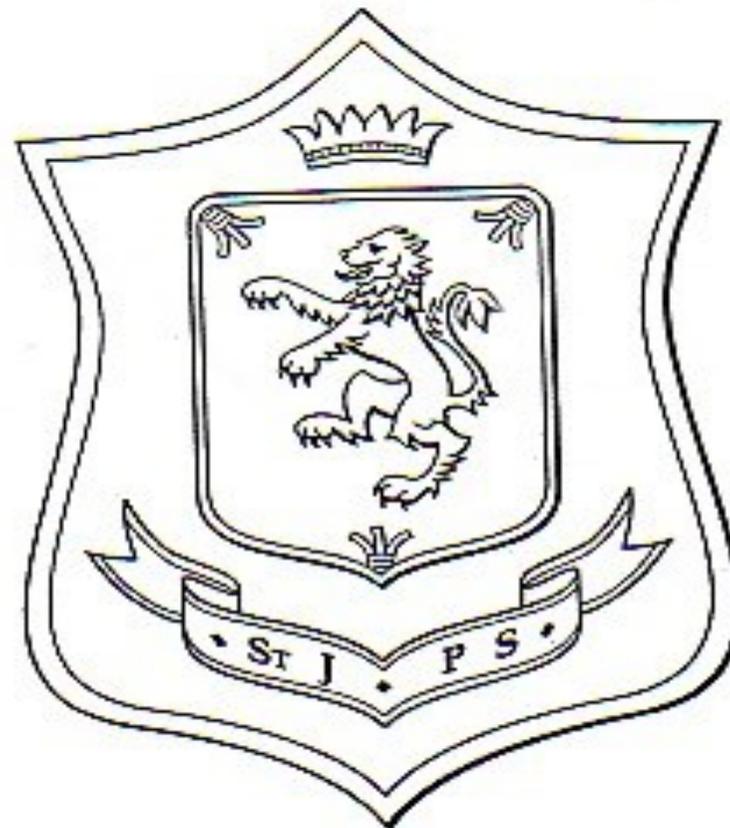


Dates for Your Diary

- 2.4 School closes at 2.30pm
- 2.4 last day of P1 lunch club
- 20.4 School returns
- 22.4 P7 joining Rotary Club Quiz at St Mary's Primary
- 5.5 Virtual RRS re accreditation
- 6.5 Dance Festival in Town House 7.30-8.30pm
- 6.5 Room 11 Titanic Showcase 2.30pm
- 12.5 STEM Day at UWS
- 13.5 Music Day at Town House 9.30am– 4.45pm
- 13.5 Room 4 and Room 6 Showcase and coffee morning in dining hall
- 19 and 20. 5 Primary 7 visit Hamilton Grammar School
- 19.5 new P1s visit school from 1.45-2.45pm
- 20.5 new P1s visit school 11.15-12.15pm
- 21.5 Sports Day– organised by room 14
- 29.5 Installation of playground equipment
- 30.5 Parent Council Plant Sale
- 4.6 ASN Childsmile visit
- 9.6 Room 9 visit to New Lanark
- 15.6 Exceptional closure for the World Cup
- 19.6 P7 Prize Giving in hall 9.30am

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Welcome to our **March Newsletter**. We have lots to tell you about.

We were very excited to join a transition event in Chatelherault Primary School. All of our Primary 7s across the Learning Community worked on Equalities and made posters to show their learning. The children all joined together and enjoyed meeting new people who they will see in secondary school.

Our Primary 6s have been working with Megan our Active Sports Co-ordinator learning leadership skills to help them be super buddies next year for our new Primary 1 children.

Room 9 welcomed Parents, Carers and Friends to the dining room to showcase all their wonderful work about the Titanic. They thoroughly enjoyed sharing their knowledge about the ship, passengers and life at the time. Well done to room 9.

Our Primary 2s have enjoyed a 4 week multi sports club with Megan on Thursdays at lunchtime in the school hall. Megan is now working with Primary 1s at lunchtime.

Our mainstream teachers met with colleagues across the Learning Community to look at developing a shared understanding of achieving a level in reading. Our ASN teachers met in St John's and worked together to look at individual milestones.

Some of our Junior Librarians walked to Chatelherault Primary School with Miss Harris to share ideas about making reading fun. The children enjoyed looking round the school and talking about their favourite books.

Two Primary 6 children attended SLC Sustainability Conference at Hamilton Palace Grounds. They participated in different workshops.

Thank you to everyone for such generous donations for our sponsored dance event. The final total raised was £2419.

It was lovely to see so many parents and carers on our parent's night and during the catchup appointments.

If you are concerned about any aspect of your child's learning please call the school office, we can arrange for a time to chat either during the school day or after 3pm.

The Book Fayre raised £909.02. Thank you to all.

Thank you to our Parent Council volunteers who organised fruit and smoothies for our children after they had completed their Sponsored Dance Challenge.

Our Primary 7s were very excited to go to Lockerbie Manor to stay for two nights.

They had a great time and came back tired, a bit muddy and full of stories.

On Wednesday 25 March we welcomed Jen from Live and Learn who presented a workshop on skills to help manage a day in secondary school. The children had lots of good questions for Jen and left with some tips for the future.

Primary 6 have started their swimming lessons and are really enjoying the chance to be out of school and developing a life skill.

Some of our Primary 4 and Primary 5 children volunteered to lead the Easter Service.

They read very clearly and coped well with such a large audience.

Mrs Sneddon, one of our Support Assistants, who has worked in St John's for over 25 years retired this week.

We wish her well on her future adventures.

We have had lots of after school clubs running this month- Football, multi sports, dance and forest school. Thank you to our sports leaders for giving up their time to run these activities.