



# St Giles C of E Academy Newsletter



## A busy half term!



I hope that you all had a lovely half term break and enjoyed the long bank holiday for the Queen's Platinum jubilee—I know I did. As always the last half term of the school year is a very busy one and this term is no exception. Next week we have lots of activities going on in school.

**Monday 13th June 2.00—3.15:** St Giles Bake off. All bun and cake donations welcome from families and we'd love to see you. We'll be judging your lovely delights and there's prizes to be won. It's £1 a slice and all donations go to Mrs Firth's chosen charities.

**Wednesday 15th June 2.00—3.15** Coffee afternoon. All parents and carers are welcome but this is a good opportunity for the parents of Year 5 children to meet the Year 6 team.

**Friday 17th June: Non Uniform day** - in return, bring a bottle for the Summer Fair. From shampoo to champagne, we'll accept anything as long as it's unopened and in date.

I'll remind you of all other key dates closer to the time.

All this couldn't take place without the fantastic support from the Friends of St Giles. Keep your eyes peeled on the school field that, with the money you helped raise, a very exciting development will be taking place very soon.

Have a great weekend — *Mr Grace*



### Sports for Champions

WOW! It was amazing to witness Jamie Hull in school this term. Jamie is a European and World Champion and is sponsored by Red Bull. He even has his own range of scooters which I thought was a pretty fantastic achievement at just 20 years of age. I honestly had no idea that 'professional scooter rider' was a possible job option but I do now. I have a funny feeling lots of children will be asking for scooters after the amazing stunts they witnessed.

We love taking part in the 'sports for champions' initiative. We raised £278 for school which is greatly appreciated.

Mr Greateorex (St Giles Sports Lead).

### Fantastic History

A huge thank you to Rachel List for the amazing timeline that she has painted in our school corridor. The children and staff are amazed by it!



**Value – Growing Together - 10th June 2022**

*Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much!*

**Helen Keller**



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## This Week's 'Growing Together' Award Winners

### **Nursery - Hani M**

For being such a grown up little lady this week. Her beautiful smiles have warmed our hearts and she has amazed us everyday. Well done!

### **Reception 1 - Ivy-May C**

For producing some super writing about the Queen's Jubilee, we're really proud of the work you've done.

### **Reception 2 - Jamie L**

For having an amazing attitude to learning especially with his phonics work, keep it up Jamie you've been a superstar.

### **Class 1 - Yi H H**

For making a wonderful rainbow in Art and learning the colours of the rainbow. You have completed all of your tasks and we are proud of you 😊.

### **Class 1/2 - Evlynn B**

For coming back to school with an excellent attitude to learning and huge smile on her face. We have been super impressed with her contributions too! Keep it up super star! ★🌟

### **Class 2 - Lily P**

For beautiful presentation in Maths and English and being a great team leader on our mini-beast hunt. Well done Lily.

### **Class 3 - Carson B**

Carson has come back to school with a great attitude. He worked super hard on his design for his slider mechanism in DT, he really thought about his design and took his time to create it. Well done!

### **Class 3/4 - Lucas M**

Lucas always sets an excellent example to others and settles down very quickly. He makes the most of learning experiences and tries his best; usually facing challenges in a quiet manner. He is a kind natured and respectful boy. A delight to teach. Proud of you Lucas. ★😊

### **Class 4 - Connor M**

I could give Connor this award every week as he will always give everything 100 percent effort. I am especially impressed with his effort in this week's Rounders lesson- Well done Connor.

### **Class 5 - Lucas P**

Lucas has had to wait a long time for this award. As we are celebrating 'growing together' this term it was only fitting Lucas won the award because he has come on so much this year. He should be very proud of himself. I know his friends and family will be.

### **Class 5/6 - Lucy C**

For always being such a polite, friendly young lady and being such a lovely friend. She is always happy to help and support those around her. We're all so proud of you Lucy.

### **Class 6 - Jayden M**

Jayden has made awesome progress this year in all subjects but especially in Maths! He is a born mathematician and constantly wows us with his methods and quick calculations. Keep it up Jayden :)

### **Staff Member of the Week – Mrs Brown**

Mrs Brown will always go the extra mile for the families and children of St Giles. This week has been no different and as usual she has made sure that those in need of extra support and guidance, receive it.