



# St Andrew's

Church of England Primary School

*With God's love, we live, learn and grow together*

## A fantastic week for Sport at St. Andrew's

It has been a superbly successful fortnight for many of our older children. And what a range of sports - Cross Country at the London Youth Games in Hampstead, Ice-Skating competitions and Indoor Athletics! Following on from their success at Forty Hall, Maya, Elliana and Ben all took part in the rather gruelling London Youth Games Cross Country course last weekend. Around 250 young people took part and all three of our runners finished the course. A special commendation goes to Ben, who finished 29th! Well done to all three!

Meanwhile, our super skater, Scarlett, has been hard at work for the last four months and has now passed her Level 2 test for the British Ice Skating Association. Finally, our best athletes from Years 5 and 6 took part in the Enfield Indoor Athletics Competition this week.



All 17 children worked really hard and we are thrilled to say we came first out of 6 schools!

Congratulations to all our children - we are so very proud of you all. A huge thanks to Mrs Dilieto and Coach Romaine for their support and help.



## Christmas is coming...

Our amazing members of the PTA have been as busy as elves over the past two weeks, organising a huge range of exciting events in the lead up to Christmas. Posters have been emailed to all parents about ways in which we can all help to raise much needed funds for the school. Please check your emails and contact the PTA if you would like to help. Let your children know what is happening, too!

### Year 3 and Nursery buddies



It was the turn of our very youngest members of the school to spend some time with their Year 3 buddies last week. A trip to the Nursery is always exciting for our older children, and it was clear that both age groups enjoyed taking part in colouring activities for Odd Socks Day. Our buddy classes regularly take part in sessions together, with the emphasis always being on kindness, respect and building friendships.



### Spelling Bee



At the start of the week two children from Year 1 and Year 2 represented their classes in the Enfield Town Schools' Partnership inter-school spelling bee competition! Our children were A-M-A-Z-I-N-G. We played against five other schools and the scores were very, very close. We didn't quite make it through to the final, but we are very proud semi-finalists. A huge well done to Hiba & Gordon from Year 1 and Sofia & Finley from Year 2.

### What else has been happening in school?

In **Year 1**, the children have been designing and making toys from junk items, as part of their history unit called 'My family history'. Also linked to their history unit about The Great Fire of London, **Year 2** children took part in baking their own bread rolls, using a method we first used last year. Bread in a bag is exactly that! All the ingredients stay in the bag, to keep everything hygienic and safe. The children just add water to the mix, then shake, roll and knead the ingredients together to make a dough. Perfect results!



Finally, in **Year 5**, the children have been busy designing parachutes, to test our air resistance. The highest and safest place to do this is at the top of the climbing frame. Great fun and learning at the same time!

