



Welcome to our first newsletter of the summer term!
We can't believe how fast this academic year is going - time really does fly when you are having fun!

CLASS ASSEMBLIES



Year 1 families enjoyed a fabulous service at St. Anne's Church in April based around this term's school value, 'confidence'. The children were amazing with their clear, concise speaking, singing and amazing dance moves that clearly showed their own confidence in front of their friends and families! A massive well done to everyone in Year 1 ☺



Our Reception children also performed their family service for their parents in May in our school hall. The children came together in a feel good assembly about themselves. They spoke about their differences, similarities, gifts and talents and why it is in fact good to be themselves. Well done Reception children - your singing, dancing and confident speaking blew us away as did your many gifts and talents too! You certainly have a lot to be proud of ☺

The whole school enjoyed a memorable week celebrating the Coronation of King Charles III. Each year group enjoyed a coronation themed party with their friends and teachers, enjoying party food, music, games and lots of fun. Children learnt lots of interesting facts about the new King and the royal family. We're sure that you will agree that pupils looked fantastic in their party clothes of traditional red, white and blue!



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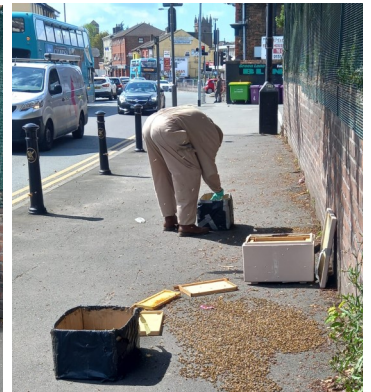
Staff and pupils had a lot of fun celebrating the Eurovision Song Contest's arrival in the city of Liverpool. The whole school came together for an outdoor picnic lunch which was cooked upon a massive BBQ in our playground! Pupils and staff enjoyed a variety of meat and vegetarian sausages and burgers along with a choice of salad and ice-cream for dessert! As always, massive thank you to our cook Cheryl and her amazing catering team as well as our lunch time supervisors too for making this happen!



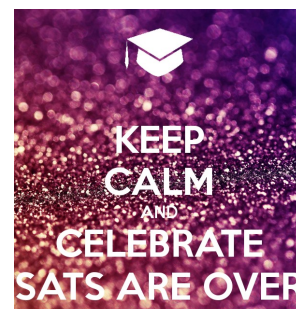
As well as our special lunch, the whole school met together in our back playground for a Eurovision style sing off! Each year group learnt and performed a song from a different country and our Year 6 pupils acted as judges. Pupils also learnt lots of interesting facts about their country too as well finding out where it was located on the world map. We all enjoyed a wonderful afternoon as we listened to songs from around the continent - well done to everyone 😊



We had some unexpected victors at the beginning of May when a swarm of honeybees visited our school! The bees appeared very suddenly during lunchtime in our front playground before settling right outside our main entrance on Prescott Road! Sources say that the bees were probably disturbed during the torrential, heavy rain that we had the previous night! Luckily a local bee keeper arrived to make sure they found a happy new home - he estimated that he collected around five thousand bees from us!



Year 6 pupils had a special visit from three post-graduate students from Liverpool University. The students spoke to children about sources of energy and where energy comes from. They also looked at both sustainable and renewable energy and how adopting these sources of energy are good for our planet.



We would also like say a huge 'WELL DONE' to each and every child in Years 6 and 2 on completion of their SATS papers this term. The children's hard work and determination in the weeks leading up to their SATs, did not go unnoticed. We could not be prouder of each and every child involved and we know that whatever the outcome of these assessments that the children can hold their heads up high in the knowledge that they gave their absolute best effort. Their attitude, perseverance and resilience is an example to us all and we are so very proud of each and every one of our pupils.





Thank you to everyone who was able to join us for this year's Sports Days - what an amazing couple of days we have had! We saw our school values demonstrated in abundance in the children's teamwork, sportsmanship and willingness to do their best. They were a credit to not only themselves but to their families too ☺



Our Year 3 and 4 pupils had a fantastic time representing our school at the LFC Foundation Football tournament. As always, our pupils were a credit to our school and played so well, receiving many positive comments from the LFC coaches involved. One of our players, Louie also received an-extra special award and was named 'player of the day' too after playing out of position and taking on the role of goal keeper! Well done to everyone involved ☺



The May "Eat to Meet 2" Half Term programme starts on the 29th May. Children and young people, from reception to age 16, who are eligible for benefits related free school meals, will be able to access hundreds of activities throughout the half term holidays. These include specific provision available for children with SEND or additional needs, at no cost. There is a great range of activities across the city including boxing, football, music, dance, cycling, cooking, discos, films, bowling, arts and crafts, drama, a make up course, trips out and much more! Every day there will be a range of fabulous meals available with many schemes holding family events as well.

Detail of the programme have already been emailed out to parents so please check your inboxes for details. Alternatively, to find out where your nearest programme is type in the following web address:

<https://merseyplay.com/may-half-term-eat-to-meet/>
or go to <https://www.merseyplay.com> and click on the May half term activities link.

IMPORTANT dates to remember

Thursday 25th May

Teacher Training Day (School Closed)

Friday 26th May

Teacher Training Day (School Closed)

Monday 29th May - Friday 2nd June

Half Term (School Closed)

Monday 5th June

Teacher Training Day (School Closed)

Tuesday 6th June

Back to school ☺

Wednesday 19th July

School Closes for summer

Monday 4th September

Autumn 2023 Term begins (Back to school)