

The Keys Newsletter

Messages from St Peter's

16th June 2023

MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD TEACHER

Dear Parent / Carer

This week, Year 6 went to Liverpool Cathedral to take part in a lovely service that involved many schools. They watched a play as part of the service that linked directly to them moving on to secondary school. It was a lovely production and brought home how close we are to the next stage of their educational journey.

Just up the road from the Cathedral is the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra, and that's who our Year 1 and Year 2 children went to see this week in an enthralling performance from the orchestra as they performed a musical version of Gaspard's Foxtrot and Peter and the Wolf. They had a fantastic time in this rich cultural experience.

Sporting wise, our netball team did very well this week, coming fourth out of nineteen school teams. Well done to all concerned.

A reminder that next week are our scheduled sports days. Any amount of parents / family may come. Please arrive around 10 minutes before your child's event is due to start and bring some trainers for the parents' race!

On Thursday, we have our annual Race for Life event. Sponsor forms will be coming home with your child today. The event is to support Cancer Research, a cause that is close to this school's heart. All children should wear their PE Kit that day.

A huge thank you to the parents who took part in this years '**Inspiration and Aspiration week**'. It was lovely to see so many come in and give our pupils an insight into the different things that our parents do. The aim is to help our children think about their futures and I'm sure they will have been inspired by what they have heard. Further to this, we had an inspirational video message to everyone at St Peter's from Manchester United and England player Ella Toone. Ella scored the first England goal in the famous 2 - 1 victory over Germany in Euro 2022.



The Summer Fair

This fun day is tomorrow and starts at 12.00pm. The PTA have worked tirelessly to put on what is going to be a fantastic event. This is the largest school community event of the year and I hope everyone involved in our St Peter's family can find the time to attend and show support for the school. If you have something on that afternoon, please find the time to visit us, even if it's just for an hour for the annual throwing a wet sponge at me in the stocks. Either way, you can't lose!

Have a lovely weekend

Mr Robinson



Celebration & Congratulations



GROWTH MINDSET

Reception: Ruari P
Year 1/ 2: Elsie H
Year 3: Oskar P-E
Year 4: Deacon M
Year 5: Adam C



STAR OF THE WEEK

Reception: Aaron A
Year 3 : Arne
Year 4: Ava P
Year 5: Samuel L

VALUES AWARD

Year 5: Abigail W



COURAGE AWARD

Year 5: Fynden A

SPORTING ACHIEVEMENTS

Congratulations to Noah (Yr5), Erin (Yr2), Abigail (Yr 5) and Zachary (Yr 4) who all completed the race for life 'Kids Muddy' 5km at the weekend and collectively raised an amazing £291.25 for cancer research. It was an incredibly hot day and they did such an amazing job making it round the whole 5KM course and getting very muddy along the way.

Well done!

Here are the before and after pictures:



SPORTS WEEK- W/C 19th June 2023

Sports Week

This year's theme is 'play for fun, play for 60'!

Each day we will be involved in different activities striving to hit our 60 minute daily target. We will be taking part in active maths learning as well as trying new sports.

Please ensure your child arrives to school each day in their P.E for Sports Week.

We will be enjoying the use of the field more than ever next week, so a water bottle, caps and sun cream is imperative.

RACE FOR LIFE



Thursday 22nd June 2023

Your amazing children will be taking part in Race for Life schools. It would be wonderful if children can donate £1 which will be collected on the day.

Sponsorship forms will be sent home with your children if they wish to raise additional money.

END OF YEAR ASSEMBLY DATES

YEAR GROUP	DATE	TIME	LOCATION
Reception	Tuesday 11 th July	9.15am	St Peters Church
Year 1 and 2	Thursday 13 th July	9.15am	School Hall
Year 3	Wednesday 28 th June	9.15am	School Hall
Year 4	Monday 17 th July	9.15am	School Hall
Year 5	Wednesday 12 th July	9.15am	School Hall
Year 6	Tuesday 11 th July	9.15am	St Peters Church

SPORTS DAYS



YEAR GROUP	DATE	TIME
Reception	Wednesday 21 st June	9.30am
Year 1 and 2	Wednesday 21 st June	10.30am
Year 3	Tuesday 20 th June	9.30am
Year 4	Tuesday 20 th June	9.30am
Year 5	Wednesday 21 st June	1.15pm
Year 6	Wednesday 21 st June	1.15pm

SCHOOL NURSE DROP IN SESSIONS

School Nurse Drop in sessions are available on the following dates:

- **Wednesday 5th July 2023**

A booking system is in place if you would like to book an appointment. Appointments can either take place in school or via a telephone consultation.

