



As the results of our Form 6's 11+ examinations arrive, it is clear that the hard work and determination of all your children has been recognised. We are immensely proud of them all and excited to share the phenomenal results with you and will do so as soon as they have all been received.



## This Week's Shooting Stars



- Daniella:** Excellent work and determination
- Noah:** Fantastic understanding and participation in Current Affairs club
- Bami:** Showing great interest in Form 2's new topic
- Chloe:** Being kind and patient
- Muhau:** Always listening to instructions and carrying out tasks without any fuss
- Seth:** Consistent hard work
- Mishey:** Doing so well in art class
- Ali:** Trying hard to improve focus in lessons
- Roshan:** Showing excellent sportsmanship in P.E
- Omy:** Always applying herself so well in lessons

## Golden Tea

This week, the following children will share Golden Tea with Dr Walak.

**Siyona**

**Kim-Mia**

**Ritsu**

**Eden**

Please be reminded that **World Book Day** is on Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> March. Your children can come to school dressed as their favourite character from a book.

Your children made amazing aliens for our alien zoo – a full school literacy and art project which will be displayed by the school office. We can't wait to unveil it when it's complete!

### REMINDER - Spring Concert & Arts Appreciation Day

At St Martin's, we understand the importance of the Arts alongside the rigours of academia. The annual spring concert is a chance for your children to showcase their talents. Next week, during their normal music lesson (Wednesday or Thursday depending on their class) they will have the opportunity to audition for a part in the spring concert. Your children can play a short piece on their musical instrument, sing, dance, recite a poem or pros or anything else... In past years, we have enjoyed watching short pieces of drama and even a magic show. Your children can perform alone, in a duet or a small group. Auditions will take place for all children from Form 1 upwards. Pre School and Reception will perform something special as a class and do not need to audition – they will all be included.

The spring concert will be on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March at Hartley Hall from 6pm. We will ask for your children to arrive a little earlier than 6pm and refreshments will be served to all parents / grandparents before the show begins. More details will be provided soon.

## Diary Dates

**Performing Arts Week:** Week commencing 26<sup>th</sup> February – (see above)

**World Book Day:** Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> March

Come to school dressed up as your favourite character from a book

**Golden Tea with Dr Walak and Parents:** 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> March

Many of you have already booked your appointment with Dr Walak to have your Golden Tea with Dr Walak and your child – your child's opportunity to show you and Dr Walak the work they are most proud of. If you haven't already booked for your appointment, please email Mrs Jacobs.

**Spring Concert:** Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March 6pm at Hartley Hall

**Easter Egg Hunt / Picnic Lunch:** Thursday, 22<sup>nd</sup> March

Your children will enjoy a picnic lunch in the playground (weather permitting) followed by an Easter Egg hunt!

**Head Lice Checks:** Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March

**Open Morning:** Friday 20<sup>th</sup> April 9.30am – 11.30am

Potential new parents have been invited to school to see our facilities, speak to our staff and see your children hard at work. If you have any friends who you feel may like to join our school, please pass on this date!

**FoSMS Supper Quiz** Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May from 8pm

**JCA Residential Trip** Monday 21<sup>st</sup> – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May

Form 6's 5 day, action packed residential trip to Mill Rhythe.

**School Photos** Friday, 8<sup>th</sup> June

**Sport's Day:** Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June at 2pm at Mill Hill Park

**Summer Fete:** Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July 11am-3pm at school

**Summer Show** Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm at Hartley Hall

**Summer Show** Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> July at 2pm at Hartley Hall

**Prize Day:** Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> July at 2pm at St Michael's Church Hall

### **FoSMS Supper Quiz**

**Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May from 8pm**

**After last year's sell out quiz  
FoSMS are delighted to announce  
the date of this year's Supper  
Quiz**

**Start planning your tables now!!**

Please do 'like' our Facebook page or follow us on Twitter. There are regular posts showing what your children have been learning and also provides important reminders. If you are not on social media, you can still stay up to date by checking our website which includes a live feed.

Easter Camp is back! Your children came home with booking forms this week. Take advantage of the Early Bird pricing offer by returning your slip and payment by Friday, 9<sup>th</sup> March. Easter Camp will run from 26<sup>th</sup> March – 29<sup>th</sup> March and 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> April. It promises to be a really fun way to spend your holidays; arts and crafts, crazy science, sports, baking, competitions and so much more! Open only to St Martin's pupils.

### **Spring Term 2018**

End of Term: Friday March 23<sup>rd</sup> 2018

### **Summer Term 2018**

Return to School: Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Half Term: May 28<sup>th</sup> – June 1<sup>st</sup> 2018

End of Term: Friday July 13<sup>th</sup> 2018

### **Autumn Term 2018**

Return to School: Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Half Term: October 22<sup>nd</sup> – October 26<sup>th</sup> 2018

End of Term: 15<sup>th</sup> December 2018

**2019-2020 Dates will be confirmed in  
next week's St Martin's Post**