

January Diary Dates

Monday 5th	8.45am	School Opens
Friday 13 th February	3.15 pm	School closes for half term.

January Assemblies		
Wed 28th	9.05 am	Y5

HOLIDAY DATES

School Opens	8.45 a.m.	Monday 5 th January 2015
School Closes	3.15 p.m.	Friday 13 th February 2015 (Half Term)
School Opens	8.45 a.m.	Tuesday 24th February
School Closes	3.15 p.m.	Thursday 2 nd April 2015 (Easter)

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St Lukian Newsletter



January 2015



Welcome back and Happy New Year! I hope you had a great Christmas. I'm certain 2015 will bring with it many successes for all our pupils.

Icy Conditions! - When we experience cold weather please ensure that as you enter the school grounds pupils stick to the gritted areas. This will help to keep everyone safe! Our snow and icy conditions policy is available from the school office on request.

Year 6 SATs Parents Meeting – shortly we will be holding an information meeting for Year 6 SATs. If you have a child in Year 6 please try to attend as we will be sharing lots of important information. Date and time to follow soon.

“Catch it, kill it, bin it” – we will be spending time with pupils discussing basic hygiene and the above campaign. Please be sure to discuss this with your child so that we can minimise the effect of seasonal coughs, colds and flu like symptoms! Check out the posters around school for more information. We will also be encouraging hand hygiene to prevent the spread of nasty viral infections!



Labelling your child's uniform – Please make sure that anything your child brings to school, ie uniform, PE kit, lunch boxes, hats, coats and scarves are clearly labelled with their name. Thank you.

Christmas Fayre - We raised a whopping £1,065.88. Thank you all for your support. I would also like to thank the following businesses for supporting our Christmas Fayre:

Morrisons, Festival Park; Emma Bridgewater, Hanley; New Vic Theatre, Basford; Stoke on Trent Moat House, Etruria; Sainbury's, Hanley and The Regent Theatre. Hanley.

Parking – Please park safely and legally around school. Parents/Carers please can you ensure that you do not park in Residents Only bays. Not only will this land you with a ticket but it also makes life difficult for our local residents. Please be respectful of this. Remember that there are lots of spaces to park for free on St. Anne Street during the morning drop off. The bottom of Wellington Road is also an area with lots of space to park legally and safely.

E-Safety – We will be holding our E-Safety training sessions for parents shortly. More information on dates and times will be released shortly. We now have pupil E-Safety Officers in school who will help children to pass on any internet or mobile phone based worry that they might have. We also have chip@sgfl.org.uk who the children can send worrying or upsetting emails to, so that we can deal with them. Our E-Safety policy is available to view in the school office. It is reviewed by School Council annually so that the Cyber-bullying element is considered alongside our Bullying Policy.

Jazz Dancers – will be performing at the Regent Theatre on 27th January 2015. We wish them all the best. Go for it!

Belgium Visit – we wish our children who will be visit Ypres in February the very best. They will be placing a wreath, on behalf of all at Hanley St. Luke's, at the Menin Gate following the Last Post Service.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mr M.A. Barlow
Headteacher