

ST JAMES' C OF E JUNIOR SCHOOL
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Something to be proud of



This week year 5 learned about the history of bread. The workshop culminated in each child making their own bread to take home.



Haybay barge

Year 6 had a fantastic time at Haybay barge engaging in a variety of outdoor activities such as caving, canoeing and climbing, to name a few. This was a great opportunity for the year 6 to make new friends, consolidate team building skills and have fun!





Attendance and Punctuality

The classes with the highest attendance last week were May, Violet and Zinnia with 100%. The most punctual pupils were in Lily and Orchid classes. Well done to everyone in those classes.



Online safety tip

Ask your children about online safety rules regularly as a constant reminder for them to stay safe online.



St James' pupils and staff are in this week's Newham recorder. Please have a read on (Page 9)

<http://www.newhamrecorder.co.uk/news/bishop-visits-forest-gate-schoolchildren-1-5032135>

Letters home

Iris class - swimming

Dates for your Diary

Event	Date/Time
Swimming Lessons Y4 Iris class	Monday 5 th June - Friday 16 th June 2017
Class photos	Monday 26 th June 2017
Swimming Lessons Y4 Lily class	Monday 19 th June -Friday 30 th June 2017
International Day	Tuesday 4 th July 2017
Sports Day	Thursday 6 th July 2017
Y6 Graduation Day	Monday 17 th July 2017
Last day of term	Thursday 20 th July 2017

The school's term dates and holiday dates have been published on the school's website: www.st-james.newham.sch.uk

Please check this before booking holidays and to ensure that you are aware of planned school closures.

Have a great half term.

Shirleyann Jones
Head Teacher



Get active with us this half term

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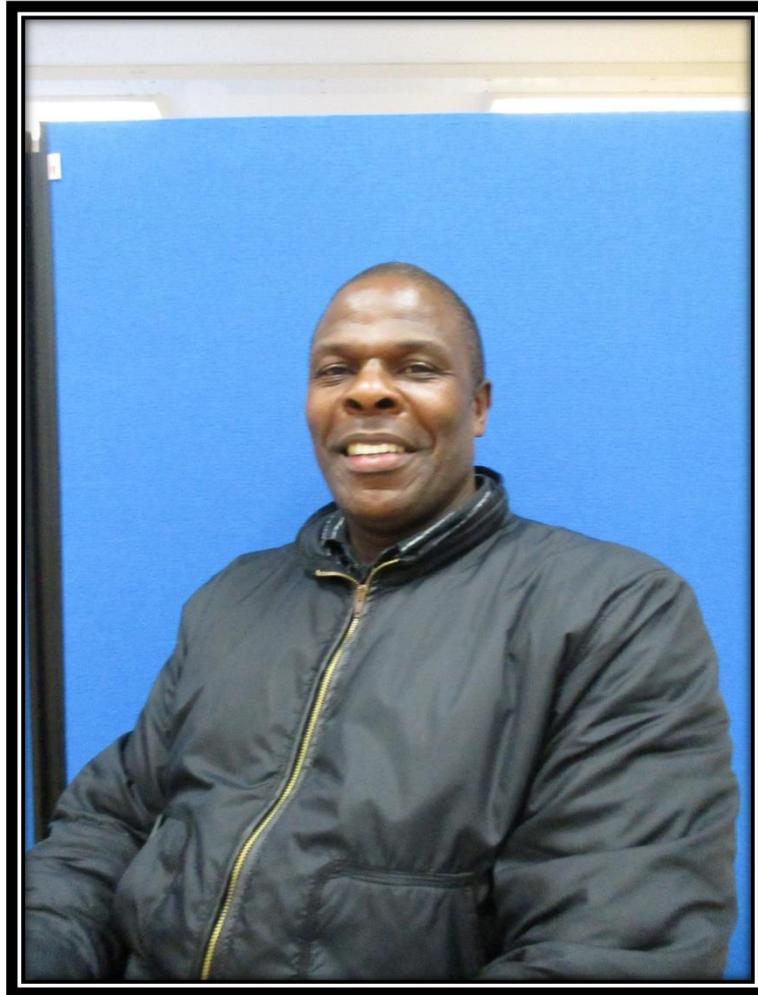
Half Term

- Education
- Health & Wellbeing
- Leisure Centres
- Outdoors
- Sport
- Volunteering
- Atherton
- Balaam
- East Ham
- Manor Park
- Newham

Keep Active, Have Fun, Make Friends!

Schools out, time to make the most of it! Let activeNewham take care of you and your family this half-term. All of our programmes are provided by friendly highly qualified coaches and staff members who will ensure that every activity is packed full of fun for everyone. Our school-holiday programme is designed to bring together the very best that's on offer in Newham from our leisure centres, sports facilities and parks. Don't hesitate, come get active with us and make new friends whilst getting fit and healthy.

Full details of all of our activities are listed below - for more information and to make a booking please call 0300 124 0123



My name is Oluwasegun Oyenigba. I have been a governor at St James' C of E Junior school for more than 2 years. I was born in Hackney, but have lived in Newham almost all my life. I enjoy my role as a governor at the school, being involved in its continued development, the profiling of the school and supporting the staff and head teacher to deliver the best outcomes for its pupils gives me great pleasure.

I have been coaching boxing skills to local adults and children at the Mantis Kickboxing gym in Forest Gate for more than 20 years, and enjoy seeing the development in people involved in the craft. Some of the adults have reached championship level.

As a governor at the school, I hope to continue to be a part of the team of governors and senior staff that manages the direction and continued success of the school.