Appointments will be available between **2.00 – 3.00pm**. Each appointment will be 15 minutes in duration.

If you would like to book an appointment please contact the school office by either telephone or email: stpeter@sthelens.org.uk

SCHOOL NURSE DROP IN SESSION

*School Nurse Team are providing sessions
offering advice and support on a range of topics including:*

Healthy Eating

Behavioural problems

Head lice

Hygiene - Hand washing and Oral Health

Bed Wetting

Hearing and Vision

Height/Weight Management

Immunisations

Emotional Health

or any other health related concerns you may have regarding your child.

Available to all parents and pupils.

Ask at School Reception for more information, upcoming dates and appointments.

Parents seen on a 15 minute appointment basis in a confidential environment.

St Helen's 0-19 Team
Contact Number: 01744 624321

Please find further information
about our offer at:

[https://www.wchc.nhs.uk/
services/school-nursing-wirral/](https://www.wchc.nhs.uk/services/school-nursing-wirral/)



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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

SPORTS WEEK All WEEK

Children to come into school each day in their PE kit

Monday 19th June 2023

- Afterschool Sports Club – YEAR 1 (3.20pm – 4.15pm)
- KS2 Girls Football afterschool club

Tuesday 20th June 2023

- Year 3 and Year 4 SPORTS DAY – 9.30am
- Afterschool Sports Club – YEAR 5 and 6 (3.30pm – 4.30pm)

Wednesday 21st June 2023

- Reception SPORTS DAY – 9.30am
- Year 1 and 2 SPORTS DAY – 10.30am
- Year 5 and 6 SPORTS DAY – 1.15pm
- Afterschool Sports Club – YEAR 2 (3.20pm – 4.15pm)
- KS2 Netball afterschool club

Thursday 22nd June 2023

- Year 2 Swimming
- Race for Life
- Afterschool Sports Club – YEAR 4 (3.30-4.30pm)
- Kidslingo Afterschool Club (3.30pm-4.30pm)

Friday 23rd June 2023

- Afterschool Sports Club – YEAR 3 (3.30pm-4.30pm)

PLEASE NOTE THE PLAYGROUND GATES WILL BE OPEN FROM 3.10pm EACH DAY.



MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS

Please could we ask that you let the school office know in advance if your child has a medical appointment.

Could we also ask that you provide the office with a paper copy or phone screen shot of the appointment and inform us what time you will be collecting/dropping off your child on the day of appointment.

HOLIDAY REQUESTS

Holiday Requests

Please note that all term time holiday requests will be unauthorised. Taking holidays during term time does have a detrimental effect on a child's education. Extended holidays in particular can be the difference between children achieving their year group objectives and not particularly if the pupil then is off for period of time with a sickness. Any pupil that falls below 94% attendance is classed as a cause for concern and will be contacted by the Education welfare Officer.

There are penalties, as set out by St Helens MBC, that could lead to up to £600 for a family of four
[Penalty notices - St Helens Borough Council](#)

OFFICE NEWS



DINNER MONEY

If your child wishes to change their lunch preference please advise the office via email giving **a week's notice**. Payment is taken through the School Money Online Payment System.

UNIFORM

Uniform can be ordered direct from Touchline UK Liverpool Rd, Warrington, WA5 1AE, 01925 413777

sales@touchline-embroidery.com

We also have a small number of items on the School Money site under SHOP which you can pay for then contact school to arrange for them to be sent home with your child.

ABSENCE

When reporting on the absence line, can we politely request that you leave a brief description of your child's illness rather than just saying they are unwell. If your child has vomiting or diarrhoea please note that they should not return to school for a period of 48 hours after the last incident. This is a local authority policy

Applications for Holiday Leave must be submitted to school at **least 4 weeks** in advance. Forms can be found on the school website or requested from the school office. In accordance with Government and Local Authority policy, holidays taken during term time will only be authorised in **exceptional circumstances**.

CHANGES

It is very important that if you change contact numbers, emails or addresses that you advise us as soon as possible. Any changes must be sent into school via email.

Thank you

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