

DIARY DATES

Sunday 21st September
St Matthew's Day
6.30pm Patronal Service in
St Matthew's Church
Everyone is very welcome to join our
special celebration.
Monday 22nd September
School Council Elections
Thursday 2nd October
Autumn Tea Party
Future Trips & Visits
Year 3/4 ITSU Youth Kitchen &
Lord's Cricket Ground
Wednesday 12th November
Admission to Holy Communion



PTA

As always, we'd like to say a huge thank you to the PTA, for all their hard work, creativity and determination in raising much needed funds for the children of St Matthew's, including restocking Friday's Celebration bookshelf along with a kind donation from Tyler. On **Thursday 2nd October** the PTA will be hosting a very special Autumn Afternoon Tea Party for the whole school, as we welcome the seasons changing and celebrate together.

HARVEST

We have registered to host a City Harvest Food Drive, to help tackle food poverty in London. More details to follow soon.



ACHIEVING

Indie ran in the Terry Fox Run at Battersea Park, at the weekend. The Terry Fox Run is an annual non-competitive charity event held around the world to raise money for cancer research in commemoration of Canadian cancer activist Terry Fox and his Marathon of Hope. Congratulations, Indie!

BELONGING

The children are so excited about running for our School Council. This St Matthew's tradition encourages such responsibility and self-confidence and ensures our pupil voice is even louder! Miss Brady is really looking forward to all the wonderful things this year's School Council will achieve.



SCHOOL ART COMPETITION

This year at Hyde Park Winter Wonderland, they are inviting local schools to participate in their annual School Art Competition. Entrants will have a chance to win prizes for themselves and their school, including a free day out at Winter Wonderland! Teachers will be sharing the entry details with the children.



BELIEVING

Children from Years 3&4 read and prayed in our Key Stage Two Mass this week. Well done! Father Philip spoke about how all problems can be solved when we really believe in ourselves. Admission to Holy Communion classes will be starting soon; Father Philip will write to Key Stage Two parents/carers.



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