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# Newsletter 26th May 2017

Dear Parents.

How beautiful the weather has been this week. Hopefully we will continue with at least dry weather next week for half term! When we return to school on Tuesday 6th June all children will need to be wearing summer uniform. Don't forget - No long trousers, no tights and no navy socks. Children do need to bring a coat to school EVERY DAY - whatever the weather. They should also have a school cap (named) in school every day too. Where there is sunshine please apply 'Once' a day sun cream just as they arrive at school to help protect them throughout the day.

Many thanks to Mr. Daly (Oscar's dad - Class 2) for helping us this week with our 'Safety' learning. The talk he gave to all our children on Thursday was really helpful. As I write this I am hoping that many of you will arrive early this afternoon and hear really useful information from him with regard to safety on the Internet.

On Thursday morning at 11o'clock we gathered together as a school family and prayed for the people of Manchester and also prayed that everyone in our world would have the same Mission Statement as us and 'Love One another'.

Keep safe and have a lovely half term.

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## SCHOOL IS CLOSED ON MONDAY 5th JUNE, 2017

STARS OF THE WEEK	
☆ ☆ Charlie Taverner ☆	Class 1
Maya Allirajah-Martin	Class 2
Scarlett Bexley	Class 3
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WORKERS OF THE WEEK			
Class 1	Stanley Capps-Coe	&	Sonny Perera
Class 2	Oskar Golba	&	Alex Shikov
Class 3	Freddie Fordham	&	Matthew O'Gara

KITCHEN CORNER Tuesday 6th June Menu Week 1

TEAM SPORTS STARS Beatrice O'Flynn Iffland

#### **BASKETBALL STARS**

Dylan Walker - Class 8 Precious Osho - Class 9





### KARATE STARS All pupils who attended were stars this week

All children must return in their Summer Uniform after half term.

Boys - SHORT trousers and POLO shirts (with school logo) ONLY, grey socks with black shoes. ¡Girls - STRIPED Dresses, White socks with White/Black shoes - No Open Toe Sandals or Sling Backs. Sun hats with the school logo are compulsory. Sun hats, polo shirts and striped dresses can be purchased from the office.

Many thanks to all the parents/ grandparents who came into school this week to help count the skips. The children have had great fun and really appreciated the encouragement. Thank you 

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### Attendance League Table Summer Term

Remember the class with the greatest attendance will be rewarded at the end of term.

<u>Class</u>	<u>%</u>
3	97.73
2,4 & 6	97.37
8	97.05
5	96.67
7	96.03
1	95.71
9	95.56

<u>Late Arrivals</u> There were **8** late arrivals this week. Please remember that the doors open at 8.45a.m. every morning.

### We're EXCITED to be welcoming GB Triple Jump Athlete Nathan Fox to school on Monday 12th June!

Nathan Fox will be leading some energetic fitness circuits with the children and hosting an assembly with a Q&A session to help inspire the children into more sport and exercise. We're asking the school community to help by purchasing a SPORTS FOR SCHOOLS wristband in order to raise money both for the Sport for Schools Foundation and for our school to spend on sports and sports equipment. The blue Sports for School branded wristbands are £1 each and the red Athlete autographed wrist bands are £3 each. Please send the money in an envelope marked with your child's name and class. Mrs Rainsford has kindly said that they will be allowed to wear them in school during that week. The Sports for Schools website (http://www.sportsforschools.org/) has a short video that you can watch which explains a little of what the children might do on the day. The children are already excited: we hope you'll be feeling the buzz as well!

Open Evening New Intake September 2017 The Open Evening takes place on Thursday • 8th June at 7.00p.m at the Infant School.

This is a meeting for **Parents Only** of those children who are starting in Foundation Stage at the school in September 2017.

Van Cols Photos - We still have several class photos in the office since April with NO NAMES. Please check over half term to make sure that you have your copy if you ordered one. If yours is still missing, please see the office staff and arrange to collect it. Thank you

Well Done to <b>St. Francis' House</b> for being the winners this week.		
<u>House</u>	This Weeks Points	Accumulative Points this Summer Term
St. Bernadette	95	600
St. Clare	101	624
St. Francis	***105***	600
St. Martin	97	627

PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE

P.E. STARS OF THE WEEK  P.E. STARS OF THE WEEK  Ben Morden  Class 4  Jasmine Sarpal  Class 6  Ntseyep Njopa-Kaba  Class 7  Cai Samuels  Class 8  Belle Farr  Class 9		
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Ben Morden	Class 5	
Jasmine Sarpal	Class 6	
Ntseyep Njopa-Kaba	Class 7 นี้	
Cai Samuels	Class 8	
Belle Farr	Class 9 ម៉ឺ ខ្លួន ស្ត្រី	

#### YEAR 2

BRENTWOOD LIBRARY - Thank you to those who have already offered to accompany their child for the trip to Brentwood library. Please send back the reply slip even if you or a relative are unable to assist, so that we can ensure we have enough support for the trip to commence.



