

Thoughtfulness
and Respect

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BREAKING NEWS:

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Diary dates:

Mon 18 th June	Y4/2 Mr Hunt's class assembly - 9:00 a.m.
Mon 18 th June	New Nursery/Reception Parents - 5:45 p.m.
19 th /20 th June	Cultural Diversity Days
Wed 20 th June	EYFS to National Forest Adventure Farm
21 st /22 nd June	Polling Booths for School Council Voting
Thurs 21 st June	KS1 Sports Day (Reserve Fri 22 nd)
25 th - 29 th June	Sports Week
Tues 26 th June	KS2 Sports - Y5/6 - 9:15 a.m.; Y3/4 - 1:15 p.m.
Wed 27 th June	Y1 Parents Drop-In session - Healthy Eating
Sat 30 th June	Sporty Summer Fayre - 11:00 - 2:00 p.m.
Wed 4 th July	Y1 to Twycross Zoo
Wed 4 th July	KS2 100% Attendance reward trip
Thurs 5 th July	Y4 to Llandudno
Fri 6 th July	EYFS/KS1 100% Attendance reward trip
Thurs 12 th July	Governor's Meeting
Fri 20 th July	Last Day of Term

Headteacher's Star Awards:

Congratulations to these children who won the Head Teacher's Star Award last week for their hard work, attitude and/or progress:

Class	Award Winner	Class	Award Winner
FS1/1	Shaye Knall	Y3/1	Lola Street
FS1/2	Thomas Hore	Y3/2	Annabelle Shingler
FS2/1	Naomi Dos-Santos-Davies	Y4/1	Lucy Greslow
FS2/2	Alecia Owen	Y4/2	Ben Turnock
Y1/1	Sereana Veilawa	Y5/1	Skye Barker
Y1/2	Bethan Bloor	Y5/2	Alex Sinclair
Y2/1	Jasper Barker	Y6/1	Shay Allen
Y2/2	Joseph Steele	Y6/2	Mitchell Lavery

Welcome

Next week we will be celebrating with the children, the culture of our locality, Longton and Stoke-on-Trent, as well as other cultures that make up our community. On Tuesday and Wednesday, our 'Diversity Days' the children will be engaging a range of activities in the hall, so lunches of fish and chips and oatcakes, traditional Stoke and English food will be eaten in the classrooms. On Friday afternoon our KS2 children will then be voting for next year's School Council members. Those children that wish to be elected have written speeches which they will give in assembly and then the children vote - democracy in action. We'll let you know who was elected soon after.



SPORTY SUMMER FAYRE - SAT 30TH JUNE, 11 til 2

Can you help us please! We have lots of exciting things planned for the Summer Fayre, but we are short of people to help man the various activities and stalls. If you are willing to help out for a while on a stall or a game at the Fayre, then we would be really grateful. Thank You! Please just call in at the office.



Transition to new classes

Next week we will let you know who your child's teacher will be in September, but to give you advanced warning, below are the transition arrangements to prepare your child for next year.

- **Mon 2nd July 1:15 - 1:45** - New Teacher visits children in their current classroom
- **Mon 9th July 1:15 - 2:00** - Children visit their new classroom
- **Tues 10th July 9:10 - 10:10** Children visit their new classroom. and **parents/carers invited to attend**

News in Brief

• Early Years Sports Day and Picnic

All the Nursery and Reception children enjoyed a wonderful time at their Sports Day on a sunny Wednesday morning. It was a really special time with all sorts of races and a lovely family picnic afterwards. Thank you to all the parents/carers for joining in and for their fantastic support as always. We hope you enjoyed it as much as the children, one of whom commented "Can we do it again tomorrow?"



• Y2 Trip to New Brighton

On Wednesday Y2 had a fantastic day at New Brighton Beach. They saw the Black Pearl, received a safety talk and demonstration from the RNLI lifeguards, built some super sandcastles and splashed in the sea! They enjoyed eating their lunch with an amazing view – the lighthouse! We'd like to say a special thank you to the important helpers who joined us on our trip and helped to keep us safe. We really appreciate it.



• Oliver Twist

On Thursday morning, our KS2 children were enraptured by the performance of Oliver Twist. A classic story brought to life!



• Y5 Science Day

Today our Y5 children have had a Science filled day with a range of activities including: making bat and bird boxes, learning about herbs, making butter, pond dipping and a lunch made using the firepit. We do hope they enjoyed the day and learned lots of new skills. Thanks to Mrs Carney for organising it all.





Week beginning:

- 18th June - Toiletries Tombola
- 25th June - Cake stall
- Nearly New items at any time.

Don't forget 1 free game voucher each week when an item is brought in or 2 tokens for 10 or more items.



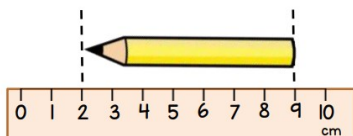
The Tony Hughes Award for 'Thoughtfulness and Respect'

This medallion, in memory of our former Chairman of the PTFA, is presented each week to a worthy child from each class.

