



St. Agatha's
Catholic Primary
School



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June 2024

SUMMER TERM 2024 NEWSLETTER NO.2

Key Dates for your diary:

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Friday 14th June: PSA Mufti Day &
Bottle Tombola Donation

Thursday 27th June: Whole School
Sports Day – Weir Archer Stadium

Wednesday 3rd July – Friday 5th July:
Year 5 Residential trip

Monday 8th July: End of Year Reports
sent home to parents

Thursday 11th July: Year 6 Production



SPORTS DAY
Thursday 27th June
Weir Archer Stadium

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School Fund Donation

Please be reminded to make your School Fund donation. Payments should be made via your SchoolMoney account. If you are a UK taxpayer, please also remember to Gift Aid your donation, this will boost your donation by 25p of Gift Aid for every £1 you donate.

Uniform Supplier

We are currently in the process of appointing a new uniform supplier as Marks and Spencer will be closing down its uniform service from October. More details will follow and a new supplier will be in place before the summer, but please do continue to place any orders as normal during this time.

20% off Uniform

Marks and Spencer are launching a promotion from 2nd July offering 20% off all uniform items. Please just book via the usual link - [St. Agatha's Catholic Primary School \(mandsyourschooluniform.com\)](https://www.mandsyourschooluniform.com)

Art Competition

We are very proud that two Reception children, Selena and Rose have had their drawings selected for the Young Artists' Royal Academy Summer Exhibition 2024 (16th July to 11th August).

[Young Artists' Summer Show 2024 | Exhibition | Royal Academy of Arts](#)

If your child's art has been selected – please do let us know and we will include them in the next newsletter and website.

Staff News

We will be saying goodbye to Mrs Desmond (Year 4) and Mrs Dunseath (Year 5) at the end of term. Both Mrs Desmond and Mrs Dunseath have been members of the teaching staff for around 20 years and we will be very sorry to say goodbye. We thank them for their years of dedicated service to the St Agatha's school community. We wish them both all the very best for their futures.

OFSTED

As you know, we were visited by Ofsted on Wednesday 15th and Thursday 16th May. This was an ungraded inspection, meaning that our grade could not be changed. As soon as the Ofsted report has been received, it will be shared with the wider school community. In the meantime, thank you for the kind words of support offered during these two days.

Sports Day

Our Sports Day will take place on **Thursday 27th June**. Please refer to the letter sent out on Monday 10th June for full details of the day's events.

Unnamed Lost Property

The volume of lost items which are not labelled continues to be substantial and as a result we are no longer able to hold these in the office. All unlabelled uniform which is misplaced will be donated to the PSA, non-uniform items will be disposed of. All labelled items found will be promptly returned to their owners. PLEASE CLEARLY LABEL ALL UNIFORM AND NON-UNIFORM ITEMS.

Name labels are freely available online, and we recommend that you avoid labelling uniform in biro as this quickly washes out and becomes illegible. Thank you for your cooperation.

PSA News

Musicians evening - A big thank you to everyone who attended and a special thanks to Ben Coleman and the rest of the Band for putting on such a fantastic performance!

Smarties Challenge - Thanks to everyone who took part in this initiative. The children must have all been very busy with their chores as we have collected a very heavy bag of money from the school office which we are now counting up and will very shortly share the final details of how much was raised and the name of the winning class.

Tea Towels - These make fantastic gifts for friends and family, so don't forget to place your orders by 23rd June.

<https://www.jumblebee.co.uk/stagathasteatowels2024>

Summer Fair 22nd June - Wristbands are now on sale and raffle tickets have been sent home with the children this week. We have secured some amazing prizes for this year's raffle so be sure to buy your tickets to be in with a chance to win!

<https://www.jumblebee.co.uk/stagathassummerfair2024>

Finally, without your support events such as the Summer Fair will not be able to go ahead. If you can spare any time to volunteer on the day for your class stall to help make them a success, please get in touch with your class rep.

Bottle Tombola and Mufti - This Friday 14 June the children are invited to wear mufti in exchange for a contribution to the bottle tombola – Don't forget to bring in a bottle of drink!

Teddy Tombola - Collections will take place the week commencing 17th June. Please donate any unwanted clean (washed) soft toys

Many thanks

St Agatha's PSA

Letter from our Headteacher

Dear Parents/Carers,

A huge well done to all our Year 6 children who demonstrated great determination and resilience during their KS2 Testing Week. We are extremely proud of the maturity with which they conducted themselves. I know that Year 6 are now looking forward to a well-earned residential trip and their end of primary school celebrations.

Please ensure that you have the date for your child's Sports Day and family picnic in your diary; another wonderful opportunity to bring the St Agatha's School community together.

I very much enjoyed watching Nursery's Sports Day this week. The children demonstrated great jumping, balancing and running skills. My favourite event was the egg and spoon race! Well done to all involved.



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- * A PRIZE WINNER EVERY MONTH
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- * RAISE MONEY FOR THE PSA



FIRST MONTHLY DRAW TO TAKE PLACE AT THE
END OF JUNE - PLEASE SIGN UP BY 14TH JUNE
TO BE IN WITH A CHANCE OF WINNING THE
FIRST MONTH'S PRIZE

TO SIGN UP, USE THE QR
CODE ABOVE OR VISIT
THE LINK BELOW

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