ROYAL AFTERNOON - After half term you will be receiving your official invitation to the Royal Afternoon! We hope that one parent, grandparent or relative will be able to attend, so that each of the children has a grown up to complete their activity with. Unfortunately, we only have enough space to accommodate one adult per child.

SHOE BOXES - Thank you for holding on to a shoe box in readiness for your child to bring in on Tuesday 6th June. Every child will need a shoe box for Design and Technology. Many thanks for your support, Year 2 Team

#### YEAR 1

**ENGLISH** - We planned and wrote an Australian Magic Key adventure. We made sure we said sentences out loud and added description to make our stories exciting.

This week's spelling words are: - eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen. seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty

MATHS - We halved and quartered groups of objects remembering that if you half something you split it into 2 equal groups and if you quarter something you split it into 4 equal groups.

R.E. - We listened to stories from the Hindu religion about Ganesha and Krishna.

PLEASE COULD WE HAVE ANY SPARE TUBES - TOILET ROLLS, KITCHEN ROLLS, INSIDES OF WRAPPING PAPER



#### FOUNDATION STAGE

LITERACY CHALLENGE: We have been learning facts about sea creatures. Can you write about a sea creature of your choice?

e.g. A starfish. A starfish has 5 legs. If they lose a leg it can grow back.

MATHEMATICS: We have been looking at 3D shapes at school this week. Can you spot these shapes in your homes? cylinder cube cuboid sphere









After half term we will be starting a new creative project so please could each child bring in a shoebox with their name on it. Thank you!

Mon Tue Thurs	All Day Open at 8.45a.m	DATES FOR YOU INSET DAY	All Years	School Closed to Children
Tue Thurs	Open at 8.45a.m		All Years	School Closed to Children
Thurs	· ·			
		Children Return to School	All Years	ALL YEARS
	3.30pm – 3.45pm	Book Look	All Years	Please make an appointment
Thurs	7.30p.m	New Parents Evening		Meeting for parents of children (starting school in Sep 2017) who have been offered a place. <b>NO CHILDREN.</b>
Fri	9.00a.m	'Drop Off, Drop In'	All Years	All Parents/Grandparents welcome
Mon	9.15a.m	Class 7 Library Visit	Class 7	Parents of Class 7
Tues	9.15a.m	Class 8 Library Visit	Class 8	Parents of Class 8
Thurs	9.15a.m	Class 9 Library Visit	Class 9	Parents of Class 9
Thurs	1.30p.m	Year 2 Royal Afternoon Tea	Year 2	All Year 2 - Only One Adult
Thurs	3.30pm – 3.45pm	Book Look	All Years	Please make an appointment
Fri	9.00a.m	'Drop Off, Drop In'	All Years	All Parents/Grandparents welcome
All Week	All Week	Activity Week - During School Day	All Years	During School Day - For Children Only.
Thurs	During School Day	St. Clare House Celebration	St. Clare House	For children in St. Clare House. Children can wear a 'Red' ribbon.
Fri	10.00a.m	Sports Day & Picnic	All Years	All Welcome. Come and watch our Sports Day and enjoy a picnic with your child afterwards.
Mon	2p.m	Class 7 - Leavers Assembly	Class 7	Parents of Class 7 welcome. Your may take your Class 7 child and any siblings at Infant School home after assembly.
Mon	5p.m to 6.30p.m	Celebration Evening	All years	All Welcome
Tue	2p.m	Class 8 - Leavers Assembly	Class 8	Parents of Class 8 welcome. Your may take your Class 8 child and any siblings at Infant School home after assembly.
Wed	2p.m	Class 9 - Leavers Assembly	Class 9	Parents of Class 9 welcome. Your may take your Class 9 child and any siblings at Infant School home after assembly.
Fri	1.15p.m	End of Year Assembly SCHOOL CLOSES AT 2 p.m	All Years	All Welcome. You can take your child home after the assembly.
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