



Newsletter



Friday 19th May 2017

Congratulations to the following children who all make their First Holy Communion at Sacred Heart Church this Sunday.

Daniel, Chelsea, Peter, Stephanie, Aoife, Millie, Kaden, Eilis, Maison, Federica and Poppie.
And a special blessing for Rui.

Also Lilly-Rose, Olamide, Annabelle and McKendrick who join us from other schools.

*Jesus, gentle Saviour,
Look upon these children with love,
Smile upon them with your favour
From your throne in heaven above..
As they come to share your supper,
Share your blessings with
them too,
And through every day
that follows,
Guide and keep them close
to you.*



First Communion Mass



Friends and family of **all** the children making their First Communion this Sunday are welcome in the school hall afterwards for tea and biscuits. There will also be a special First Communion cup cake for each of the children making their First communion this Sunday.

Stars of the Week:

CONGRATULATIONS to the following children who were all recognised as this week's **Star of the Week**:

- FS2: Orla & Sophia
- Y1: Annabelle & Stella
- Y2: Bella S & Oz
- Y3: Kaden & Sophie
- Y4: Lulyana & Sydney
- Y5: Geoffrey & Joanie
- Y6: Luke & Francesca



Percentage attendance for the period: 12/05/17 to 19/05/17

Group	% Overall Unauthorised Absences	% Overall Attend	% Weekly Attendance
FS2	0.4	96.9	99.9
Year 1	0.3	96.7	96.8
Year 2	0.3	97.3	97.6
Year 3	0.5	97.5	97.3
Year 4	0.3	97.4	97.5
Year 5	0.8	97.0	96.6
Year 6	0.1	97.5	97.7
Overall	0.4	97.2	97.2

CONGRATULATIONS to **Y6** who have again achieved the **BEST** attendance this week at **97.7%** and to **Y3** and **Y6** who have achieved the best overall attendance at **97.5%. Well done!**



One Sheffield Many Cultures will take place from 11am -3pm, **THIS SATURDAY, 20th May** at Barkers Pool, outside City Hall and will be officially opened by the Mayor of Sheffield. There will be music and dance acts from Sheffield Schools **including our very own Sacred Heart Cheer Leaders!** Please go along and support them if you can.

CONGRATULATIONS!

On Thursday evening from 4pm-6:45pm, 12 of our children took part in the Sheffield School's Athletics. Events included 60m and 80m sprints, 600m and 800m runs, 600m walk, throwing and long jump. There were also relay events for the fastest four children from each school.

Y5 boys won four out the six events they entered:

- Tyler won the 60m sprint
- Billy came first in the 600m run
- Joe came second in the 600m run

Joe and Billy had a photo finish and were only 1/10 of a second apart!

- Billy won the long jump
- Tyler, Kaden, Madison & Olivia won the Y5 mixed relay.

Excellent performances were also seen by the following children who have all qualified for the City Finals in the events listed below:

- Kaden 60m sprint
- Andrew Walking
- Harry H 800m run
- Olivia 600m run

Adam had a very successful heat in the 80m sprint while Ellysha performed extremely well in the throwing and the long jump. Madison also performed extremely well in the 600m run as did Anthony, who came 6th in the walking event and Geoffrey was great in the cricket ball throwing event.

Special thanks to the parents and staff who helped support the children on the night.

Well done all of you!





Are you concerned about keeping your child safe online?

What are the risks posed by online activity?

Do you know how to protect them from cyber bullying, grooming, extremism?

On **Monday 22nd May** we are holding a parent/carer information meeting where you can find out about:

- The Online Lives of Children in Sheffield including their likes, dislikes and worries.
- The risks that this online activity poses to young people, particularly the behaviour that puts them at risk from grooming, extremism, bullying and inaccurate information.

Sue Finnigan, a *very experienced* member of Sheffield City Council eLearning Team, will be talking about **Children's Online Lives** and '**How to Keep them Safe**'. There will also be opportunities to ask questions and Sue will share ideas for practical places from where to get support and advice.

The meeting will **start at 5pm, in the School Hall**, and should run until *approximately* 7pm, but may actually finish earlier than this depending upon the time taken to answer parents' questions.

We hope that as many parents/carers as possible will take the opportunity to join us and learn more about how to keep our children safe online.





As we approach half term, the Children's University are once again promoting a huge range of activities across the city. Here at Sacred Heart School, we have had many children achieve bronze, silver and gold awards in the past; it would be great to see many more of our pupils go on to achieve this success too. Details of all their Learning Destinations can be found on the CU website:

<https://www.sheffield.gov.uk/home/schools-childcare/childrens-university#>

School Uniform

Our school uniform suppliers, LOGO Leisurewear, have requested all orders required *before* the summer holidays be placed by **Friday 9th June**. Orders may still be placed after this date but delivery before the summer break for these items cannot then be guaranteed.