N1	Harper Burns
N2	Bobbi Macmillan
F2/1	Bessie Ryan
F2/2	Leah Bowen
Y1/1	Joshua Viggars
Y1/2	Mconnel Byrne
Y2/1	Lily Hunt
Y2/2	Thomas Harvey
Y3/1	Eli Hallam
Y3/2	Jessica Bowler
Y4/1	Salata Lekutu
Y4/2	Autumn Powis
Y5/1	Keira Mason-Anderson
Y5/2	Sophia Kelemes
Y6/1	Gabriel Wootton
Y6/2	Lauren Baggaley

Maths Challenge 1

Here is a pencil.



How long are two of these pencils?

KS1 Sports Day

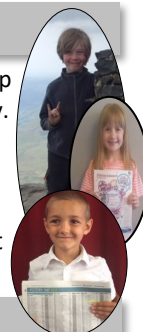
Next Thursday morning is our Y1 and Y2 classes Sports Day. The children will need to wear their PE kit (white T-shirt, Black shorts) to school and will stay in it all day. At lunchtime the children will be having a picnic lunch on the field provided by the kitchen, unless a packed lunch is usually brought.

Technical issues

We have experienced some technical issues with our twitter and blog feeds not displaying as they should on the website and/or Facebook. There has been so much going on in school and we do not want you to miss it, so please do have a look at all our blog posts - sandfordhill.schoolblogs.org

Congratulations

- Congratulations to **Sebbie Gillie** who recently reached the summit of Snowdon, to help raise money for specialist car seats for a family friend's son who has severe epilepsy. Fantastic Sebbie - very well done!
- Well done to **Skyla-Beau Roberts** who has passed her Stanley 6 Swimming Award.
- Congratulations to **Ella Wigley** on passing her Angelfish 1 Swimming Award.
- Well done to **Alex Salt** who ran the Potters' Arf at the weekend and was the fastest for his age group. He even got mentioned in the Sentinel. Super running Alex!



Sporting News

- On Monday morning we took 2 bus loads of children to Northwood Stadium for the Track Athletics Competition. The children all did their very best and we again came 2nd in the boys and girls and 2nd overall. Well done to: **Paige Johnson, Amethyst Gordon, Daniel Lamptey, Ryan Bridgett, Kaddi Kassama, Skyla Playford, Lily-Mae Davies, Mason Lomax, Eli Hallam, Imogen Emery, Saimone Sevakasiga, Lotti Cooper, Kane Kidd, Paige Johnson, Harley Monks-Neil, Eddie Lomax, Eloise Howell, Lucy Greslow, Jamie Greslow, Lily Davies, Charlotte Beard, Amina Khan, Ethan Budd, Archie Fowell, Rio Clarke and Lucy Bloor.** Particularly well done to: **Joshua Lamptey, Libbie Gorton, Charlie Bradbury, Natalia Iwanska, Lucy Greslow, Libby Barwise, Rosa Aziz, Ruby Johnson, Isabel Shaw, Jesse Addai, Ashton Harvey and Jak Kelsall,** who have got through to the City finals. Well done and thank you to **Lewis-Leese Spencer** and **Evie-Mae Chetwynd** for all their help at Northwood. Many thanks also to all the family members that came along to support our athletes. The children really appreciated you being there.
- Yesterday, our U11 swimmers had their turn at the Trentham pool to compete against others from the Longton area. Well done to all our swimmers: **Grace Simpson, Jasmine Chahal, Delilah Rose-Wall, Lilly Cartlidge, Amelia Ostrouchow, Gabrielle Moores, Jacob Burston, Mackenzie Hambleton, Ashton Burton and Lauchlan Sullivan.**

Blog Of The Week has to go to all our Early Years team for all the blog posts of their fantastic sports day. It was super to share it with them and see how much pleasure and fun both the children and the parents/carers had.

School Attendance

Our school attendance for this week is **95.0%** which is below our school attendance target of 96.5%

F1/1	96.7%	Y2/2	96.1%
F1/2	98.0%	Y3/1	96.8%
F1/3	98.0%	Y3/2	98.7%
F1/4	98.7%	Y4/1	96.3%
F2/1	91.3%	Y4/2	94.0%
F2/2	97.6%	Y5/1	97.5%
Y1/1	89.3%	Y5/2	93.6%
Y1/2	91.7%	Y6/1	91.3%
Y2/1	97.3%	Y6/2	93.0%

Tweet of the Week goes to Sue Thomas who tweeted "I love reading about your activities and celebrations and those of groups of children and individuals on twitter. It is not possible to visit every school termly but I love keeping up with what the school is sharing. Thank you."

And Finally ...

This morning we have welcomed some students from the 6th Form College who shared their various musical talents with our KS2 children. Thanks to them for their inspiring performances.



Have an enjoyable weekend and Happy Father's Day!

Mr Wardle

Maths Challenge 2

Alex has 60 boxes of oranges. Each box contains 25 oranges.



Alex sells 800 oranges. He packs the remaining oranges into boxes of 50.

How many boxes does he pack?