



11th October 2019

St. Mark's Newsletter



In a caring Christian community together we love, learn, laugh and achieve.

New School App:

We have sent out text invites to all priority contacts to download our new school app. If you have not received a text invite, please contact the school office. Once the app is downloaded to your device, please uninstall the old app. Priority contacts can then add additional contacts to join the app.

Parent Governor Vacancy:

Letters have been sent home today for a parent Governor position. If you would like to nominate yourself or another parent, please call in to the school office to collect a nomination pack.

Y1 Football:

We took a group of Y1 children to a tournament at Liverpool Academy on Monday. They played very well and all had fun. Well done team!

Year 6 Swimming:

Year 6 continue their swimming lessons on Tuesday 15th October and Wednesday 16th October.

Year 2 Road Safety:

The Road Safety team visited Year 2 on Thursday for a road safety workshop. This will continue for a further 2 weeks.

Rec, Y1 & 2:

Rec, Year 1 and 2 are visiting St. Mark's Church on Monday to reinact a baptism. They will learn about the roles of the parents and God-parents and the signs and symbols throughout the ceremony.

PTA Autumn Party:

Our annual PTA Autumn party is on Friday 25th October at 4:30pm-6:30pm at St. Mark's Parish Club. Tickets cost £5 per child and £1 per adult. Letters have been sent home to pre-order tickets.

Y5/6 Jodrell Bank Trip:

Year 5 & 6 are visiting Jodrell Bank Discovery Centre on Friday 29th November. Payment of £8 can be made either by cash or by ParentPay.

Pantomime Rec-Y6:

We have booked our annual pantomime trip and this year we are going to see 'Sleeping Beauty' at the Liverpool Everyman on Thursday 5th December. The cost of the trip is £14.00. The cost of transport has been subsidised by school this year. If you wish to pay in instalments, please send money in to school clearly marked with your child's name, alternatively you can pay online via ParentPay.

Y4 Chester Trip:

Year 4 are visiting Chester on Monday 18th November to visit the Dewa Roman Experience. The cost of the trip is £10. Letters have been sent home with further information. Payment can be made either by cash or alternatively online by ParentPay.

ParentPay:

If you would like to pay for trips via ParentPay and are yet to set up an account, please speak to the school office for an activation code.

Attendance & Punctuality

	Attendance	Punctuality
REC	95%	99%
YEAR 1	96%	100%
YEAR 2	97%	99%
YEAR 3	93%	99%
YEAR 4	96%	100%
YEAR 5	98%	100%
YEAR 6	94%	100%

Talent Show:

Auditions will take place for KS2 children only, in school w/c Monday 21st October. The talent show will be held on Wednesday 13th November in St. Mark's Club.

Secondary School Applications:

Please ensure you apply for your child's secondary school place by Thursday 31st October. Applications can be made online or by returning the Knowsley application form to school (please return the form to school by Friday 25th October).

Poppy Appeal:

We will be selling poppies next week to raise money for the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal. Minimum donation 20p, metal badges £2.00.

Student of the Week		Good Manners		Maths Award	
Grace	NURS AM	Daiva	NURS AM	Evie	REC
Gurparthaapveer	NURS PM	Jaxon	NURS PM	Luke	YEAR 1
Olson	REC	Lily	REC	Evie	YEAR 2
Alannah	YEAR 1	Evie H	YEAR 1	Madison	YEAR 3
Michael	YEAR 2	Jaskiran	YEAR 2	Kian	YEAR 4
Corey	YEAR 3	Phoebe	YEAR 3	Emily	YEAR 5
Joshua G	YEAR 4	Charlie	YEAR 4	Mark	YEAR 6
Alfie	YEAR 5	Lucas	YEAR 5	Well done to the children who received an award this week.	
Harry	YEAR 6	Carla	YEAR 6		

After School Clubs

- Mon - 3:15-4:00 - Multiskills Y1
- Tues - 3:15-4:00 - Athletics Y5/6
- Wed - 3:15-4:15 - Football Y5/6
- Performing Arts Club
- Thurs - 3:15-4:00 - Netball Y3/4
- Fri - 8:15-8:55am - Newspaper Club Y6

School Clubs

- Tues - 1:45-2:15pm - Choir Y4/5/6
- Wed - 1:45-2:15pm - Computer Club Y4

