

ST. HELEN'S NEWS

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TRUST



17th May 2024 <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

4 Fountains

For your lovely assembly.
Thank you for sharing all your learning with the parents and children.

6 St. Anthony & 6 St. Raphael

For your positive attitude to your SATs tests.
Well done!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



Tuesday 21st May– Year 2 beach trip

Friday 24th May– Last day of term

HALF TERM

Monday 3rd June– Return to school

Monday 24th June– Class photographs

Tuesday 25th June– First Holy Communion

Mass 9.00 Parents/carers of children who have made their First Holy Communion welcome

Class Assembly

Dates

All start at

9.00 am

Parents/carers

welcome

4 Gideon

Thurs 23rd May

5 Walter Tull

Thurs 20th June

1 Starfish

Wed 26th June

6 St. Anthony

& 6 St. Raphael

Leavers Assembly

2 pm

Friday 12th July

Friday 24th May - 08.45

You are invited to pray the Rosary with your children by our Grotto. Please enter the school via the green gates. We look forward to seeing you all
Mrs Conyard



SPORTS DAYS

Thursday 13th June—KS1 (Y1 & 2) 09.30 -11.30 a.m

Friday 21st June-Lower KS2 (Y3 & 4) 09.30-11.30 a.m

Friday 21st June - Upper KS2 (Y5 & 6) 1.00p.m-3.00p.m

Tuesday 16th July -EYFS (Reception) - 2.15 p.m

Dear parents/carers

You are invited to a very special Mass on Tuesday 9th July at 11.00 a.m.

We will be celebrating Mrs Mouchel's many years of service at St Helen's.

After Mass you are invited to a whole school picnic from 12 p.m.
(More details to follow)

Congratulations to all our staff and pupils that completed the Race for Life on Sunday. They raised vital funds for Cancer Research UK.

There is still time to donate using the link below-

<https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/st-helens-catholic-primary-school>

We are aware that the cost of living increases are affecting many families within our school community.

Please do not feel that you have to contribute but if you would rather donate a little cash, there will be a sealed box in the school office for your donations.

Thank you.



3 Robins have enjoyed making rainforest animals out of clay this week. We will paint and complete them before half term!



RE WALLS



3 Robins retold the rainforest tale, 'The Great Kapok Tree'! It was an exciting production where the children fully immersed themselves as rainforest animals defending their habitat from people trying to harm it! Well done all of 3Robins!



1 Jellyfish-This week we have used our designs to make our own healthy vegetable pizzas. We have also released our butterflies that we have been looking after since they came into our classroom as tiny caterpillars 5 weeks ago – you can see how happy we all were!



