

## Dear Parents,

Thank you for your support with the Covid cases in school and following the government guidance. We are committed to keeping the school open and are fortunate that we are able to provide continuity with our own staff members in teaching the classes during periods of absence.

It is important that we operate as normal during this time. Our swimming and gymnastics lessons at BHLive Stokewood are part of our curriculum and the recommendation is that pupils attend as normal. If pupils are unable to participate for any reason, they will be taken to the venue and will be provided with other work.

Now that we have entered October, we are starting to think about all things Autumn and Harvest.

This year we will be making our Harvest donation to Hope for Food. They have asked for donations of tins and packets. They would like dried spaghetti, but not pasta shapes please (as they already have plenty).

They have also requested toiletries and warm socks.

Kind regards

Mrs Richards

## Macmillan Cake Sale

Thank you so much for your support at our Macmillan Cake sale last Friday. Many of you stepped in to help at the last moment and it was much appreciated. The cakes were amazing and you gave so generously of your time and money.

We raised £280.30!

This is such a fantastic amount to donate to the charity. Well done, St Martin's!

## Photos

The school photos have been delivered to the school office.

Please check your child's bag for the proofs of the individual, class and whole school photographs.

This year the ordering process is online. The instructions are included in the envelope and should be fairly straightforward.

## Star Pupils

Year R: Hiro & Rohan  
Year 1: Annabel & Dolcie  
Year 2: Isabella & Ollie  
Year 3: Freddie M  
Year 4: Grace  
Year 5: Olivia & William  
Year 6: Kaloyan

## Gym Stars

Year R: Lekan  
Year 1: Jemima & Charlotte  
Year 2: Jenson, Bode & Noah  
Year 3: Maia & Alex  
Year 4: Brodie, Aurbrey & Florence  
Year 5: Lucas & Olive  
Year 6: Johanna & Elena

## Dates for October

**Wed 13<sup>th</sup>**

Road Safety Awareness day

**Fri 15<sup>th</sup>**

Year 6 Rugby at BCS

**Fri 22<sup>nd</sup>**

Harvest Festival  
Bring in Harvest gifts to school, parents can join us at St Luke's Church at 9:30am

**25<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> Half Term**

## Dates for November

**Mon 1<sup>st</sup>**

Year 2 Tank Museum trip

**Fri 12<sup>th</sup>**

St Martin's Day School as normal, parents can join us at St Luke's 9:30am

**Mon 15<sup>th</sup>**

Odd Socks Day  
Anti-bullying week begins

## Dates for December

**Fri 10<sup>th</sup>**

Christmas Jumper Day

**Fri 17<sup>th</sup>**

Last Day of Term