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ST MARTINS SCHOOL

6 May 2022

As the weather starts to warm up please could you ensure that your child has a water bottle with them. We ask that it is filled just water please. In primary students should come with a hat to wear at break times and if it is sunny that parents apply sunscreen before school.

Reminder that Year 6 SATs start Monday 9th May and all children are encouraged to come along to SATs breakfast club which starts at 8.30am. We will be providing a small breakfast and drink. Year 11 will be transitioning to a modified timetable from the 16 May, a copy can be found om the website by using this <u>link</u>

Mental Health Awareness week is next week so on FRIDAY, students can wear a green top with the rest of their uniform—this is to raise awareness and will not require a donation. It could be a t shirt or sweatshirt. School trousers and skirts are still to be worn.



Next week is mental health awareness week, and the theme this year is Loneliness. All pupils will be receiving information to help support them during tutor time. Friday 13th will be "Wear it Green Day" where pupils are asked to wear 1 item of green clothing along with their usual school uniform to help raise awareness for mental health.

Year 1 visited Shrewsbury Museum and Art Gallery yesterday and took part in the workshop 'Dinosaur Detectives' to link with their learning on extinct and endangered animals in Literacy and Science. They got dressed up and readied their equipment before searching for dinosaurs around the museum. We also painted ammonite fossils, sang songs and



read a brilliant story about a pet dinosaur. Year 1 even handled fossilised dinosaur poo!

Date for the diary— SPORTS DAY will be Tuesday the 12th of July (in case of bad weather could be moved to the FRIDAY)

Have a lovely weekend, Ms Lovecy



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Year 11 vs Teachers

Well done to staff and students ! Staff won the day with goals scored by Mr Ward, Mr Edwards (primary) Mr Spelman and Mr Powell.

£180 was raised to go towards the Year 11 Prom. Ex student Rhys Edwards kindly refereed the match.

Great team work from everyone, and the final score? Well its just a game isnt it??!!



Dobbies garden centre have very kindly offered to lend

plants to the Prom Committee for decorations. They have a fabulous choice of indoor and outdoor plants that we will be able to chose from and we thank them for their incredibly generous offer.



We are carrying out our annual parent view survey using the Ofsted set of questions which are standard for any inspection. There are 15 questions to answer and will take about 10 minutes to complete. Your views are important to us and we hope that we receive a high number of responses.

If you add comments please do not mention any staff names , and if you have a specific concern related to your child please contact school in the usual way. Your comments on the survey will remain anonymous and will be read only by the trust and school leadership teams.

The survey will close on **Friday 13th May at 4pm**. Once the results have been collected and collated, we will inform parents of the outcomes and any actions which we intend to take.

Click here to access this survey