

30th April 2021

Dear Parents,

Big Pedal Competition! – We have reached the end of the two week “Big Pedal Competition” and it has been wonderful to see so many children and parents cycling and scooting to school – a very healthy way to start your day! Mrs Weston has been busy these last two weeks recording how many children cycled, scooted or walked to school. There were 3,458 active journeys to school over the last ten days with over 58% of children in our school travelling to school actively! We found out that we came 68th out of 120 London schools and 339th out of 621 across the UK. We shouldn’t be disheartened by this though as our catchment area from St Monica’s Church is much further away from the school than it would be for many other schools.

Bling your bike/scooter competition - We only received a couple of “Bling your bike/scooter” entries and so there is an extension to next Friday. Please send a photo of your decorated bike/scooter to office@st-monicas.enfield.sch.uk for the attention of Mrs Weston.

Dr Bike – Nearly 30 bikes were thoroughly inspected by Dr Bike on Monday which raised £210 for The Friends. Many thanks for all the donations.

Last One Standing! Congratulations to the final three participants in Last One Standing football competition (run brilliantly by one of our dads, Mr Conlon); Gary Kennedy, Owen Norris and Kieron Pizzi-Najada. We look forward to hearing who the last one standing is in the next week or so!

Kitchen roll – Thank you for sending through kitchen roll this week – please keep them coming!

Parents’ Evening – This week, you had the opportunity to talk to your child’s teacher. The majority of parents were able to access Google Classroom (Years 1-6) or zoom (Reception). If you didn’t get a chance to speak to your child’s teacher this week, please email the office and the teachers will contact you.

Disco Divas – A huge thank you to all our teachers and support staff who have offered to host another disco for the children on Friday 14th May. If you would like your child to attend, it’s straight after school until 4.30pm (there will be a staggered home-time until 4.45pm – details to follow). Please see the attached flier about how to buy a ticket. Children who are going to after-school club will all automatically be going to the disco and need not buy a ticket as they have already paid for after school club!

Have a lovely long weekend and we will see everyone back in school on Tuesday, (don’t forget that school will be closed on Monday for the bank holiday).

Kind regards,

Kate Baptiste
Headteacher