

# St. John's Church of England Primary School Newsletter

## 'The JOY of the Lord is Your Strength'

(Nehemiah 8:10)

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2025  
Value: Responsibility



Thank you to all who joined us at sports day for a lovely afternoon. The children were all fantastic, competing well with huge smiles on faces!



Thank you to our JOY team from Years 5 and 6 who went to Stanley this week to share all the wonderful work we do at St. John's. Pupil voice teams from every school in Southport were in attendance and it was a lovely opportunity to share all the fantastic things that are going on in schools across our town. We certainly had plenty of visitors to our stand asking about the Chocolate Service!

### PFA Discos

On Wednesday we have our final discos of the year. These will take place outside if the weather is good; inside if not. Entrance and exit arrangements will be confirmed once we get closer to the date.  
Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 – 6:15 – 7:15  
Years 3 – 6 – 7:30 – 8:30  
Entrance - £3 payable on the door

### Summer Festival

A final reminder that our Summer Festival takes place tomorrow. Please assemble at the front of school (from 12) for the parade which will leave at 12:15. Gates will open upon our return. We are looking forward to a wonderful day and we cannot thank those who have organised enough for their hard work in staging such a wonderful day. See you tomorrow!

**Respect Thankfulness Compassion Truthfulness Trust Responsibility**



What a fantastic day at the Bee Netball High Fives Tournament! Our squad of 10 – Hope, Millie-May, Isla, Ethel, Zoe, Charlie, Benito, Sophia, Elsie and Maisie – showed great determination, teamwork and sportsmanship throughout the event. With a record of two wins, two losses and one draw, the team played with energy and enthusiasm in every match.

All players embraced the High Fives rotation system brilliantly, trying out different positions and supporting one another every step of the way.

A special mention goes to Zoe, who was outstanding on court, showing skill, awareness and leadership. Also, huge congratulations to Elsie, who has made fantastic progress since joining the team – her confidence and play have really grown.

Well done to the whole team – we're proud of you! Thank you to Emma Counce for super coaching!





# St. John's Superstars

<u>Superstar Award</u>	<u>Year Group</u>	<u>J.O.Y. Award</u>
Jessica-Mae	<u>Reception</u>	Penelope
Lucy	<u>Year 1</u>	Jesse
Eva	<u>Year 2</u>	Noah v
Reece	<u>Year 3</u>	Charlie
Dilan	<u>Year 4</u>	Philippa
Harvey T	<u>Year 5</u>	Alex
Isla	<u>Year 6</u>	Oliver

## IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

## ATTENDANCE

Please keep an eye on the newsletter each week as the list of dates will be added to / amended over time. Further details of key events and festivals will be sent out nearer the time in case we need to make any logistical changes. Teachers will keep you updated on Class Dojo regarding key events for your child's class.

Good attendance is absolutely vital in ensuring your child is able to fulfil their potential in school. Our target for good attendance is at least 95% of the time in school and learning. Each week the **class** with the highest attendance will get a little extra treat and a mention in assembly.

- 5<sup>th</sup> July – PFA Summer Festival from midday
- 8<sup>th</sup> July – visit to school by Bishop Ruth, interim Bishop of Liverpool
- 9<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 treat day
- 9<sup>th</sup> July – PFA discos – Rec-Y2 – 6:15 to 7:15 and Y3 – 6 from 7:30 – 8:30
- 11<sup>th</sup> July – reports to be sent out
- 15<sup>th</sup> July – choir to sing at 2 local care homes – letter to follow to those going
- 15<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Leavers Performance at 7 pm
- 17<sup>th</sup> July – End of Year Service at 9:30 in Church
- 18<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Awards Service in Church at 9:30
- 18<sup>th</sup> July – end of year at 1:45 pm

- Reception – 91.4%
- Year 1 – 95.5%
- Year 2 – 95.2%
- Year 3 – 95.1%
- Year 4 – 95.1%
- Year 5 – 95.9%**
- Year 6 – 92.6%

## Thought for the Week

Our Worship Warrior team reminded us this week;

*...“it is our responsibility to use the gifts God has given us wisely and to be thankful for these gifts”*