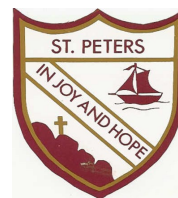


# ST PETER'S RC PRIMARY SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER

## JULY 2018



### Fond Farewells



It is with sadness that we say goodbye to Year 6 and wish them every success as they begin their Secondary Education. They should be congratulated for their many achievements both academic and social this year at St Peter's. We are very proud of them. The staff have enjoyed teaching them over the years and will be very sorry to see them leave.



We will also bid a fond farewell and give our thanks to Mr Colley. Mr Colley has worked in our school for 5 years in a range of roles including as year 4 and year 5 class teacher and SENCO. We will particularly miss his tremendous kindness and sense of fun. During his time at St Peters he has worked tirelessly to promote inclusion. I know the children have loved being a part of his class. We thank him for his unceasing support and enthusiasm and wish him well as he moves to Ridgeway High School.



We will also say goodbye and thank you to Mr Mahoney who has been our caretaker for 8 years. We thank him for his commitment to our school and wish him a long and happy retirement.

We bid farewell and give thanks to Ms Downey who has been a cleaner at school for 3 years. We are grateful for her conscientious attitude towards our school and wish her well in her work moving forward.

### Grease



As you are aware, the Junior Children are performing Grease this year. This fantastic production is only possible because of a great deal of hard work during rehearsals, painting scenery, making props and costumes. I know that you would want to join me in thanking and congratulating the children and staff for their hard work. The show is wonderful!

### School Trips



On 22nd June our infants spent the day at Church Farm. They had a fabulous day in brilliant sunshine. The children loved seeing all the different animals; petting rabbits, guinea pigs and chickens! With a tractor ride, playground and maze, they really enjoyed spending time with their friends. The Picnic lunches were also a big hit. Thanks should go to all involved both in the organisation, fundraising and financial contribution towards the trip.



Year 3 and 4 enjoyed a trip to Gulliver's world. They had a wonderful time and were very lucky to dodge the rain. A big thank-you should go to all the adults who gave up their time so the trip could go ahead.

### Leaver's Prom

Our Leavers' activities are now in full flow. Our Year 6 children thoroughly enjoyed their Leaver's Prom on Tuesday with a disco, snacks, dancing and fun. The children looked very smart and grown up in their prom clothes.



## Family Fun



Our Family Fun evening organised by FROST and our teachers was a tremendous success this year. With a café, sweetie bar, parachute games, rounder's, crafts and playground games in the sunshine, our children really enjoyed the event. We were very impressed by the quality products that our Year 6 pupils made and sold as part of their enterprise week. We clearly have some budding entrepreneurs in our midst! A big thank-you is due to our hard-working parents, pupils and staff for making this event possible.



## Fitness Fortnight

During Fitness fortnight Children have enjoyed a range of activities including: a dance day, fitness and nutrition workshops, yoga, memory games, circusology, emotional wellbeing workshops, a race for life run and been visited by Paralympian Bev Jones.

Parents have been invited to participate in a range of fitness sessions with their children.



## Swimming in Wirral

Swimming is great fun and an excellent form of exercise for children. With the Summer holidays fast approaching Wirral Leisure are offering a Junior Cash Pass for just £15.00 per month available throughout the Summer for all Juniors living on the Wirral, up to and including 17 years of age. The Pass gives access to all Wirral Leisure Swimming Pools including: West Kirby Concourse, Leasowe Leisure Centre, Oval Leisure Centre, Woodchurch Leisure Centre, Guinea Gap Pool, Europa Pools (\*£2 supplement to swim in the Leisure pool with the flumes and slides)

## A Message from Merseyside Fire Rescue Service

Merseyside Fire Rescue Service are asking parents and schools to speak to children and younger people about the risks of deliberately setting fires. The vast majority of children and young people are not engaged in fire setting, although there are some who have a fascination with fire and may be tempted to start a fire. Evidence shows that some young people and children have not yet formed a balanced approach to risk, and do not fully understand the potential consequences of their actions. Peer pressure can also be significant. It is particularly important that we avoid both accidental and deliberate fires. We would urge the public to be especially careful in the hot weather and dispose of rubbish and barbecues safely. The public are urged to be vigilant and report any suspicious behaviour to MFRS and Merseyside Police using 101.

## Attendance League

Week Ending	First	Second	Winning House
08.06.18	Yr5	KS1	St David
15.06.18	Yr5	KS1	St George
22.06.18	Yr3	KS1	St Patrick
29.06.18	Yr3	KS1	St George
06.07.18	Yr6	Yr3	St Andrew
13.07.18	Yr5	Yr4	St David

## School Facebook and Website

Our children are very excited to be included on our Facebook business page. If you have not yet had a look, our account can be accessed from our Website. Our school website can be accessed by visiting:

[stpeterscatholicprimary.eschools.co.uk](http://stpeterscatholicprimary.eschools.co.uk)  
If you no longer wish pictures of your children to be included on these sites, please let us know.



20.07.18	Mass	9:30am
	Leavers Assembly	2:15pm
	School closes for summer break	3:15pm
04.09.18	School opens to Children	8:45am

## Attendance and Punctuality

A big thank you should go to our children for their excellent attendance this term. It is good to see so many children in school on time every day.

Could I take this opportunity to remind all parents of the DfE's legislation that any holidays taken during term time will not be authorised except in exceptional circumstances and may lead to prosecution by the Local Authority.

**Everyone at St Peter's hope you have  
a brilliant summer break!**

