

Friday 23rd June 2023

St. Benedict's News



'With Jesus we learn, love and laugh'

Dear Parents/Carers,

Children's University

Well done to all the pupils in years 2 and 6 who graduated from Children's University on Wednesday. The children had a wonderful day at Edge Hill University and were so well behaved. When children participate in certain activities they can gain credits as long as the learning provider is registered with Children's University. If they go to clubs outside of school you can purchase a CU learning passport from the office which will allow them to earn further credits. Children in years 2 and 6 with enough credits will attend a lovely graduation ceremony at Edge Hill University. If you would like to learn more information visit our website <https://www.stbenedictsprimary.co.uk/childrens-university/>

First Holy Communion Thanksgiving Mass

All the children who received their First Holy Communion this year are invited to a celebration Mass and refreshments on **Sunday 25th June** at 11am. They may wear their Holy Communion clothes. We are low on numbers of children to sing so all children from juniors are welcome to join us. Please support this special event.

WOW Day

On **Friday 30th June** we will be having our WOW day where children will enjoy a range of fun activities. Every class will be spending some time outside so please ensure your child has sun cream on, a hat and a bottle of water. Children in Reception to Year 6 should come in wearing their PE kit. Nursery children can wear their usual uniform.

Sports days

Sports day is currently scheduled to be held on **Tuesday 4th July** (weather permitting). KS2 will be starting at 9:30am and Early Years and KS1 start at 1:30pm. Please send children in wearing their PE kit. Please also apply sun cream in the morning before school. Parents are welcome to come and watch but please do not come over to the children or take them away from the class. Thank you for your co-operation.

Summer Music Concerts

On **Thursday 6th July at 11am** Nursery, Reception, Years 1 & 2 are singing and Year 3 are playing recorders on the first day of our Summer Music Concert. On **Friday 14th July at 9:30am** Years 4, 5 & 6 are playing their brass instruments and we will have a lovely performance from Choir. The children can't wait to show off what they have learned so please come along to support them.

Free school meals

All children in Reception to Year 2 receive free school meals. From Years 3 to 6 children who have school dinners have to pay £2.25 per day/£11.25 per week unless they are entitled to **income based free school meals**. Applying for free school meals formally could mean extra financial support for our school and in turn, for the children. If you think you may qualify, please contact Sefton via telephone 0151 934 3263, email education.benefits@sefton.gov.uk or check out their website at <https://www.sefton.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals>



**St Benet's
Temporary-
Mass Times**

Saturday
No Mass



Sunday
9 am & 11.00
am

Mon - Fri
No Mass

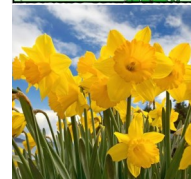
**Attendance
& Punctuality**

**Whole School:
90%**

**Highest Class:
4CL**

 **93.9%** 
Well Done!!

**Minutes Lost
to Lates
90**



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Champions of the Week



	Star of the Week	Maths Champion	Writer of the Week
Rec	Leo A	Halle W	Jordan O
2C	Selena M	Delilah P	Emily W
3EO	Oscar H	Esme B	Deni G
5CN	Dylan P	Layla H	Alfie P
6MC	Charlie G	James C	Ethan M

Nursery Star of the Week

Lily J	Ozzy G	Leo D
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Dates for your diary

Tuesday 27th June: Year 6 high school transition day

Friday 30th June: WOW day

Tuesday 4th July: Sports Day 9:30am KS2 (weather permitting)
1:30pm Early Years and KS1

Thursday 6th July: Early Years and KS1 Summer Music Concert 11:00am

Tuesday 11th July: Year 6 Leaver's Mass 9:30am

Friday 14th July: KS2 Summer Music Concert 9:30am

Monday 17th July: St Benedict's Got Talent
Year 6 PFSA Graduation party 6:30pm to 8:30pm

Wednesday 19th July: Leaver's Assembly
End of term 1:30pm

Attendance during one school year	Equals this number of days absent	Which is approximately this many weeks absent	Which means this number of lessons missed
95%	9.5 days	2 weeks	50 lessons
90%	19 days	4 weeks	100 lessons
85%	29 days	6 weeks	150 lessons
80%	38days	8 weeks	200 lessons