



# St Clement's and St John's CE Infant School Newsletter

27<sup>th</sup> June 2024

Thought for the fortnight



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*~To inspire learning for life; to give you a future and a hope~*

### Welcome to June's issue of the school newsletter.

The weather is finally sunny! Please make sure your child wears a hat to school each day. They will be asked to stay in the shade on hot days if they do not have a hat. They also need to have sun protection cream on before they come to school with a waterbottle to stay hydrated.

### Transition to new classes

In September, we begin a new school year. All the children will move up to their new classes in a new year group.

On Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June, children will spend the morning in their new classes with their new teachers getting to know each other, playing some games and doing some activities. Year 2 children will visit Bethany Junior School.

Children received a letter on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June to tell you and them which class they will be in and who their Teacher and Teaching Assistant will be.

Please drop and collect your child as usual at St Clements on this day.



### Diary Dates

Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Transition Day. Children spend the morning in their new classes ready for September	Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Non-Uniform day – collecting donations for the fair
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Individual school reports sent home with children.	Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	Stay and play session for new reception (pre-booked slots)
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Sports Day – Held at Kings Park (see more info in this newsletter)	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	- Year 2 music performance @ St Clement's Church 2.30pm - School Summer Fair @ St Clement's playground 3.30pm
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	- Drop in parents evening for any parent wanting to discuss their child's school report.  - Family Worship @ St Clement's Church 2.20pm  - Stay and play session for new reception (pre-booked slots)	Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 2 Leavers' service @ St Clement's Church 9.30am
		Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Whole School End of Year service @ St Clement's Church 2pm. All welcome.
		Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July	Last day of term. School finishes at 1.15pm.

# SPORTS DAY



How exciting. It is sports day next week!

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2024 @ Kings Park Athletics Stadium**

All children need to wear their PE kits / active uniform on this day. They will need: a sun hat, water bottle and wear sunscreen.

The children will be leaving school at 9.15am. If you are able to walk with the children please join your child's class in the morning and come into school with them. Please let your class teacher know ASAP if you can help so we make sure we have enough adults. Parents cannot support classes walking if they have small children or buggies.

Parents and Carers are invited to join us at the stadium to watch and then join their child for lunch with their class at about 12.30pm.

All children can be collected / taken home at 1.15pm after lunch.

## Times of the Day



School Starts at:

**8:45am**



School Ends at:

**3:10pm**

## Celebrating Birthdays Reminder

We love celebrating birthdays and know how special the occasion is for a child. We love to sing happy birthday and enjoy hearing all about their day.

However, we have made the **decision that we will do not allow children to give out party bag type gifts to children in their class.** This includes sweets, cakes or toys. Thank you for your understanding.



## Mrs Burns Retirement

The wonderful Mrs Burns is retiring at the end of this year. Her last working day will be Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July. During Family worship on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July we will say goodbye officially and invite you to join us. 2.20pm at St Clement's Church.



## Attendance Corner

Each week in family worship we award a certificate to the class or classes that have the best attendance for the previous week.

Help your child's class win by being in school and on time each day.

Does your child have a mobile phone?

Do they need one at their young age?

What is the purpose?

Check all settings and make sure that they cannot access any adult material. Don't let them watch devices 2 hours before bed to allow for a good nights sleep.

## Summer Fair

We are hoping to organise and hold a Summer Fair event in St Clement's playground on **Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July.**

**To make this happen we need help!**

Can you support on the day by leading on a game or stall? Help to prepare and plan? Please speak to the school office, Mrs Buda or Miss Rutherford ASAP.

## School Streets – Road Barrier

A huge THANK YOU to all the wonderful volunteers who organise the road barrier each morning and after school. You are super stars and we really appreciate it.

If you would like to volunteer, please speak to someone on the barrier. All help appreciated.



## Pick Up and Drop Off

Please ensure when waiting to drop off and collect your child to be mindful of the neighbours. Please do not sit on any of their walls or gather in large groups outside of their homes. Please try and keep loud noises to a minimum. Thank you all for your continued support and cooperation.