If items are needed for September and you miss the deadline above, it is possible to collect items from their office. Alternatively, a home delivery service is available at a cost of **£3.95 for up to 4 items and £6.95 for 5 or more items**. Parents must state collection for LogoLeisurewear and a contact telephone number or include any additional payment or postage if required.



The last guaranteed date for online orders for home delivery or collection will be **31st July**.

Contact details:

www.logoleisurewear.com

Email: info@logoleisurewear.com

Tel: 0114 251 1171

Music Taster Sessions

Dawn Allenby, our woodwind teacher, would like to hold some taster sessions for the children as follows:

Mon 19th June Y3 Give it a Go sessions to try the flute and clarinet

Mon 26th June Y5 Specialist taster sessions for ongoing woodwind lessons

Parents of children in these classes will get a letter with more details nearer the time.





Imagination can take you anywhere

Imagination, curiosity and creativity have given us electricity, the steam engine, cars, planes, medicine and mobile phones. An imaginative child will become an imaginative adult, likely to create and invent. Likely to change the world.

The University of Sheffield are celebrating International Women in Engineering Day 2017 and are inviting you to join them on **Sunday 18th June** for a day of **free activities in the Winter Garden** exploring science, engineering and most of all imagination. No need to book - just come along and get involved with the engineers, scientists and students. There'll be plenty to see, do, eat and take away.

For more details about the day, contact Karen Burton, Women in Engineering Support Officer, at k.a.burton@sheffield.ac.uk.

Visit them in the Winter Garden, Sheffield where you can see how candyfloss is made; speak to their robots; build a giant tetrahedron; explore virtual reality and meet their engineers

They will be there from 11am until 3pm and all activities and events are FREE! Everyone is welcome.

Thornbridge Residential

This week, Mr Moran, Mrs Willoughby, Mrs Gore and Mrs Kelly spent a day at Thornbridge learning how to lead the Low Ropes and Biking sessions ready for when the Y4 and Y6 children visit in September. Thornbridge Hall is set in the most beautiful woodland on the edge of the Monsal Trail. We are certain all the children will have a fun time when they are at Thornbridge as there are some great activities planned! The staff certainly enjoyed learning how to lead the sessions, which included learning how to remove a bike wheel and replace an inner tube!





Wednesday 28th June
2pm-4pm

This year we will be having some of our usual stalls: cakes, books, bottle tombola, face painting and a raffle. The children will all be designing and making their own stalls, hopefully on a watery theme to fit in with our current topic of 'All Aboard'.

In addition to the above, we would also like to introduce some new stalls:

Chocolate Tombola

For this, we will need *lots* of donations of any kind of *chocolate* confectionary eg bars of chocolate, bags of chocolate sweets, packets of chocolate biscuits such as Twix or Kitkat.



The Jolly Jam Jar Tombola.



For this, we would like you to fill a clear, jam jar with any kind of treat and then donate this to school for the tombola. For example, you could fill your jar with sweets, with hair bobbles, loom bands, toy cars, Lego, stationary items such as fancy paper clips etc All we ask is that your jar does not contain a mix of things eg toy cars and

sweets/ hair bobbles and paper clips. It would look great if you could decorate the lid or art of the outside of your jar, too!

If every child donated a jam jar, we would have over 200, which would be fantastic! Donations of books and bottles will also be gratefully received, with cake donations nearer the time.

There will be **TWO** more Own Clothes Days, in exchange for items for the Summer Fayre, as follows:

Friday 26th May

Friday 16th June

BOTTLES

JOLLY JAM JARS



Other items, such as books and items for the raffle, may be brought into school after half term, and left at the school office.

Volunteers to help out on the day will be **greatly needed** and welcomed as some staff will still be looking after the children until 3:20pm.

All monies raised at this event will go towards our target of **£10,000** for the refurbishment of the FS2 playground. Please help us make this our most successful Summer Fayre yet.





Dates for
the Diary:

20th May **One Sheffield, Many Cultures** at Barkers Pool in town

21st May **First Communion Mass** in church
10:30am

22nd May **First Communion photos** in school
1:30pm

26th May **Y4 Assembly & 100 Club draw**
2:30pm

BREAK UP

NB THERE ARE 2 WEEKS HOLIDAY AT HALF TERM

12th June **SCHOOL STARTS**

23rd June **Feast of Sacred Heart-Mass** in church. Everyone welcome
9:15am

28th June **Summer Fayre-2pm-4pm** Everyone welcome!

