

ST. HELEN'S NEWS

9th October 2020

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CATHOLIC
TRUST



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

URGENT - Reminder

Applications for **Reception class of September 2021** are now being accepted.

If you have selected our school as one of your choices and are applying under one of the faith criteria you must complete and return our Supplementary Information Form and supporting paperwork by **January 15th 2021**. Please see our website for full details.

You must also complete and submit Southend Borough Council's application form (online) by their cut-off date – **15th January 2021**.

Hands
Hugs
Face



OUTDOOR CLASSROOM DAY

On 5 November it is Outdoor Classroom Day. We have wonderful activities planned in school and wondered if you could assist. On this day, could your children bring in one item from nature - twig, leaf, conker, flower, acorn- nature is in your hands! Their classroom teacher will use this during the day. Thank you.

Space



2 Oysters enjoying the nature area



Senior Leaders
Special Mentions

Year 6

Thank you for all your help in sorting out the nature area.



Year 6 worked hard in the nature area, painting the fences and preparing the pond area for more bark. Finally a reward of smores!



Stars of the Week

1 Jellyfish	Julius Metyko
1 Starfish	Benjamin Santos Howell
2 Seahorses	Jessica Alpato-King
2 Oysters	Alicja Moszczynska
3C	Hannah Stean
3GC	Kacper Nawrocki
4F	Harrison Lee
4G	Reanne Walulya
5A	Ellie-May Green
5H	Tobenna Okoroafor
6	Salvatore Burzotta

Congratulations to you all!

POSITIVE PLAY SUPERSTARS

Rui Gregorio
Gifty Sarpong
Reanne Walulya
Benjamin Felinski

RE Topics – Domestic Church

Early Years – WELCOME Baptism; a welcome to God's family
Year 1 – BELONGING Baptism an invitation to belong to God's family
Year 2 – SIGNS & SYMBOLS Signs and symbols in Baptism
Year 3 – PROMISES Promises made at Baptism
Year 4 – CALLED Confirmation: a call to witness
Year 5 – LIFE CHOICES Marriage commitment and service
Year 6 – VOCATION & COMMITMENT The vocation of priesthood and religious life

OCTOBER EVENTS 2020

Wednesday, 14th October 1 Jellyfish Nature Area Day – wear suitable clothes to school ** 3C Beach Trip
 Monday, 19th October Flu immunisations
 Tuesday, 20th October Individual photos— please see email sent about pre-registering for photographs
 Wednesday, 21st October 3C Nature Area Day—please wear suitable clothes to school
HALF TERM MONDAY 26TH OCTOBER – FRIDAY 30TH OCTOBER
Back to school Monday, 2nd November

SHOEBOXES PLEASE

Year 6 would be very grateful for donations of shoe boxes to be able to complete their museum in a shoebox.



HARP'S HARVEST COLLECTION

Thank you all so much for your kind donations. We are still collecting if you would like to donate any items. The last day will be 16th October.

Have you registered for your child's photograph at school. Please go to www.carmelijaneshop.co.uk and enter the following code: **JRSKBNZ**

Year 6 spent the afternoon studying fingerprints. They also looked at handwriting and fake signatures! Year 6 proved themselves to be adept detectives.



Seahorses have been creating pictures after looking at Roy Lichtenstein and his Ben Day Dot technique.



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