

ST. HELEN'S BULLETIN



25th January 2025



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 29th January-Reception classes-Stay & Play-
2.30pm-All parents/carers welcome.

W/C Monday 10th February-Learning Conferences-

See below for details. Don't forget to book!

Friday 14th February-Last day of term

Monday 17th February-Friday 21st February-Half Term

Monday 24th February-Return to school

Class Assembly Dates

all start at

9.00 am

Parents/carers

welcome

5 Rosa Parks

30th January

4 Gideon

6th February

Year 3

28th February

St David's Day

2 Oysters

13th March

Year 6

17th March

St Patrick's Day

2 Seahorses

21st March

5 Walter Tull

8th May

1 Starfish

22nd May

1 Jellyfish

5th June

Year 6 Leavers mass

22nd July

Dates may be subject to change

GIVE IT A GO!

U9/U11 Girls of Southend!

Come down for a fabulous cricket bonanza tailored just for girls! Great for newbies, these sessions will serve up a smashing dose of cricket fun in a lively setting.

Best part? It's FREE!

**EVERY FRIDAY FROM 24TH OF JAN TO 4TH APRIL (EXCLUDES 21ST FEB)
5:30PM TO 6:30PM**

**SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS
SS2 4UZ**

To book contact:
claire.hendry@essexcricket.org.uk



GIRLS AND WOMEN'S CRICKET SESSIONS

**U13-U15 GIRLS AND WOMEN
FRIDAYS 24TH JAN - 4TH APRIL
(EXCLUDES 21ST FEBRUARY)**

6:30PM - 7:30PM

SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, SS2 4UZ

Join the whirlwind of Essex's fastest-growing sport for women!

No prior experience or fancy gear required—just bring your enthusiasm!

We play with soft balls, so no worries about getting knocked out!

Grab a buddy and dive in—every fitness level is welcome!



St. David 1704
St. Patrick 1573
St. Andrew 2689
St. George 1797

Please do not let your child/ren bring cash in to school. If your child/ren need to bring in money for anything except snack money, then please bring it into the office. If they want to bring cash for the snack trolley, please bring the correct change -max £1.00.

Thank you.

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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

LEARNING CONFERENCES

BOOKINGS OPEN—BOOKINGS WILL CLOSE ON FRIDAY 7TH FEBRUARY AT 9.00 AM

Dear Parents / Carers,

Learning Conferences MONDAY 10TH FEBRUARY 2025 – THURSDAY 13TH FEBRUARY 2025

Online Appointment Booking

All appointments will be in person at school.

Monday 10th February **Years 1 & 6 in the hall**

Times: 1.45 – 3.05 3.45 – 4.55

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Tuesday 11th February **Year 5 in the hall**

Times: 1.45 – 3.05 3.45 – 4.55

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Wednesday 12th February **Years 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6**

1/2 in class, 3/4 in the hall, 5/6 in the studio

Times: 3.45 – 4.55 5.45 – 7.05

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Thursday 13th February **Years 2, 3 & 4 in the hall**

Times: 1.45 – 3.05 3.45 – 4.55

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I would like to invite you to attend our Learning Conferences. This is an important event and provides you with an opportunity to discuss your child's progress.

The school has introduced an easy to use online appointment booking system. This allows you to choose your own appointment times with teachers and you will receive an email confirming your appointments.

Appointments can be made from Thursday 23rd January 6.00 pm, and will close on Friday 7th February, 9.00 am, this gives everyone a fair opportunity to book.

Please visit <https://sthelenscatholicprimary.schoolcloud.co.uk/> to book your appointments. Login with the information requested: – parents first name, surname and email address, child's first name (preferred name), surname, date of birth.

If you do not have access to the internet, please contact Mrs Sears who will be happy to add appointments on your behalf. Please note we cannot make individual appointments for you at a later date if you do not book an appointment for Learning Conference week.

Yours sincerely

Miss L Keeble
Head Teacher

THERE ARE NO SPORTS OR CHOIR CLUB
DURING LEARNING CONFERENCES WEEK
£4 / £8 AFTER SCHOOL CLUB WILL BE ON AS USUAL

Values Children



- R Hedgehogs **Katie Mukamolas-Service** - for really working hard this week, tidying up and helping others without being asked.
- R Squirrels **Ida Wilk-Trustworthiness**— for always making the right choices
- 1 Jellyfish **Adele Stean - Empathy** - for her kindness to a friend who needed a hug.
- 1 Starfish **Galataeia Parastatidou— Service**—for being instrumental in helping her classmates achieve in their Art and Design challenge. She gave clear instructions and helped to clean stencils in between use whilst also ensuring the paint trays were refilled.
- 2 Seahorses **Ola Komolafe-Enjoyment**— for working incredibly hard this week and for really enjoying our lessons, especially maths and DT.
- 2 Oysters **Krishna Conception-Enjoyment**— for giving an excellent answer in her grammar lesson and always working hard.
- 3 Robins **Vivienne Clark-Adbullah-Enjoyment**-Vivienne's enjoyment for learning shines through in all aspects of school life.
- 3 Seagulls **Jermaine Anike-Resilience**- he focussed really well while doing a piece of Greek art work, when art work is something he does not always enjoy.
- 4 Fountains **Leo Parthiepan-Courage**—for showing exceptional courage by stepping up as a positive role model in the classroom. He has made a tremendous effort to actively show he is listening and has also been encouraging teamwork by supporting others to stay on task.
- 4 Gideon **Eshter Adenodi-Trustworthiness**-she has been working so hard to finish all her work. In Geography she has completed her work on 'settlements' to a high standard with excellent presentation.
- 5 Rosa Parks **Tomas De Sousa-Service**—at the end of every day, without being asked to, he hands out the water bottles to children who have left them in the box which is a great help to the class.
- 5 Walter Tull **John Clark-Patience**—for taking time in PE to practice the racket skills and the shuttle hit, he stayed calm and kept trying until he improved.
- 6 St. Anthony **Luqman Mirza-Enjoyment**- Whilst at Tommy Mores, Luqman was completely involved in dissecting a sheep's eye. He loved every aspect of the learning, keen to answer and question the secondary school teacher.
- 6 St.Raphael **Letticia Sibanda-Courage**- Letticia started the year being afraid to ask for and accept help with her learning, especially with her maths. She is so much braver now and as a result, has grown in confidence and is progressing superbly. Very proud.
- SLT award **Cynthia Slotwinska-Resilience**
- Head Teacher award **Ben Ojo-Enjoyment**
- MDA's award **Jess Stroia-1S-Service**—for picking litter up and always being helpful.
- MDA's award **Eva Ryan-Service**—for helping the Reception children.