29th June **Mass to celebrate the feast of Saint Peter & Saint Paul**
9:15am

30th June **Y5 Assembly & 100 Club draw**
2:30pm

3rd-5th July **Whole School transition days**

5th July **Y6 Induction Day at Notre Dame High School**

20th July **Leaver's Mass** in church-everyone welcome
9:15am

21st July
1:30pm

Leaver's Production in the school hall. Family of Y6 pupils only, please.

BREAK UP

After School Opportunities Summer Term (2nd May 2017 - 14th July 2017) are listed below:

Club	Venue/Staff	Term	Time	Year Groups	Places Available	Total Places	Cost Per session
Monday							
Y3-Y6 Drama Club	Y4 Classroom/Hall Mrs Barrett	8 th May - 10 th July	3:30-4:30	Y3-Y6	17	30	£1
Y2-Y5 Computer Club	Y2 Classroom Mrs Mills	8 th May - 10 th July	3:30 - 4:30	Y2-Y5	Full	21	Nil
Y4-Y6 Badminton Club	Hall Mr Moran	8 th May - 26 th June	3:30 -4:30	Y4-Y6	12	16	£1.00
Y5 Let's Cook (Money for ingredients)	Hall Mrs Thorpe	24 th Apr-22 nd May	3:30-5:00	Y4-Y5	Full	5	£2.00
Y4-Y5 Cricket	MUGA The Arches	8 th May - 10 th July	12:15-12:55	Y4-Y5	20	20	Nil
Y2-Y1 Lego Club	Hall Mrs Gore	8 th May - 10 th July	12:30-1:00	Y1-Y2	Full	23	Nil
Tuesday							
FS2 (rec) - Y2 RuggedEds	Hall Mr Noble	2 nd May - 11 th July	3:30-4:30	Y2-FS2	9	20	£5
Y3-Y6 Cross Country	Rivelin Valley Mr Moran	2 nd May - 11 th July	3:30-4:45	Y3-Y6	9	32	Nil
Y5-Y6 Change for Life	MUGA Mrs Wilson	2 nd May - 11 th July	12:30-1:00	invite	11	16	Nil
Y4-Y6 Chess Club	Y5 Classroom Mr Moran	2 nd May - 11 th July	12:15-12:55	Y4-Y6	1	16	Nil
Wednesday							
Y3-Y6 Football	All Weather Pitch United Academy	3 rd May - 12 th July	3:30-5:00	Y3-Y6	17	30	£5.00
Y3-Y6 Cheerleading (Links)	Hall Ms Gott	3 rd May - 12 th July	3:30-4:30	Y4-Y6	3	20	£3.00
FS2 - Y2 SoccerEds	MUGA Mr W. Stubbs	3 rd May - 12 th July	3:30-4:30	Y2-FS2	14	20	£5.00
Y3-Y6 Crafts	Year 4 Mrs Barden	3 rd May - 12 th July	3:30-4:30	Y4-Y6	1	16	£2.00
Y3 - Y4 Gardening club	Y2 Classroom Mrs Mills	14 th Jun - 12 th July	12:30-1:00	Y3-Y4	1	16	Nil
FS2 - Y2 NetballEds	MUGA Mr Noble	3 rd May - 12 th July	12:15 - 1:00	FS2-Y2	6	20	£3.00
Thursday							

Y1 - Y6 Board Games	Y2 Classroom Mrs Jessop	4 th May - 10 th July	3:30-4:30	Y1-Y6	Full	30	Nil
Y3-Y6 Basketball	Hall Mr Shiel	4 th May - 25 th May	3:30-4:30	Y3-Y6	3	18	Nil
Y3-Y6 Gymnastics (Arches)	HASA Hall Ms Eccles	4 th May - 10 th July	3:30-4:30	Y1-Y6	11	20	£3.00
Y4-Y6 Netball	MUGA Mrs Tauiliilli	4 th May - 10 th July	3:30-4:30	Y4-Y6	2	16	Nil
Y3-Y6 Samba	Music Room Ms Y Cooper	4 th May - 10 th July	12:30-1.00	Y3-Y6	4	10	Nil
FS2-Y2 Cosmic Kids Yoga	MUGA The Arches	4 th May - 10 th July	12:15-12:55	Y5-Y6	Full	30	Nil
Friday							
Match/ Festival Day /Arches Training	Mr Moran	Notified by Letter					Travel