



St Luke's News

A Christian school that serves a diverse community and works in partnership with parents to develop the whole child.



25th June 2021

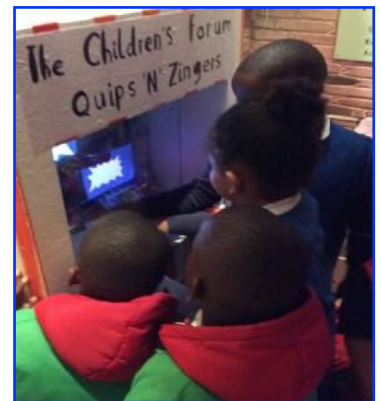
Dear Parents & Carers



We have been determined to make sure all children have had a safe educational visit before the Summer holidays begin and this week it was the turn of YN & YR who went on a joint trip to the Discover Story Centre in Stratford.

The children had great fun exploring the Centre's play spaces, the magical story worlds and the mysterious hidden sculptures which will help stimulate their imaginations - but like all children on an

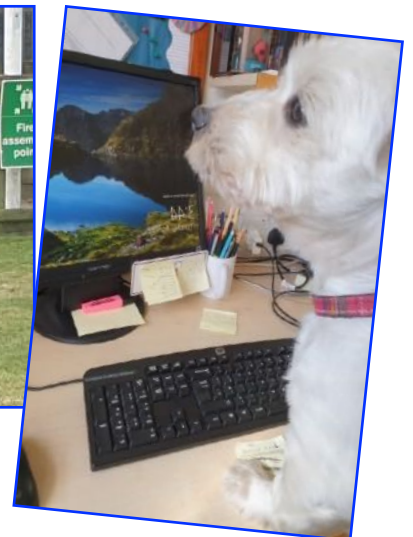
outing, the coach trip there was just as exciting! In the next few weeks Y1&2 will visit the seaside as part of their topic and Y3 will visit Trinity Buoy Wharf to experience some Canning Town of the past. All of this is to help ease the children back into the more normal world we all hope will be here next school year.



Some sad news



My family's much loved dog Snowy had to be put to 'sleep forever' this week after a short illness. It was all so sudden that he didn't have time to come in for one last visit to the children he loved so much – he really wanted to come into the school every day I did – he will be fondly remembered – and remember once St. Luke's always St. Luke's!



Rotarians

We would like to say a massive thank-you to our local Rotarians (represented by Chizaram Y4's mum in the picture) for donating a combined £700 towards helping struggling families with funds for the Summer holidays. We will give £100 to 7 families to help them offer their children some experiences like going to the Cinema during the Summer holidays.

In the Newham Recorder

Activities at St. Lukes are once again making the headlines. Click on the link below to see an article about our Y6 *Spoken Word Project* led by our school governor Mide, it contains some sample poems the children created. <https://www.newhamrecorder.co.uk/news/newham-st-luke-s-primary-workshops-8077062>

Y6 - Dragons Den meets Science Fair!

On Wednesday and Thursday the Y6s held a Science Fair where they modelled toys and sold them to the rest of the school. Olly pictured was voted the best seller and definitely had the right sayings to convince the children to buy! The children raised over £150 for Science resources as part of their legacy work – thanks guys!



Newham Athletics Quad Kids Competition.

On Tuesday 22nd June, 16 children from Year 3&4 and 5&6 competed in an Athletics Competition with nearly 25 other schools in Newham. Our 3&4, did really well and came 7th. Our 5&6 did incredible well and came 2nd! Also, Erika got the 2nd highest score out of over 50 girls in the competition. Well done everyone. St Luke's is very proud of you.



Our Y5/6 team

Music Students are Maestros

On Friday 25th June, 18 of our 3&4 Music students went to Blackheath Halls to listen to The Trinity Laban Orchestra. We had a great time listening to a live orchestra, learning about the composer Brahms, learning about the different instruments and two of our students got the chance to be the composer and conduct the orchestra. And, as always, all our students were amazing. Well done.



