



# St. Sampson's

## Church of England Primary School

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I hope you all enjoyed the Bank holiday weekend and are enjoying having a four day school week!

We had a fantastic visit from David Lawrence Jones on Tuesday. He entertained all the children in Years 1-6 with stories about his life and how he used these experiences to inspire his writing. It was an interactive afternoon with children getting the chance to dress up as some of the characters from his books and we even had one child go down the plug hole of the bath that was in situ in our hall!

We are welcoming David back this afternoon to sign any books that children have ordered.

We have the Travelling Book Fair with us this week. It is open after school today and tomorrow. Please remember that we use any commission to buy new books for our school libraries.

Next week, our Year 6 children will be sitting their SATs along with all the peers at schools across the country. We will be inviting our children to school extra early to do a 'wake up warm up' and then to share breakfast together. I know that I can confidently say that they will approach these with a positive attitude and support each other. As always, we are extremely proud of how hard the children have worked in preparing for these tests and know that they will do their best, which is all we ever ask of them. These are just a small measure of one area of their work throughout our school. We also celebrate their achievements in being responsible citizens, their accolades in other areas, such as music and sport, and all that they bring to our school. Good Luck Year 6!

**Jennifer Bayne**

### **Class Assemblies - Woodpeckers - TOMORROW! 5R - 24<sup>th</sup> May**

Don't forget we have two more class assemblies this term. Parents of children in these classes are invited to come and watch their assemblies at 9:10am in the Main Hall and then are welcome to stay for a shared learning experience in their classrooms up until break time.



## St Sampson's Stars!



A big well done to all our stars of the week ☺

**Kingfishers - The whole class! Puffins - Matilda & Aston Woodpeckers - Owen & Alfie**

**2L - Mabel & Travis 2S - Elsie & Bobby**

**3/4B - Harvey & Libby 3/4O - Frankie & Scarlett 3/4W - Quinn & Lucy B**

**5C - Lucy & Jonah 5R - Tammy & James**

**6B - Elizabeth & Alex 6R - Samuel & Filippo**



# Fundraising Event run by

## St Sampson's Eco Club

Eco Club are aiming to raise some money towards the Toilet Twinning Charity. The charity supports poor villages and towns without toilets and £60 will provide one toilet for a village. It would be amazing if we could try and raise enough money for two toilets; one to twin with a toilet in the Upper school and one for the Lower school.

As Eco Club we would like to hold an event to raise money for this cause. We have decided to do a toy and book sale to raise money. This way, we are also recycling unwanted belongings. If you have any books or toys (good condition only) that you would like to donate then please bring them to Mrs Abu-Ebid's classroom (Puffins) by Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May.

On Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May the children will have a chance to come and buy some items from the stall during lunchtime (on the middle playground). We will be pricing the items at 20p each. If there are any items left then the remainder of the toys and books will be available to purchase at the end of the day on the lower school playground.

We would be grateful if you could all be a part of this amazing event to raise money.

Many thanks for your support,

Eco Club