



Every Child, Every Chance, Every Day

# St Mark's News

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## Dear Parents and Carers,

As we reach the half term break I want to say a big thank you to my staff, children and parents for your ongoing resilience and support and all that you do for the school. I hope that you will be able to have some rest next week - and even enjoy some sunshine! Please continue to follow the Governments Corona Virus guidance during the break, numbers have begun to rise again so we all need to be careful and vigilant. We return on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June for the final seven weeks of the school year.

Best wishes for a restful and safe half term.

**Ms Braithwaite**

## Friends of St Mark's launch the summer fair.

Our new parent led Friends of St Mark's organising group are busy making plans for the summer fair which is set to take place of Friday July 9<sup>th</sup>. Parents have been out in the playground collecting donations and asking if parents would be willing to help out on the day. We even had a surprise visit from the St Mark's Lion to help launch the event, much to the delight of all the children. If you are a parent who can help with organising and getting involved on the day, please e-mail the group at

[friendsofstmarks21@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofstmarks21@gmail.com)

because many hands make light work! Thank you.

## Half term Homework from Miss Godden

This half term, we would love for everyone to show off your skills in the kitchen. With your grown up's help, we would like you to follow a recipe which uses these skills: measuring, chopping and mixing. You can choose any recipe that you'd like! It could be one that is cooked often in your home, or one that is brand new! Please remember to upload photos and videos onto Google Classroom of you displaying these skills, the recipe that you followed and the final dish! Happy cooking chefs!

## Thank you

Thank you so much to Jane and Cezmi, parents of Kerim in Y6 for their very, very generous donations to the school. Their generosity has already funded our book box and the childrens' Christmas treats and we have now been given further funds to use for the summer fair and end of term. Your kindness is very much appreciated.



## Margaret celebrates 30 years at St Mark's

In a surprise 'This is your life' style assembly today, we congratulated Margaret on her 30 years of service at St Mark's school. She had no idea the surprise was coming. There were kind words from children and colleagues and she was touched.

*Thy word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.*

*Psalm 119 Vs 105*

*St Mark's School Vision*