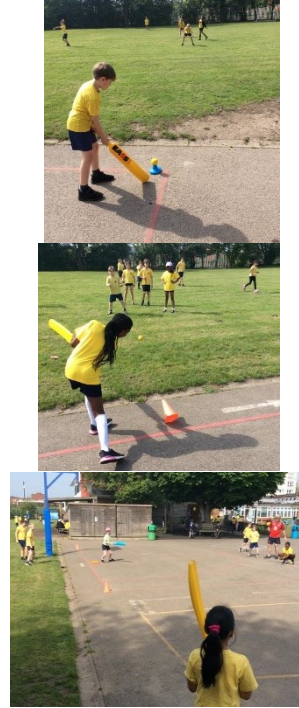
1 Starfish– Butterflies



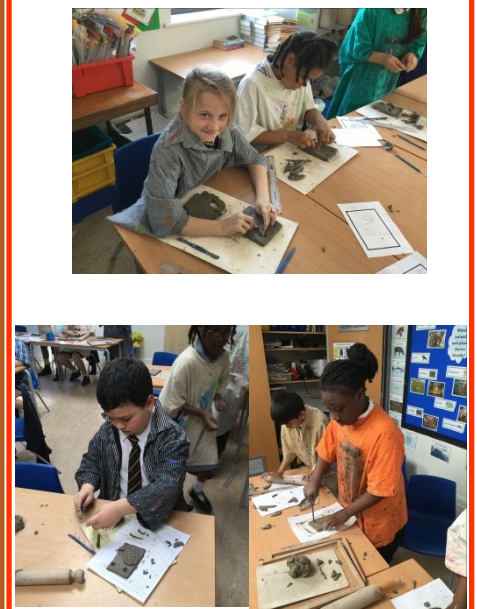
4Fountains– Assembly



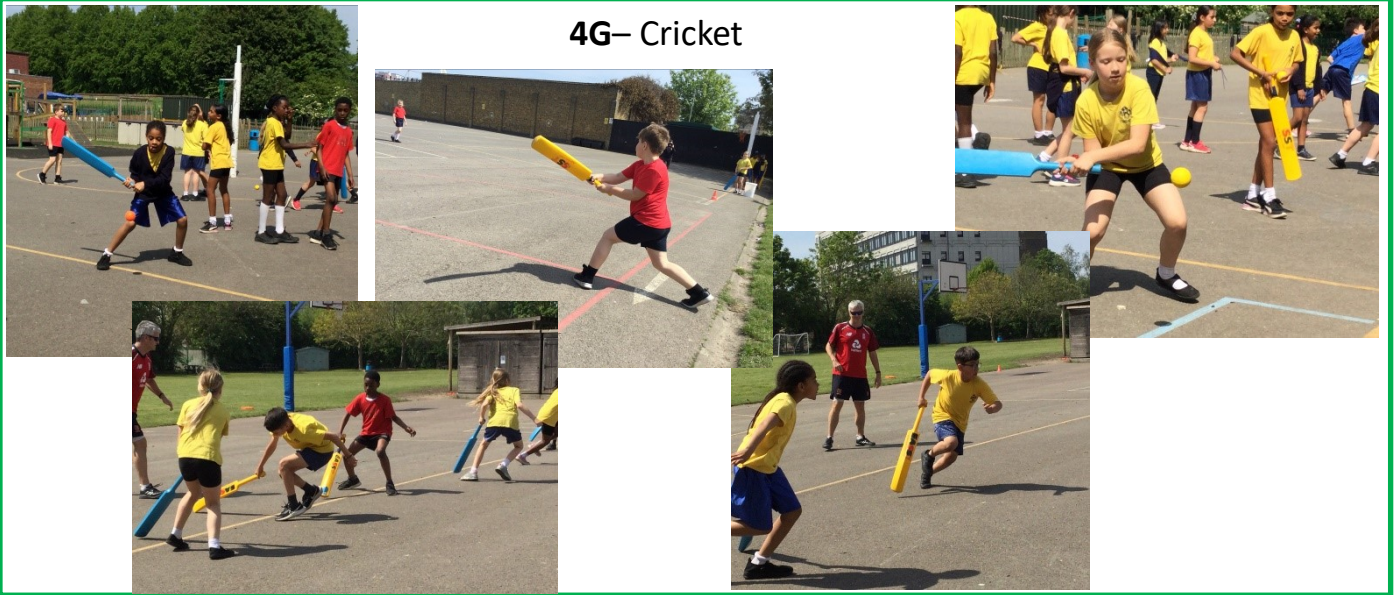
4Fountains– Cricket



4G-Benin plaque making



4G– Cricket



4G– Nature area



Well-being morning walks

After the success of the Lenten morning walks around our field, we have decided to restart early morning walks for any pupils who want to join in—a bit of fresh air and exercise can really help the children to be ready for their learning. And then on Fridays, we are inviting parents/carers to join us walking around our field with your child/ren from 08.30 to 08.40 - a well-being walk for everyone who wants to join in!

We will have information for you next week regarding our new uniform shop.



STARS OF THE WEEK

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| R Hedgehogs | Jess Stroia Heaven Grant |
| R Squirrels | Isabel Emil |
| 1 Jellyfish | Curtis Tudor Isaiah Reroma |
| 1 Starfish | Zara Okolie |
| 2 Seahorses | Jakob Lano Natan Maslowski |
| 2 Oysters | Logan Carvalho Leon Gawlik |
| 3 Robins | Errol Marienga Kekeli Glover |
| 3 Seagulls | Izarah Jittu Rosalie Crancher |
| 4 Fountains | Jenson Anderson Harper Carter-Green |
| 4 Gideon | Isobella Redding |
| 5 Rosa Parks | Derick Reroma |
| 5 Walter Tull | Ester Spaho Diona Sunil |
| 6 St. Anthony & 6 St.Raphael- | Both classes for their determination and resilience for their SATs |



POSITIVE PLAY SUPERSTARS

Johan Syriac EP
Emily Mae Strauss
Joseph Adebayoquadri
Chante Benneth
John Clark
Alex Sala
Sara Sritharan
Malik Kamanzi

St. David 529
St. Patrick 541
St. Andrew 337
St. George 737

Religious Education Directory

Our RE programme will encourage the children to know Jesus more clearly. Each half term the children will follow a programme of study called "A branch", completing 6 branches within the school year.

Branch 5- To the ends of the Earth

Reception classes-What makes our world so wonderful?

Year 1- How can we see the Holy Spirit?

Year 2- Who or what do you think the Holy Spirit is?

Year 3- How do the different parts of the Trinity show us ways to be together and help each other?

Year 4- How do we know we are truly following Jesus?

Year 5- How can you show the gifts of the Holy Spirit?

Year 6- How can our relationship with God be restored?

Please have a look on your child's class page
on our Website
for lots more great photographs and
curriculum/homework information!

Hedgehogs and Squirrels <https://st-helens.southend.sch.uk/Curriculum/classes/welcome-our-new-children>

Year 1 <https://st-helens.southend.sch.uk/Curriculum/classes/class-1>

Year 2 <https://st-helens.southend.sch.uk/Curriculum/classes/welcome-class-2>

Year 3 <https://st-helens.southend.sch.uk/Curriculum/classes/welcome-class-3>

Year 4 <https://st-helens.southend.sch.uk/Curriculum/classes/welcome-class-4>

Year 5 <https://st-helens.southend.sch.uk/Curriculum/classes/welcome-class-5>

Year 6 <https://st-helens.southend.sch.uk/Curriculum/classes/welcome-class-6>

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