



St Thomas' C of E Junior and Infant School

A Journey in Faith, Arriving with Hope

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June Newsletter

This final half term is proving to be extremely busy as always. There have been lots of exciting things happening in school as well as visits to different places too. We appreciate all the support we receive from parents, carers and family members to help make St Thomas' such an enjoyable place to be.

Real Change Dress Down Day

Friday 7th of June saw all the children and staff come to school in their casual clothes in order to support Wigan Council's Dress Down Day. The children all brought £1 which was then sent to support homelessness in Wigan. All our classes are having a competition to see how much food they can bring in which will be donated to The Brick food bank. A volunteer from The Brick came to talk to the children about the charity and everything they do to help people who are homeless or living in poverty.



Liverpool Cathedral

On Tuesday 11th June our Year 6 class plus the school choir attended the Diocese Leaver's Service. The children took part in a service which said thank you for all their time at primary school and their hopes as they move onto secondary school. The school choir sang in front of almost 500 people in the service and were amazing. We were so proud of them.



Well-being Week.

Last week saw the whole school take part in a Well-being enrichment week. All the classes took part in a range of activities designed to promote healthy bodies and minds. Monday saw the launch of the week by having our Well-being stall outside. We hope all parents enjoyed their Kit Kats! The children were able to challenge their fitness levels in the Fitrition sessions and also looked at the impact of a healthy diet. Children in Key Stage 2 learnt how to keep themselves safe by doing basic First Aid training. The whole school enjoyed a day of Yoga also. We hope the children can adopt some of the skills into their daily lives. We even provided a fitness session for parents after school on one of the evenings.



Mrs Bilski

Mrs Bilski will be leaving us at the end of the summer term. She is going to start up her own dog walking business. Mrs Bilski has worked at St Thomas' for many years and we are really going to miss her.

Mrs Lockwood

Mrs Lockwood hasn't been in school this half term due to illness. She is recovering well and we hope to see her back with us soon.

Diary Dates

3rd July—Ethos Conference in Bolton for some members of the school Ethos team.

10th July at 5pm—Year 6 production: Robin Hood and the Sherwood Hoodies.

17th July at 9am—Year 6 Leaver's Assembly.

17th July at 5pm—Year 6 Leaver's Party.

19th July—School finishes for the summer.

22nd July at 7.30pm—Confirmation Service at Liverpool Cathedral.

We apologise for having to cancel sports day and the summer fayre but unfortunately the weather let us down and the field was far too wet.