

Welcome to our June Journal! Wow, what a whirlwind of a month it has been. If you feel like June absolutely flew by in a blur of sunshine and excitement, you aren't alone—we have been non-stop from day one!

Alongside a week of intense summer heat (where we were all very thankful for our air-conditioned classrooms!), the school has been buzzing with activity. From brain-busting logic puzzles at the Stockport Grammar Maths Challenge—where we took home first place!—to hands-on STEM experiments, our pupils' brains have had quite the workout.

We also enjoyed a super Careers Day, our vibrant Cultural Marketplace, and the high-energy fun of Sports Day. To top it all off, Year 6 kicked off their residential with an action-packed trip to Chill Factore and Dino Falls Adventure Golf—and that is just scratching the surface!

As ever, please contact [schooladmin@calegreen.stockport.sch.uk](mailto:schooladmin@calegreen.stockport.sch.uk) with any suggestions or queries. Mrs McHugh

### The Cale Green Challenge

Well done to Edie, Alice, Flo, Mabel P, Harry H and Reuben IT who have completed Challenge 1 (Kinky) and Edie, Macy, Reuben IT, Flo and Mabel P - Challenge 2 (Cohen). Challenge 3 (Impy) has been completed by Edie, Flo and Mabel P. And Elliot C Challenge 4 (Asha) They will receive their badges on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July.

I wonder who will be next in July?

### Stockport Grammar year 5 Maths Challenge



Huge congratulations to our brilliant Year 5 team for securing a first-place victory at the Stockport Grammar Maths Challenge!

Competing against talented mathematicians from 14 different schools, our four boys tackled a gruelling series of logic puzzles and rapid-fire arithmetic rounds. They showed incredible teamwork, sharp strategy, and calm under pressure, outperforming every other school to lift the trophy. We are really proud of their determination and mathematical skill. Well done, champions!

### School Uniform



Our next Pre-loved Uniform sale will be on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July at 8.30am and at 3pm. We have lots of uniform, shoes, coats and bags for sale. All items are 50p.

**WE ARE GOING TO SET THE STALL UP IN THE NEST!**

### Gold Star Awards



Well done to **Ethan B, Amelia-Mae and Scarlett** who gained their 50 Stars and achieved the Gold Award. They chose a book prize and were awarded it during a Family Assembly in June. Well done Ethan, Amelia-Mae and Scarlett!

### Acorn Fund



A reminder that we have lots of friends and families of Cale Green who have very kindly donated sums of money to our Acorn Fund. If your family needs some financial support please do contact school.

### Attendance Matters

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| 1 <sup>st</sup> place | Maple Class | 98.2% |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> place | Hazel Class | 97.1% |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> place | Birch Class | 95.6% |

Congratulations to Maple class who win an EXTRA playtime for having the best attendance in June!

And well done to Birch class who had the least amount of lates! (1 minute for the whole class!)

**Hold the date... School starts back**

**Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2026**

## PE and Swimming Days

We will always try to keep the same PE kit days for at least half a term but there will always be odd changes to the timetable that are late notice and / or unavoidable but we will always try to alert families via email about these. **The most up to date PE / swimming days can be found on the school website.**

**Beech and Birch** will have PE on Friday.

**Cherry, Chestnut and Cedar** will have PE on Tuesday and Friday.

**Hawthorn, Hazel and Holly** will have PE on Monday and Thursday.

**Magnolia, Maple and Mulberry** will have PE on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday.

### PE Kit

- black shorts, leggings, skort, tracksuit bottoms or jogging pants (PLAIN)
- white t-shirt (school logo or PLAIN)
- black or white t-shirt (PLAIN) for children in Mulberry, Maple and Magnolia

### Extra Swimming Sessions:

A number of children in KS2 will be chosen to take part in additional swimming sessions during the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of the summer term, based on ability. Parents / Carers will be contacted individually about this.

### New Additions to the Cale Green Family



Mrs Sajid welcomed Kiyaan to the world on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June. Congratulations to Mrs Sajid and her husband, Asad. Mum and Kiyaan are doing really well and we can't wait to see him!



For the third month running, Magnolia class walked, scooted or cycled to school the most during the month of June and won the WOW mascot and won an extra playtime. Don't forget children can still get a badge if they 'Park and Stride' to school.

### STEM with Cheadle Hulme School



Our Year 5 pupils recently took part in an exciting, hands-on STEM activity at school, collaborating with Sixth Formers from Cheadle Hulme School. The visiting students brought fantastic energy, guiding our children through inspiring science and engineering challenges. Our Year 5s showed brilliant curiosity and teamwork as they tackled the practical experiments. We are very grateful to the Cheadle Hulme team for inspiring our next generation of scientists!

