



St. Jerome's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

This has been another very busy week at school. We would like to say thank you to everyone for their support and contribution to all the events that have taken place - we couldn't do it without you!

Formby Library Reading Challenge

This year the theme is "Animal Agents" and the challenge is to read six books over the summer. The librarians will help you sort out a library card and they can also tell you about the other activities that will be going on there during the holidays. So far we have won the Reading Challenge Cup every year so please help make it another winning year by getting involved!

Drawing Competition

Three of our Class 5 pupils are running a competition to find the most creative drawing. The cost is 50p to enter and the proceeds are going to "Help Harry". The prize is a family pass to Knowsley Safari Park so get your entries into school.

Sports Day

We were blessed (eventually) with some beautiful weather for our Sports Day and the whole event was great fun. I thought the Class Six pupils were fabulous in all the help they gave to the Infants including the super announcers. Congratulations to Almond for a sensational victory and well done to the other three houses for providing such strong competition.

Move a Mile for Harry's Muscles

Thank you to everyone that came along to support this event on Wednesday. The total raised from the sale of refreshments and the raffle on the day was £511. Please send any sponsorship money in to school as soon as possible so that we can add to this total.

Key Stage Two SATs Results

Our Class Six pupils will be given their SATs results today and they can see how well they did on the tests they sat in May. We are delighted with the results and we would also add that as a class they have had a superb year with many, many achievements to be proud of in addition to the SATs. Congratulations to everyone in Class Six.

Class Five – Holy Family Visit

Class Five attended their second Challenge Day at Holy Family High School on Thursday. The children got involved in Maths, P.E., Cookery and Art and had a brilliant day. We are really grateful for this opportunity and proud of our continued link with Holy Family High School.

Reception Assembly

This was a wonderful treat for us all this morning- we were all so proud of our Reception pupils and how confident they were in their assembly. They shared their learning with us and showed off their many skills and talents. Thank you Reception!

Beach Visit - Whole School

Next Friday we plan to round off our Beach School year with a whole school visit to the beach. The children will have lots of time to build sand sculptures and play games. We will be eating lunch at the beach if weather allows and if not we will have an indoor picnic at school so please send a packed lunch for the day. Children can wear their own clothes appropriate to the weather.

Online Safety Update

Please be aware that the APP SnapChat has a new feature called Snap Map which allows users to be located. This has raised some concerns as it may put children at risk if they have a "friend" who is not who they appear to be on the APP. Please check the settings on your child's phone. It is also important to be aware that the use of these APPs is not recommended until children are 13 years old.

School Lending Library

Please return all books next week for and end of year stock take. The library will open again in September. Thank you to Mrs Allen and all the school librarians who have worked so hard all year to make our library a success.

Parish Celebration

Please join us on Sunday 16th July for a Children's Mass followed by a parish lunch. Mass will be at 11.30am and Father John would be delighted to see everyone there to join in a great celebration of this parish.

I hope you have a lovely weekend.
Regards,

Mrs. Monaghan

New Dates for your diary:

- 10th July - Full Governors Meeting 6pm
- 12th July - Class Six Cycle Day (Transition)
- 13th July - Class Six Celebration Evening 7pm
- 14th July - Whole School Beach Visit
- 14th July - School Singers Performance 2.30pm
- 16th July - Parish Celebration – Children's Mass at 11.30am and Lunch