



Loving Learning and Looking Forward with Christ

NEWSLETTER

26/5/2023

Dear Parents,

Year 6 have completed their SATS tests and we are proud of how they all conducted themselves and gave their absolute best. We were also chosen to trial some questions by the assessment agency and we received the following feedback from the administrator. Well done Year 6.

'I really enjoyed working with your Y6 children – they were a delight and so well-mannered. Their feedback will be really useful. Please pass on my thanks to the staff and children in the class and all the other helpers this morning. It was a pleasure working in your school. Thank you.'

The whole school attended mass on Thursday 18th May to mark the feast of the ascension.

Over the last few weeks it has been wonderful to see the children utilising the summer weather and our amazing outdoor area including the forest and fields. Every night after school children have been attending after school clubs provided by our dedicated staff. `

We have been competing in the Hanley Schools Football tournament and so far we have won 3 matches. We have also competed in the athletics tournament where we came 3rd out of 8 schools. Well done to all of our sporting teams!

Thank you to our children who represented the OLSB school community last night at the Good Shepherd Mass where we presented £100 to this charity from the money collected from your collection boxes. Thank you for your generous donations.

Stars of the week – Well done you are all stars!

<u>Class</u>	<u>26/5/2023</u>
Nursery	Skyler Stone
Reception	Bradley Foster
Year 1	Annabelle Meir
Year 2	David-Andrei Rusu
Year 3	Blake Nicholls
Year 4	Amelie Janczak
Year 5	
Year 6	Alana-Mai Greensmith & Lexi-Louise Minor



SCHOOL IN THE OLSB FOREST

After May half term

<u>Day</u>	<u>Year Groups</u>
Wednesday (AM)	Reception
Wednesday (PM)	Y6

Swimming after May half term will be Year 6.

Future Dates

Friday 26 th May	SCHOOL CLOSSES
Monday 29 th May- Friday 2 nd June	Half term
Monday 5 th June	SCHOOL RE-OPENS
Monday 5 th June	Confirmation Retreat in school
Thursday 8 th June	Mass- All welcome (Corpus Christi)
Saturday 10 th June	Confirmation Mass 5pm Bishop Stephen
Tuesday 20 th June	Y3 River Trip
Wednesday 21 st June	Y1 / Y2 Llandudno Trip
Wednesday 21 st June	Northwood Athletics
Thursday 22 nd June	Mass-All Welcome
Thursday 22 nd June	Cross Country Finals
Tuesday 27 th June	Nursery and Reception Trip
Wednesday 28 th June	Y5 to St Margaret Ward Magic Maths
Thursday 29 th June	Mass St Peter and St Paul - All Welcome
Thursday 29 th June	Y6 Class Trip
Monday 3 rd July	Sponsored Walk (Year 5) and Celebration Mass
Wednesday 5 th July	Scholars Trip to Nottingham University
Monday 10 th July	100% Attendance Trip
Tuesday 11 th July	Saint Benedict Day
Wednesday 12 th July	Year 5 Trip to Tamworth Castle
Friday 14 th July	Reports out to parents
Friday 21 st July	Y6 Leavers Assembly / School Closes

Today we say goodbye to Miss Natalie Clark our Academy Manager. Natalie has worked at OLSB for over 5 years. Miss Clark always knows the answers to your questions and I know we will all miss her. We wish her all the very best in her new position. She has gained promotion and will be starting her new place of work after half term.

Spirit of God, Through the witness of our lives, standing in solidarity with all peoples, may we spread the warmth of your love, the light of your wisdom, and the fire of your justice, so that all may live in peace and security. Amen

Wishing you a wonderful half term break and looking forward to seeing you back in school on Monday 5th June,

With thanks,

Mrs Sarah Clowes Principal