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Writing a newsletter for the end of the summer term is always a time of mixed emotions; we are sad saying goodbye to our wonderful Year 6 class – yes, I did have something in my eye at the assembly this morning; genuinely think I have just developed hay fever! But it is also a happy time when reflecting on their personal journeys and their achievements. Well done Class of 2024!

Not only have we 20 families leaving our community from Year 6 this year we also have 2 other families leaving our school as they are moving to another country and different town; we wish all of you good luck for your new adventures.

We are saying a 'sort of' goodbye to Mrs Hare at the end of this term as she begins her maternity leave and send all our good wishes for the exciting journey she is about to embark on.

Thank you all for the many different ways you show your support and consideration over the year, including all the kind words, cards and gifts you have bestowed upon us over the last week. Thank you as well to the PTA who have raised over £14,000 this year – yet another remarkable achievement.

Our school vision: 'Life in all its fullness' is based on a verse from the Bible (John 10:10). This vision is a daily experience for our school community as 'living life to the full' means embracing an abundant, broad, deep rich sense of living together through all the good and bad times. I am very proud of all that the children have achieved this year both within the classroom and beyond – hopefully you will be able to share the opportunity of 'living life to the full' over the summer holidays. Enjoy the time with your children; which fingers crossed will be full of balmy sunny days – well I am ever the optimist!

Finally, a message to all those children moving on from St John's: Life is a different journey for each of us. Accept that differences are what make life special. Go out into the world, be true to yourself, and be the fine people we know you are so that you can "live life to the full".

Laura Cooper

Don't forget the new term starts on Tuesday September 3rd 2024.

School Vision: We encourage everyone at St John's to 'Live life to the full' – John 10:10

School Values: Wonder, Excellence, Love and Forgiveness