

ST. HELEN'S NEWS

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19th May 2023 <https://www.facebook.com/sthelenswestcliff/>

Our Mission Statement

Respect yourself
Respect everyone in our school community
Respect everyone in our local community
Respect everyone in our global community
But most of all, respect God our Father in Heaven



Senior Leaders Special Mentions

Representatives from our 3 pupil Leadership groups- Liturgy Leaders, Eco Warriors and School Councillors

- for representing the school so well when interviewed by our Catholic Schools Inspectors. We are very proud of you.

All children and staff-
for the part you played in our Ascension Day Liturgy and Mass.
(And thank you to Fr. Viktor!)

Well done to 1J and 1S -
for your excellent behaviour and enthusiastic learning when you went to the Sealife Centre.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

24th May- Rosary with Parents 08.45

25th May- Rosary with Parents 2.45

25th May- Year 2 trip to Beach/train/Galleon

29th May-2nd June- Half term- School closed

5th June- Inset day- School closed

CLASS ASSEMBLIES- Parents welcome-9am start

25th May- 3R

8th June- 2S

15th June- 5WT

6th July- 4G

Congratulations to Miss Byfield and all her family on the birth of her daughter Irie.



Congratulations to Miss Low who got married on Saturday and is now Mrs Raviraj



Calling all Parents

Please come and join your children to say the Rosary with them, on Wednesday 24th May at 08.45 and Thursday 25th May at 2.45



Entry through the green gates.

1st HOLY COMMUNION

Dates- 10th June/17th June

Time- 12pm

At St. Helen's Church



If your child is making their 1st Holy communion at a different church, please could you let Mrs Felstead know in the office. Thank you

Year 1 had an enjoyable morning in the Nature Area. They learnt new vocabulary - carnivore, herbivore, omnivore, predator and prey by playing a variety of games. The children demonstrated their excellent knowledge and good use of tactics - speed, observation and being sneaky! Later in the morning, they matched colours. Lastly, they bug hunted and played eagle eye.



2 Oysters spent a busy afternoon in the nature area. After investigating the insect life, they moved onto drawing pirate maps. In groups, they hid some treasure, producing a pirate map. The map was given to another group and they had to decipher the map to find the treasure. The children found some of the maps very obscure! An activity that will be repeated to practise our map drawing skills.



4F had a busy morning in the nature area. They started by making a non-newtonian fluid-mixing cornflour and water.

4F were amazed that this mixture behaved like a solid when energy was imparted on it and a liquid when left alone in their hands. Also they investigated animal and insect life in the nature area.



Year 1 Sealife Centre trip



STARS OF THE WEEK

R Hedgehogs	Jacob Lehane-stone
R Squirrels	Krishna Concepcion
1 Jellyfish	Ethan Da Cruz
1 Starfish	Hazelina Machado
2 Oysters	Yeora Yazbeck Ellis Gjoni
2 Seahorses	Izarah Jittu Ethan Malikula
3 Robins	Erin Asante Deanne Blahakova
3 Seagulls	Emma Matthew Aryan Rahman
4 Fountains	Starr-Sofia Souter Joanna Adetunji Letticia Sibanda
4 Gideon	Anson Cheng Diona Sunil
5 Rosa Parks	Rabya Tahir
5 Walter Tull	Seren Sweeney-Syrett Hannah Stean Ethan Aquino
6 St. Anthony	Bethreece Pardo Michael Sarpong
6 St. Raphael	Langa Magadzire Ruby Mncube

POSITIVE PLAY SUPERSTARS

Anastasia Ivan
Hridhaan Sanja
Addie Hartry
Nathaniel Zima
John Clark
Johnjon Choat
Oliwia Kloc
Hannah Stean
Lekshmy Karthikeshan
Harrison Lee

St. David 1081
St. Patrick 926
St. Andrew 903
St. George 1016

RE Topics – PENTECOST serving

Early Years – Good News

Passing on the Good news of Jesus

Year 1 – Holidays & holydays

Pentecost: feast of the Holy Spirit

Year 2 – Spread the word

Pentecost a time to spread the Good News

Year 3 – Energy

Gifts of the Holy Spirit

Year 4 – New Life

To hear & live the Easter message

Year 5 – Transformation

Celebration of the Spirit's transforming power

Year 6 – Witnesses

The Holy Spirit enables people to become witnesses

ST HELEN'S PTFA

FATHER'S DAY SECRET GIFT SHOP




CHOOSE FROM A SELECTION OF
SECRET GIFTS FOR YOUR
DAD/CARER

£4 PER CHILD

THIS IS A PRE-BOOKED ACTIVITY AND MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE ON SCHOOL GATEWAY BY THURSDAY 25TH MAY




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