on any emails from your teachers in the event of a change for a particular week.**  |
|  | **Monday** | **Tuesday**  | **Wednesday** | **Thursday**  | **Friday** |
| **PE/Forest School:**Children to dress in PE kit on these days. Children should have wellies in the sheds all week.  | Miss WilliamsMrs Johnson/Mrs ReedMrs Westerby | Mrs ColeMrs Baldasera/Mrs PeacockMiss WilliamsMrs Wilby | Mrs WalshMrs Arnold/Miss TealeMiss Foster | Mrs Baldasera/Mrs PeacockMrs Clark/Mrs DobsonMrs Johnson/Mrs ReedMrs Westerby Mrs Arnold/Miss Teale | Mrs WalshMrs ColeMrs Clark/Mrs DobsonMiss FosterMrs Wilby |

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| **Extra curricular clubs**

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| We keep a register of club attendance. In the event of over subscription for a club and names being pulled out of a hat we endeavour to ensure fairness by prioritising those who haven’t been able to attend other clubs.  |
|  | **Club** | **Leader** | **Year groups** | **Timing** | **How to sign up** |
| Monday | Drama ClubMulti-sportsExplore group – asking big questions | Helen SherwoodPFCMrs Clark and Mrs Hawkyard | Y2-6Y1-6Y3-6 | 3.15-4.153.15-4.15lunchtime | Email Helen Sherwood: helen.sherwood05@gmail.com<https://premier-football-coaching.classforkids.io/>Children can drop in as they choose.  |
| Tuesday  | NetballChessGardening  | Miss FosterMrs ArnoldMiss Patterson | Y5/6Y5/6All | 3.15-4.153.15-4.00Lunchtime | Complete letter and hand back to Miss FosterComplete letter and hand back to Mrs ArnoldExpression of interest to staff |
| Wednesday | Football  | Mr Harrison | Y5/6 | 3.15-4.15 | Complete letter and hand back to Mr Harrison |
| Thursday | Tag RugbyFootballChoir | Mr SivewrightPFCMiss Teale/Mrs Howell | Y5/6Y3-6KS2 | 3.15-4.153.15-4.153.15-4.15 | Complete letter and hand back to Mr Sivewright<https://premier-football-coaching.classforkids.io/>Complete letter and hand back to Miss Teale.  |

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| **Half term**  |
| **Medical information**This information is part of a campaign to raise much needed awareness of Kawasaki Disease across Cheshire East.  The project is funded by Cheshire Community Foundation. Kawasaki Disease is a very serious children’s disease which is more common than some forms of bacterial meningitis, yet too few parents, carers or doctors know about it. Kawasaki Disease is increasingly common in the UK and it is the leading cause of acquired heart disease in our children. Around 1,000 children in the UK will be affected this year. Raising awareness of the disease is very important, as recognising the symptoms and treating early could save a child’s heart from life-long damage.Kawasaki Disease symptoms can be similar to those of other common childhood diseases, such as a virus or scarlet fever. This can lead to a delay in diagnosis and treatment. Studies show that delays in treatment lead to a much higher risk of heart damage – so our work to get this disease known is urgent!  Kawasaki Disease symptoms include a characteristic and persistent high fever for five days or more and two or more of these symptoms: bloodshot, non-sticky eyes; cracked lips/strawberry tongue; rash; swollen fingers/toes; swollen glands.  Kawasaki Disease can be present with some or all of these symptoms.  A persistent high fever is the one defining symptom which will always be present. The symptoms of Kawasaki Disease can also appear in series (i.e. not all at once) over a few days. Children with Kawasaki Disease are also characteristically irritable. In the UK, 39% of infants (babies under 1 year old) with Kawasaki Disease develop the most serious heart damage and 28% of all children who have the illness suffer some heart damage. Early diagnosis and treatment are key – which is why we’d really like your help to get Kawasaki Disease known. You can really help to protect children's hearts in your school and beyond.  |