### Dates for your Diary:

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|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July</b>  | <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Day of the Y6 Residential</b>  |
| <b>Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July</b>   | <b>Year 6 High School visits</b>                 |
|                                       | <b>Transition session 1 (rest of the school)</b> |
| <b>Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July</b>     | <b>Birch Class assembly 9.05am</b>               |
|                                       | <b>PSHE / RSHE Parent Workshop 10.15am</b>       |
| <b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> July</b>     | <b>Freddy Fit</b>                                |
|                                       | <b>Stockport Children's Book Awards</b>          |
| <b>Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> July</b>    | <b>Transition session 2</b>                      |
|                                       | <b>Children's reports out to families</b>        |
| <b>Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July</b>  | <b>Parents' Open Evening: 3.30 – 6pm</b>         |
| <b>Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> July</b>   | <b>UKS2 Lacrosse Tournament 3 – 5pm</b>          |
| <b>Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July</b>    | <b>Transition session 3</b>                      |
| <b>Monday 13<sup>th</sup> July</b>    | <b>Drum Workshops</b>                            |
|                                       | <b>New Birch class 'Stay and Play' 3.30pm</b>    |
| <b>Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July</b>   | <b>Drum Workshops</b>                            |
|                                       | <b>New Beech class 'Stay and Play' 3.30pm</b>    |
| <b>Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July</b> | <b>UKS2 Summer Show 1.45pm</b>                   |
| <b>Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July</b>  | <b>UKS2 Summer Show 6pm</b>                      |
| <b>Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July</b>    | <b>Transition session 4</b>                      |
| <b>Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July</b>    | <b>New Nursery 'Stay and Play' 3.30pm</b>        |
|                                       | <b>Year 6 Leavers' Party 6pm – 8pm</b>           |
| <b>Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July</b>   | <b>New Nursery 'Stay and Play' 3.30pm</b>        |
|                                       | <b>Shakespeare Festival – Lowry Theatre</b>      |
| <b>Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July</b> | <b>Y6 Leavers' Assembly / Presentation am</b>    |
| <b>Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> July</b>  | <b>Last Assembly of the Year – 9.15am</b>        |
|                                       | <b>Last day of term – school closes 3.15pm</b>   |



### Sports Day 2026



Our sports day was a fantastic success! We held two exciting sessions: one for children in Reception and Key Stage 1 and another for Key Stage 2. The children showed incredible resilience, determination, and, most importantly, had lots of fun!

A huge thank you to the cricket club for hosting, to our Year 6 who supervised during the morning and to all the parents for their support walking over with the classes.

The weather was perfect – warm but dry. Congratulations to everyone who took part.

### Careers Day



*Throughout the morning, everyone had a brilliant time guessing our teachers' and teaching assistants' previous and dream jobs. Who knew Mrs McHugh used to work in a fishmonger? The inspiration continued into the afternoon for our KS2, and we owe a big thank you to the parents who shared their careers with us. We enjoyed a fantastic variety of talks from practice, cardiac, and registered nurses, musicians, a psychology lecturer/neurodiversity researcher, and an environmental sustainability manager from the University of Manchester. It was a truly memorable day that opened our pupils' eyes to endless exciting possibilities for the future!*

### Super Summer Fair



A big thank you to everyone who supported our Summer Fair this year, helping us to raise an amazing £3,493 for our school funds! Thank you to our FROCGs (PTA) and the staff for organising such a fun, community day!

### A Cultural Market Place



Our school community came together for a spectacular, vibrant Cultural Market Place Day, celebrating the rich tapestry of cultures, heritages and religions that make up our unique school family. This incredible event was a true team effort, proudly planned and organised by our 12 fantastic Young Interpreters in collaboration with Stockport's Ethnic Diversity Service. The school was transformed into a sea of colour as children and staff arrived wearing outfits that proudly represented their own heritage.

Throughout the day, the children were treated to a global journey without ever leaving the school, thanks to an amazing group of guest speakers. We extend our heartfelt thanks to Maria (Romanian culture), Ushma (Indian culture), Emiko (Japanese culture), Jane (Taiwanese culture), Alla (Hong Kong culture), and Zari (Persian culture) for leading such engaging, interactive sessions and sharing their beautiful traditions. As well as thanking Omar, Amani and Aisha's mum and Zarwa and Safwan's mum who also presented about their home countries of Lebanon and Pakistan.

### Summer Concert



Our Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 merged together to perform in their last concert of the year on one of the hottest days of the year! As ever, they were absolutely fabulous. They're such an asset to our school! Thank you to the staff who give up their time to run them both: Mrs Powell-Gill, Mrs Walsh, Mrs Lewis, Mrs Ross and Mrs Buckley.