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Friday 27th JUNE 24

Dear Parents, Carers and Pupils, Summer Fair

Thank you to everyone who has donated gifts, bottles, cakes and chocolate today in exchange for non-uniform, your support is greatly appreciated. I would like to thank all members of the PTA for their dedication and drive, their tireless efforts are greatly appreciated and important to supporting school with ever increasing tight budgets. Please bring your families along to support the annual Summer Fair tomorrow. This year we have many exciting attractions and it should be a fun day. Let's pray for good weather! Gates will open from 11.30am till 4pm. Please visit the PTA website for pre-ordered wrist bands at £7. Price on the day will be £8.50 [Friends of St Gregory's](#)

MOVING UP DAY

On Wednesday the children in school will meet their new teachers and teaching assistants who they will be working with next year. The staff have planned some exciting activities and events thus allowing them to get to know the children a little better before September. At St Gregory's we are blessed with many excellent teachers and many outstanding support staff who give 100% each week in enabling all children to maximize their potential. Plans for the curriculum at St Gregory's are always evolving and the children can look forward to an exciting start in September. Year 2 parents will need to drop off and pick up on the junior playground.

YEAR 6 HIGH SCHOOL INDUCTION DAY

The Induction Day for all year 6 children is also on **Wednesday 3rd July** for all High schools. The children will make their own way to high school and also be picked up or make their own way home at the end of the day.

SCHOOL TRIPS

Over the last few weeks the children have experienced many school trips and I had the pleasure of going to Chester with year 3 to visit the Roman Dewa Museum. I have to say it is one of my favourite trips and Marching through the center of Chester as Roman Soldiers is quite funny to see and entertaining for the public too! Thank you to all parents who make this possible with your financial support.

ASSESSMENTS

All summer term assessments were carried out over the last few weeks and all children's grades for attainment and progress will be on their annual reports. Phonics screening scores in year 1, multiplication scores in year 4 and year 6 SATs results will also be part of the children's annual reports.

Opening Times

It has been brought to our attention by members of the public that they cannot get past in the morning due to adults waiting with their children and blocking the pavement! In order to keep the peace and be respectful can I ask that parents try to stand to one side. School will also try to reduce the congestion at the main gates by opening the gate adjacent to St Gregory's place in the mornings. This will start on Monday 1st July. There will be two members of staff on the junior playground each morning to ensure all children enter the building safely.

Finally, I am asking that all children push their bikes and scooters in and out of the school grounds. Please talk to your children and make sure we all reinforce the same message. Thank you for your support!

Please take your time to look over the new website and let me know your thoughts.

<https://stgregoryschorley.co.uk/>

DIARY DATES

Wed 3rd Jul: Y6 Induction Day for High Schools.

Wed 3rd Jul: Moving up Day, children will meet their new teachers and support staff.

Fri 5th Jul: Year 6 Retreat Day at St Joseph's Chorley

Mon 8th Jul: Woodwind Concert for parents whose children have woodwind lessons.

Tue 9th Jul: Y2 trip to Anderton Centre.

Tue 9th Jul: Y6 SATS results are returned to schools.

Wed 10th Jul: Keyboard concert for parents whose children have keyboard lessons.

Thurs 11th Jul: Y6 Leavers Play at 6pm.

Fri 12th Jul: End of year Mass 9.30 at church- changed due to Fr Graeme not being available.

Fri 12th Jul: Annual reports to come home.

Mon 15th Jul: Year 6 trip to Malham.

Wed 17th Jul: KAPLA day.

Thurs 18th Jul: KAPLA Day 2.

Thurs 18th Jul: Y5 & Y6 Orienteering competition at Astley Park.

Fri 19th July: Break up for summer holiday.

ATTENDANCE OF THE WEEK!

Class	Pupils	Attendance	Authorised Sessions	Unauthorised Sessions	Lates	Ranking
Reception	24	94.91%	1	13	3	6
1	30	96.06%	10	3	4	5
2	30	97.27%	7	2	1	2
3	29	98.12%	5	1	2	1
4	31	96.77%	7	4	0	3
5	28	96.43%	6	5	2	4
6	32	92.05%	18	10	2	7

*1 day off is equivalent to two sessions.

May 200 club Winners are:

£50 Indy Burke-Moulson

£30 Norman Cox

£20 Liam Golder

Renewals for the 200 club and invitations to join will also be sent out next week.....You have to be in to win!

Have a good weekend and hopefully I see most of you tomorrow?

Best wishes,

Mr D Darbyshire,

Head teacher

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