

# ST. HELEN'S NEWS

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16th September 2022 <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



School closed Monday 19th September

## Senior Leaders Special Mentions

### Emmanuel Nyamayaro- Year 6

What a great start you made with your responsibility as part of the assembly crew, efficiently managing the laptop.

Thank you to

-Laura

-Anna

-Alicja

Who volunteered to pick up litter this week  
- you are very responsible citizens looking after our school environment.



## National Moment of Reflection

for her late Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II

**Sunday 18th September 2022**

at Victoria Plaza, Southend-on-Sea High Street

- 7.30pm ~ Reflective music will be performed
- 7.50pm ~ The Mayor, Cllr Kevin Robinson will make a short statement
- 7.55pm ~ The Mayor's Chaplain, Fr Clive Hillman will say prayers
  - 8.00pm ~ Southend-on-Sea will join the United Kingdom in a Moment of Silent Reflection
- The National Anthem



## Meet the Teacher

We would like to invite you to come to school and meet your child's Teacher. They will be able to give you information about PE days and other general information about things that will happen in your child's class and year group.

**Key Stage 1 Years 1 & 2** **Tuesday, 20th September 3.00 pm**

**Key Stage 2 Years 3,4,5,6** **Thursday, 22nd September 3.15 pm**

**Learning conferences**— We will be holding our usual Learning Conferences week commencing 17th October, this gives you the opportunity to discuss your child with their Teacher. Further information will follow nearer this date about booking an appointment.

We look forward to seeing you.

## Please read all your email regarding clubs-

Sign up on the gateway from today until Monday 19th September. Thank you

## JUST A FEW REMINDERS -

Please make sure all your lunches are booked on the Schoolgateway, if you need any help please contact us. Thank you.

If your child is now in Year 3 please remember that school dinners now need to be paid for.

If your child is absent from school please call and leave a message on the absence line, or message the office before 9.15am.

Please make sure your child has their PE kit at school and that all property is labelled clearly with their name. (years 1-6)

Please do not park in our school car park or in the access route to rear of retail park.

We are looking forward to a wonderful term of learning and enjoying being back together.