Keeping Safe on our Streets

On Thursday PC Suzie Threadgold from the Met Police Schools team came to visit the Y5&6 children and share tips with them about how to keep safe on our streets. She discussed the ways that gangs try to entrap school children amongst other topics and **the Police have offered to hold a meeting with our parents** to reinforce this talk but also to hear from parents about what they would like to see. Watch out for a *Schooling* message next week.

A MASSIVE well done to everyone on Street Tags!!



We have over 3.4 million points!! That's incredible but the competition is not over yet. We still have 4 weeks to go - it ends 21st July. We are in the lead but Ranelagh school, who are in 2nd place, are trying to catch us. So come on St Luke's, let's keep active and keep earning points. There will be prizes for all the top

scorers in each class. **Let's aim at getting over 5**

million points by the 21st July. Don't forget to use your power hour to triple those points. See Ms Adams for .

Keep active!!





Full time Youth & Children's Pastor

St Luke's Canning Town are looking to appoint a Youth & Children's pastor who is passionate about seeing young people's lives transformed by Jesus.

Are you the person to develop our work with 5-18 year olds?

**For more information and to apply,
visit www.stlucose16.co.uk or email rev.amystott@gmail.com**

**Application Deadline: 5pm Friday 9th July.
Interviews will take place on Saturday 17th July.**

There is a genuine occupation requirement that the post holder is a Christian
The position is subject to enhanced DBS enquiries

Part Time Musical Director

St Luke's Canning Town are looking for someone who can lead us in sung worship and develop our musical resources.

Are you the person to grow and lead our praise and worship?

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**Application Deadline: 5pm Friday 9th July.
Interviews will take place w/c 12th July.**

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For more information, go to:

<https://www.stlucose16.co.uk/vacancies/>



Golden Assemblies, Mathletics and Reading Eggs Certificates



YR





Y1



Y2



Y3&4



Y6 -Class of week



Y5&6

Dates for Summer Term 2021

28th June – 2nd July London Maths Week @ St. Luke's

28th June – 2nd July RHSE week – Sex Education

30th June AM YN & YR Sports Day

1st July Sex-Ed. Curriculum documents available for parents to look at in playground 9am

1st July PM Y1,& Y2 Sports Day

2nd July Bee workshop

2nd July AM Y3/4 Sports Day PM Y5/6 Sports Day

5th-9th Sex Education week

7th July Y6 Rowing Day

8th July LBN Y6 transition day

9th End of year funfair for children timetabled during the day

9th AM St Luke's music concert parents of musicians invited - outdoor event

9th Y3 school trip to Trinity Buoy Wharf

13th July YN Picnic & Graduation

13th July Y6 end of Year Show for school PM

14th July YN Carnival

14th July Y6 end of year show for parents outdoors weather permitting

16th July Y6 trip to Peter Pan's Adventure Island and camp out overnight in our garden

21st July Y6 Leavers Assembly 9am parents invited – outdoors weather permitting

21st July School closes for Summer at 1pm

Please check out

There are still some excellent topics still to be heard for July on Newham's parents' seminars (Webinars) and a link to listen to past lectures from May and June. See below.

Have a great weekend

Matt Hipperson

Head Teacher



Link to Join

Please click the link below to join the webinar:

<https://bit.ly/3sKR7vq>

Schedule

What is Early Help? 6th May 2021

Strengthening parents relationships 13th May 2021

Dealing with loss and bereavement 20th May 2021

The importance of fathers and significant males in a child's life 3rd June 2021

Raising black children in today's society 10th June 2021

Supporting your child with their gender and sexual identity 17th June 2021

Understanding anxiety and self-harming behaviour 24th June 2021

Youth Empowerment Programme 1st July 2021

Employment and benefits support 8th July 2021

Pathfinder Project: Holistic support to address over-representation of Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic children and young people in the justice system 15th July 2021

Supporting children and young people with health conditions 22nd July 2021

Check out our previous family support webinars:

www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLfBuvuA_uMZXlS5U9HlxG0QpjwEJ98zQ