



NEWSLETTER

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Headteacher Notices

Summer fair

Thank you so much for all the effort the children, staff and parents put into the summer fair. The friends of Saint Patrick's have been amazing, they are Joanne Hodgkin, Lynn Phillips and Sandra Jean Louis. The school will be opened at 9.00, if parents wish to drop off cakes for the refreshment stall please do so. Mrs Nelis will be in school.

The summer fair starts at 11.00 - 2.00.

Review of the week

The children were visited by a theatre group this week. It was based on science. The children enjoyed it. They have also had a judo coach teach them skills in the sport.

Football team

Congratulations to the children in the school football team. They came runners up in the annual Catholic cup. Mr Ritchie and Mr Fiddler were delighted with the boys. Well done we are very proud of you all.

Hot weather

Please ensure the children come to school with a sun hat and water bottle.

Parent induction evening

Thank you to the staff who were part of the induction meeting. I was delighted with the school council members and language ambassadors, they were amazing. They welcomed the parents in their own language - it was wonderful to see.

Message for children who had First Holy Communion

Can children please bring (not wear) their communion gowns on Monday, 26th June to school for a photograph to be taken during the day.

Reading Volunteers

The school welcomes adult support of children's reading both in Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2. We would love to hear from parents/carers, grandparents or any of our parishioners who might be interested in volunteering some of their time in the week to listen to children read. Training will be provided and your skills and time would be very much appreciated. If you are interested, please request a form from school office and return the completed form so that we can contact you.

Deputy Headteacher Notices

Fox Valley Festival of Dance.

Ava is 5 years old and is in Mrs Barnes class Badgers. She recently received a silver medal for 2nd place for performing the sweet nothing dance. Well done Ava!



Message from Mrs Fox

The school has recently taken over responsibility for the McAuley Hall. If anyone would like to hire it for birthday parties, meetings etc. Please contact me.

Message from Friends of St Patricks

A Big Thank you to parents/carers who sent in bottles, cakes & toys.

See you tomorrow!

St Patrick's bake off at the summer fayre.

The cakes will be judged at the summer fayre and there will be a prize for the first place cake. There is still time to bring the cakes to school before the summer fayre starts on Friday after school.



Dates for the Diary

- Saturday, **24th June** 11am - 2pm - Summer Fayre
- **26th June** - Hedgehogs and Squirrels trip to The Deep
- **27th June** - Y6 Flamingo Land trip
- **28th June** - Y6 Crucial Crew visit
- **29th June** - workshop for Y5 parents
- **3rd - 7th July** - transition week
- **5th July** - Next year's Otters & Badgers classes walk to Firth Park and Library
- **10th July** - Champions Awards assembly 10am
- **10th July** - KS1 sports day 1-3pm
- **12th July**- FS2/KS1 - Open Evening 2-5.30pm
- **12th July**- Y6 Leavers Disco 6-7.30pm
- **13th July** - Nursery/Reception sports day 1.30-2.30pm
- **14th July** - KS2 sports day 1.30-3pm
- **17th July** - Nursery Graduation 10am
- **17th July** 2-5.30pm KS2 Open Evening
- **18th July** 2pm - John Cox Award
- **19th July** 9.15am - Y6 Leavers Mass
- **19th July** - Leavers Play 6-7.30pm
- **20th July** - Attendance Awards Assembly 9.30am
- **21st July** - Leavers Assembly 2-3pm
- **21st July** - breakup for Summer Holidays
- **Tuesday, 5th September** - Start of New School Term

Community messages

- St Marie's Cathedral - Free Organ Demonstrations & Free Guided Tours (please check noticeboard)
- 'Parents are Experts' course at Shiregreen Neighbourhood Centre date changed (please check noticeboard)
- Mindful movement at Wincobank Village hall (please check noticeboard)
- Free Computer skills lessons for Sanctuary residents. (please check noticeboard)
- Caribbean Sports FC new players wanted - (please check notice board)

School Uniform Ordering

<http://logoleisurewear.com/schoolshop/n-s/st-patricks-voluntary-academy>

AFTERSCHOOL CLUBS FOR SUMMER 2 TERM 2017

DAY	AFTER SCHOOL CLUB	TIME
MONDAY	Gardening Club	3.20 - 4.20 pm
	Y2/3 Football Club	3.15 - 4.20 pm
TUESDAY	Greedy Readers	3.20 - 4.20 pm
	Sewing Club	3.20 - 4.45 pm
WEDNESDAY	Y2 Science Club (full)	3.15 -4.00pm
THURSDAY	Y4 Basket Ball Club	3.15 - 4.30 pm
	Y4/5 Football Club	3.15 - 4.20 pm
	Let's get cooking	3.25 - 4.45 pm

Music Clubs (ukulele, drumming and choir), Art Club, Y2 Writing, Y4 & Y5 cricket clubs has **finished for the school year.**

NEWS FROM MISS ELLIOTT

Our whole school attendance target for 2016-2017 is 97.5% - I hope all parents/carers and pupils will work hard to achieve this goal - every day counts.

Week Commencing 12nd June 2017

POSIT ION THIS WEEK	CLASS	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE%	WEEKLY POINTS	TOTAL POINTS	OVERALL POSITION
1	Otters	100%	9	186	4 th
2	Lees Hall	99.4%	8	171	6 th
2	Woolley Woods	99.4%	8	221	1 st
4	Hedgehogs	99.3%	6	118	9 th
5	Ecclesall Woods	98.7%	5	202	2 nd
6	Beeley Woods	97.9%	4	179	5 th
7	Grenoside Woods	97.8%	3	152	7 th
8	Squirrels	95.7%	2	130	8 th
9	Badgers	95.2%	1	194	3 rd

St. Patrick and St. Thomas More Youth Prayer Group,

6.30-7.30pm, every second and fourth Friday of the month in St. Patrick's Presbytery. The prayer group includes music, praise and worship, sharing, Word of God, action songs etc. and is open to youth aged 13 years and above.

Message from Logo Leisurewear

There is a reduction on current stock of polo shirt. £2.50 per polo shirt subject to stock availability

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