## DIARY DATES

**23rd September**— Year 6 to St. Thomas More/St. Bernard's

**29th September**- 2.30 Reading workshop for parents

**13th October**— 6A Lifeboat visit

**14th October**— 6R Lifeboat visit

**17th October**— Individual school photos

**Half term 24th October—28th October**

**31st October**— Inset day-No school

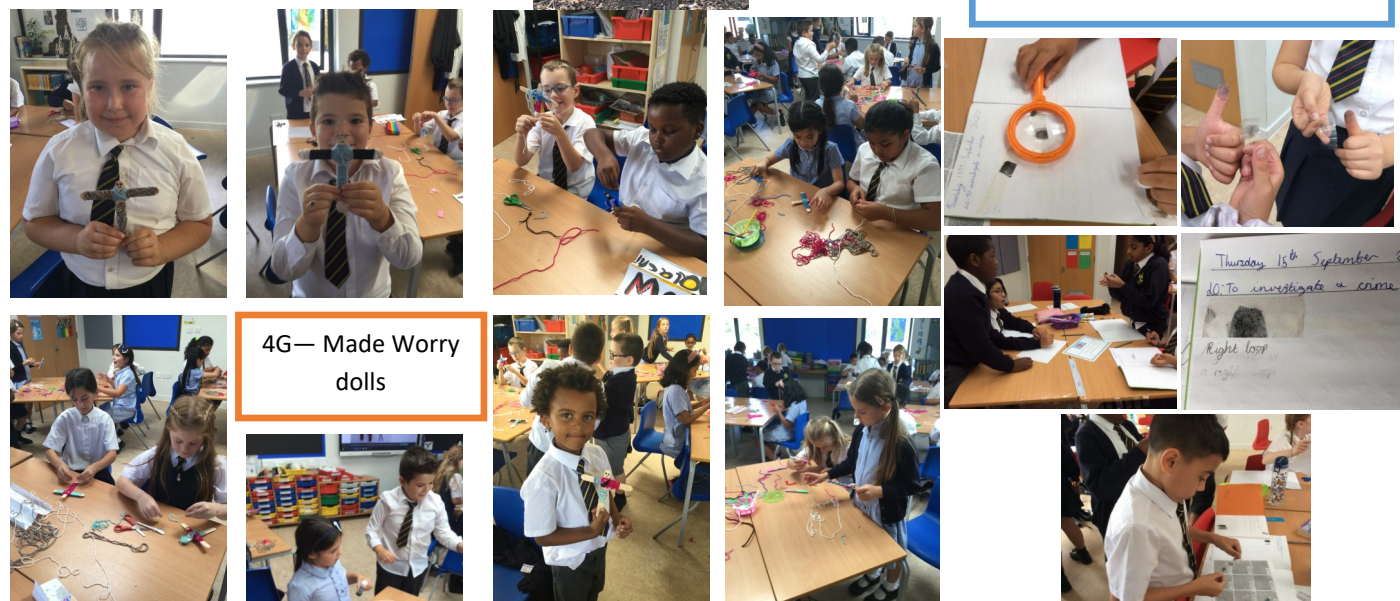




5WT built nests for a baby dragon before writing stories, which focused on description & in science they learnt about dissolving



Year 6 became Detectives



4G— Made Worry dolls

Year 6 having fun in the nature area





## STARS OF THE WEEK

1 Jellyfish	Frank Pinnington
1 Starfish	Jacob Rio Tinto
2 Oysters	Aiden Geci
2 Seahorses	Isabella Rudd Eli Paterson
3 Robins	Caolan Doherty
3 Seagulls	Tyatt Cole
4 Fountains	Elmeida Gashi
4 Gideon	Alex Sala
5 Rosa Parks	Alba Sorraj
5 Walter Tull	Ethan Aquino
6 St. Anthony	Keren Machado
6 St. Raphael	Blaise Cooke

## POSITIVE PLAY SUPERSTARS

Thea Hilsden  
Benjamin Santos Howell  
Alicja Moszcynska  
Evana Cijo  
Linnaea Cardew-Williams  
Josh Elliot

**St. David**  
**St. Patrick**  
**St. Andrew**  
**St. George**

## RE Topics – Domestic Church— Family

**Early Years – MYSELF** God knows and loves each one

**Year 1 – FAMILIES** God's love and care for every family

**Year 2 – BEGINNINGS** God at every beginning

**Year 3 – HOMES** God's dream for every family

**Year 4 – PEOPLE** The family of God in Scripture

**Year 5 – OURSELVES** Created in the image and likeness of God

**Year 6 – LOVING** God who never stops loving

### For safeguarding reasons-

Please do not have your child's name embroidered onto their uniform, coat or bag.



### STORM THE PIER FLASH MOB 25TH SEPTEMBER 2022!

Come and join Southend Choirs and the Come and Sing Company in a day of singing experiences supported by 99 by 19 – an initiative created by and for the young people of Southend, providing a bucket list of activities to do before the age of 19!

#### WHEN?

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> September 9:00am until 16:30pm

#### WHERE?

University of Essex Southend Campus, Gateway Building, Elmer Approach, SS1 1LW  
&  
SOUTHEND PIER!

#### WHAT?

Fun, games and singing together, culminating in an all singing all dancing Flashmob on the pier!

#### HOW?

To sign up or just to find out more please email  
[ellie@comeandsingcompany.co.uk](mailto:ellie@comeandsingcompany.co.uk)

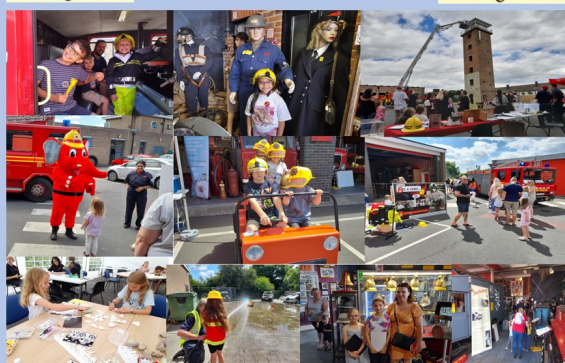
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**Essex Fire Museum Open Day**  
Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2022



Visits must be pre-booked via:  
[museum@essex-fire.gov.uk](mailto:museum@essex-fire.gov.uk)

Address: Essex Fire Museum, Grays Fire station,  
Hogg Lane, Grays, RM17 5QS

North Road, Westcliff On Sea, Essex, SS0 7AY

Tel: 01702 343823

Email: [office@st-helens.southend.sch.uk](mailto:office@st-helens.southend.sch.uk)

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