

DAILY UPDATE

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SANDY'S DAILY MESSAGE

Happy St. George's Day.

With all that is going on in the current climate, it is so easy to forget that today is our Patron Saint's Day.

Very little is known about his life, but it is thought that he was executed in 303AD for refusing to renounce his Christian faith. Stories say that he refused to comply with the Roman Emperor's orders that soldiers make sacrifices to pagan gods. He spent seven years being tortured in the worst ways imaginable, but he still refused to give up his religion.

He was canonized as a Saint by Pope Gelasius I almost 200 years later in 494 AD.

He lived his life with inspiring values of honesty, bravery and gallantry.

These ideals are still evident amongst many at this time - our doctors, nurses and paramedics who work daily trying to save lives and make people well; transport and delivery drivers; shop assistants; cleaners; our postal workers; scientists working to find a vaccine for Covid 19; those in educational settings and care homes.

I hope tonight at 8.00pm, you will all join the nation once again and clap for the carers as a mark of recognition for all those people who are helping to make England safe again.

Sandy

ACTIVITIES / LINKS THAT MIGHT BE HELPFUL

If you are looking for more inspiration and ideas for simple games to play with your child whilst you are at home together, our Speech & Language Therapists have been offered free subscription to "Easy Peasy"

(see the attached flyer for more details).

Each play activity is designed to promote communication, attention and interaction skills whilst most importantly, having fun.

Easy Peasy has been made free for everybody to use, until May 31st due to Covid 19.

If you are interested in signing up, please let the school office know and your details will be passed on.

WHAT'S EVERYONE BEEN UP TO?

Maheen knows just how to cool off in this weather - she puts on her goggles and jumps into her paddling pool with her older sister.



Here at school too, we have had a pool out, which two of our boys have really enjoyed. One of them has turned it into their very own 'spa retreat' with bubbles (albeit from washing-up liquid!). However, we must say it really looks inviting, tempting some of us to dip a toe in!

Aaron was out on his scooter yesterday, making good use of the empty parks during his exercise hour. Mum, Sharon said he did really good stopping and looking at roads too.



In keeping with the outdoor theme, Olivia has been enjoying lots of water play at home today too. Mum, Jo said the picture shows the joy on the face of a child who has just thrown a litre of freezing water over her unsuspecting mother!

