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10th May 2024

Our Value this half term is Service

Dear Parents, Carers and Pupils,

Year 6 trip to Hazard Alley Last week, Year 6 visited a hazard perception centre in Milton Keynes. Hazard Alley allows the children to visit a variety of scenarios that show a range of risks. These included danger on the railways, crossing the road, water safety and how to put an unconscious casualty into the recovery position. The children also made 999 calls following a range of incidents that happened live. They needed to respond as if it was a real-life incident, which they did in a calm manner. The volunteers at the centre commented on how polite, communicative and enthusiastic the children were, their behaviour was exemplarily throughout the visit. A big thank you to Mrs Webb who gave up her day off to join us. We hope you get a flavour of our trip from the photos on the following page.

Class photos We were delighted that the sun made an appearance for our class photos to be taken on Wednesday. The children all brought home a card with order details on it. If you would like to order the photos, the **deadline for free delivery to school is 26th May**.



Safety Online Simplified

Making friends online: The term 'online friend' can be used to describe people you only know through the internet, or those that you also know offline. Some children make friends online by meeting new people through online platforms such as gaming sites.

To help children have positive online friendships, read this [handy guide](#).

Sporting Achievements

Our **Mixed Football Team** are busy this week. On Wednesday they won a home match against Larwood School (2-1) and David (Y6) was Player of the Match. Well done to all of you! They are playing again at home vs Bedwell this afternoon.

The **Y5 Netball Team** is also playing away again today; this time against Shephalbury Park; we look forward to hearing how they get on.

Achievements

Each week we focus on a learning behaviour and one or two children who display this behaviour in each class will receive a certificate in celebration of this. Our learning behaviour this week has been **Questioning**.

Congratulations to: **YR:** Jimmy; **Y1:** Oniro; **Y2:** All of Year 2; **Y3:** Teddy; **Y4:** Molly; **Y5:** Frankie & Sophie; **Y6:** All of Year 6.

Next week we will be focusing on *Teamwork*.

House points

We continue to keep a weekly tally of the number of House points each House has as well as a running total.

The overall total number of points so far this year for each House is:

St Andrew:	2421
St Clare:	2412
St Francis:	2386
St Catherine:	2344

We will be having a **Nearly New Uniform Sale** on the KS2 playground after school on Monday (13th May). We have a number of Summer dresses as well as some other uniform so please do have a look. Please take what you need and if you are able to make a donation, that would be very welcome, thank you.

Diary Dates

- **Monday 13th May** – Nearly New Sale on KS2 playground after school
- **Monday 13th-Friday 17th May** – Y6 SATs week
- **Friday 24th May** – Skipping Day! All children to come to school in PE kit
- **Sunday 26th May** – deadline for ordering class photos
- **Monday 27th-Friday 31st May** – Half Term
- **Monday 3rd June** – INSET Day
- **Friday 7th June** – Sports Day
- **Thursday 11th July** - Moving up day
- **Monday 15th July** – Year 6 Production
- **Tuesday 16th July** – Year 6 Production
- **Thursday 18th July** – pm Leavers' Service in church
- **Friday 19th July** – Last day of term - Early finish 1:30pm - No After School Club
- **Wednesday 4th September** – Back to school!

Have a lovely weekend! Mrs Collins

Learning, Loving, Living in God's Family

"But I am like an olive tree flourishing in the house of God; I trust in God's unfailing love forever and ever.

Psalms 52:8

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