

# Newsletter

## THIS WEEK W/C 11<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2026

We would like to wish all of our Year 6 pupils the very best of luck as they complete their SATs this week. We are incredibly proud of all their hard work and determination.

Class 1 are looking forward to taking part in the Oracy Project with Live the Beat, where they will work with visitors from different generations to develop their speaking and listening skills.

On Thursday selected children from Class 3 will represent the school at a cricket festival. Good luck to everyone taking part!

## NEWS

### Live the Beat

As part of our exciting work with Live the Beat, we are looking for older friends and family members to join a fun intergenerational session to help support the speaking and listening skills of our Class 1 children.

The session will take place in school on **Tuesday 12th May at 1:20pm** and will last for approximately one hour. If a member of your family or a family friend would like to attend, please advise them to arrive at school at 1.15pm tomorrow (Tuesday).

## WHAT'S COMING UP?

### May:

- 11<sup>th</sup> - Y6 SATs week
- 14<sup>th</sup> - Y3/4 Cricket (selected pupils)
- 20<sup>th</sup> - Homework Sharing
- 20<sup>th</sup> - Sports Day at 1.30pm
- 21<sup>st</sup> - PTFA Break the Rules Day (TBC)
- 21<sup>st</sup> - Class 4 Cricket Festival (cancelled)
- 21<sup>st</sup> - School closes for May half-term at 3.15pm
- 22<sup>nd</sup> - INSET Day

### June:

- 1<sup>st</sup> - School re-opens
- 10<sup>th</sup> - Class and Year 6 photos
- 19<sup>th</sup> - Games and Reading morning at 9am (TBC)
- 19<sup>th</sup> - Key Strings
- W/C 22<sup>nd</sup> - Class 4 Bikeability (info to follow)
- 26<sup>th</sup> - PTFA Camping Night

### July:

- 20<sup>th</sup> - Y6 Leavers' Service in Church
- 21<sup>st</sup> - School closes for Summer



## FRIENDLY REMINDERS

### Car Park/Pathways

A polite reminder to all families to please avoid walking through the school car park when arriving at or leaving school. For everyone's safety, we kindly ask that you follow the designated red pathway and keep your children with you at all times.

Thank you for your understanding and support in helping us keep everyone safe.

### Homework Sharing

We are looking forward to sharing homework with each other next Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> May.

### PE Kits & Footwear

Please could you kindly ensure that your child has their PE kit in school at all times and that they have a suitable sports trainers or pumps. These will be sent home with your child for washing at half-term

## LAST WEEK

Last Friday was a very busy day in school as we welcomed volunteers from United Utilities, who worked hard to resurface our running track and replace the bark in our play areas. A huge thank you to United Utilities for funding and supporting this fantastic project – the children are already enjoying the improvements!

On Friday afternoon, the whole school also took part in a special live assembly to celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> birthday of Sir David Attenborough. The children enjoyed learning more about his incredible work and his passion for protecting our planet.

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## PTFA NEWS



### EasyFundraising

Shop with over 8,000 retailers via [#easyfundraising](#) and earn a free donation for Norley CE Primary School Parents Teachers and Friends Association at the same time. All the big names like eBay, Argos, John Lewis & Partners, Etsy, Tesco and Just Eat are ready to donate. It won't cost you anything extra! Please sign up today!

## ATTENDANCE

### Last Week's Attendance:

**Whole School:** 97.06%

**Class 1:** 98.1%

**Class 2:** 98.7%

**Class 3:** 92.2%

**Class 4:** 100%

### Unauthorised Leave of Absence

Children should attend school every day during term time. Holidays are not authorised and may lead to fines.

Please note: 10 sessions (5 days) of unauthorised absence within a 10-week period can result in a penalty notice in line with Department for Education guidance.

## SHINING THROUGH OUR SCHOOL VISION



*Be the Light*



## CHRISTIAN DISTINCTIVENESS

### Christian Value

The Christian Value we are working on this half-term is Trust.

*"Do not be anxious about anything... and the peace of God... will guard your hearts and your minds." – Philippians 4:6-7*



### Prayers

We pray for our Year 6 children as they complete their SATs this week. Give them calm minds, confidence in their abilities and the strength to do their very best. Help them to remember how hard they have worked and to feel proud of all they have achieved. Amen.