



# St. Margaret Mary's Catholic Junior School

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**Value of the Week**

**Faithfulness**

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*'...For the word of the Lord is right and true: He is faithful in all he does.....'*

*Psalm 33:4*

## **Holy Communion**

Congratulations to all our Year 4 children who received the sacrament of First Holy Communion last weekend.



## **Congratulations**

Congratulations to Tyler in 5JK, whose Gaelic football team came runners up in the Northern Games - well done!



## COMMUNITY ACTION DAY

On Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2024, eight volunteers arrived at our school to help improve various external aspects of our grounds. The volunteers arrived as part of the Knowsley Community Hub event and were a welcome site indeed. When the volunteers left we had a selection of painted woodwork around school, particularly our memorial rose garden, which now looks splendid with its new paintwork. And an area of school cleared of all dense vegetation and safe for school to use.



A special thanks to Councillor Colin Dever (Swanside) and Councillor Megan Dever (Roby) for their help in organising and supporting the event, it was a HUGE success!

### Sport News

This week, our Year 3 children took part in the Everton Football Final. The boys played well and reached the semi-finals.



Our Year 4 girls have also been in action in a competition at Kirkby Leisure Centre. For all of these girls, it was their first time representing St Margaret Mary's Juniors. The girls played great, finishing third in the league. A shout out to Ivy in 4SC for scoring over fifteen goals!







Our Y6 footballs came runners up in their tournament last Friday. It was lovely to give out four school debuts to boys who really deserved their chance to play in our school colours. Well done to all involved.

We also did a bit of foot golf which the children really enjoyed. Hopefully, we can do a bit more of this next year!

**This week we held our Year 3, 5 and 6 Sports Days.**







A huge well done to Lexi during our Year 6 Sports Day who stepped in for a friend who was injured, completing two races and winning one of them! Thank you for stepping up Lexi, you showed real determination and team spirit! We are hugely proud of your efforts!

## Refugee Week

As part of our SHINE Curriculum, the children have, this week, focused upon Refugee Week. A huge thank you for all your donations last week and this week that have gone to SHARe Knowsley. We raised £501 in total.

Some children also benefited from a workshop, led by Knowsley Council. The children listened to music and tasted foods from different cultures. They all had a great afternoon!





## Recruitment

This week, we have been busy observing and interviewing candidates who will join our school team in September.

### Child Centred Reviews

This week, Child Centred Reviews took place for the parents of Year 6 pupils with SEND. Next Week, Year 5 reviews will take place.

### Assessment Week

This week has been Assessment Week in school. The results of the assessments will be made available to parents on the children's school reports.

### SMMJ University Celebration

Next week, our SMMJ University Celebration will take place. Award recipients should have already been notified by their class teacher.

### Next Week

Some exciting events for the children to look after next week as we welcome the world's tallest man into school and we take our school community to Gulliver's World.

## Extra-Curricular Timetable

We have a wide range of extra-curricular activities for our children to participate in during the Summer Term. Please see the timetable below:-

		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>YEAR 3</b>	Before School					
	Lunchtime				Mrs Culley's Lunch Club	
	After School		Choir			Rebound Football
<b>YEAR 4</b>	Before School					
	Lunchtime				Mrs Culley's Lunch Club	
	After School		Choir			
<b>YEAR 5</b>	Before School					Rebound
	Lunchtime			Comic Book Club	Mrs Culley's Lunch Club	

	After School				Choir	
YEAR 6	Before School					
	Lunchtime		Rounders		Mrs Culley's Lunch Club	
	After School				Choir	

## SUMMER TERM DATES FOR DIARY

Dates are subject to change in certain circumstances-in the case of changes, we will endeavour to give parents as much notice as possible

### June

Week Beginning 24<sup>th</sup>-Year 5 Child Centred Reviews

24<sup>th</sup>-Wavertree Athletics Competition

25<sup>th</sup> Year 4 Holy Communion Celebration Day

26<sup>th</sup> SMMJ University Celebration

27<sup>th</sup> Gullivers' World Trip

Reserve Sports Day Year 3

28<sup>th</sup> Gullivers' World Trip

### July

Week Beginning 1<sup>st</sup>-Transition Week

1<sup>st</sup> Meeting for Year 2 Parents (5pm)

2<sup>nd</sup>-Meet the Year 4 Teacher (for Year 3 Parents)

Central Collaborative Awards Ceremony

3<sup>rd</sup>-Meet the Year 5 Teacher (for Year 4 Parents)

4<sup>th</sup>-Meet the Year 6 Teacher (for Year 5 Parents)

10<sup>th</sup> Year 6 Production for parents (9.30am and 5.30pm)

11<sup>th</sup>-Year 6 Leavers' Disco

12<sup>th</sup>-School Reports out to parents

15<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> Quidditch Experience for classes

16<sup>th</sup>- Year 3-5 Awards (9.30-10.30)

Year 6 Awards (5pm-6pm)

18<sup>th</sup>-Year 6 Leavers' Mass

19<sup>th</sup>-Break Up for Summer-1.30pm (Year3-5)

1.45pm (Year 6)

Loving, learning, growing together with Jesus



We're working towards Artsmark Awarded by Arts Council England



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