



ST. GEORGE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

At St George's, God calls us by name to love,
learn and achieve together, safe in the palm of His hands.

'I have called you by your name; you are mine' / Isaiah 43

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To our wonderful community,

Borough Sports Group 4 Champions 2024!

On Tuesday, our Athletics team went to Garons to take part in the annual Borough Sports. No words could describe the METEORIC performance of every single athlete. Each team member gave it their all, performing beyond their own personal best. They also supported one another by celebrating the team's achievements and the points earned. Thank you to all the children who represented our school, all the staff who supported them and our wonderful spectators who cheered every performance. Special thanks to Mr Fitzpatrick (and team!) for putting the gazebos up – ready for rain, sun or a mixture of both!

I'm pleased to say that the **track team were awarded 1st place**

the **field team were awarded 1st place**

and we came 1st overall

We also celebrated individual success.



28 Gold Medallists

Year 3 Girls Ball throw ~ Pippa, Year 4 Boys Long jump ~ Damian

Year 5 Girls 600m ~ Beatrice, Year 5 Boys Long jump ~ Harry H.

Year 5 Boys Long jump ~ Lyla, Year 5 Girls Ball throw ~ Lily

Year 6 Boys Long jump ~ David, Year 6 Girls Ball throw ~ Olivia

Year 3 Girls Relay team ~ Abigail, Lauren, Sophie & Sophia

Year 4 Boys Relay team ~ Ronnie W., Freddie, Folami & Albie

Year 5 Girls Relay team ~ Ruva, Lily, Lyla & Beatrice

Year 5 Boys Relay Team ~ Harry S., Elijah, George & Henry

Year 6 Boys Relay team ~ George, Oscar, Jack & David



10 Silver Medallists

Year 3 Girls 400m ~ Abigail, Year 3 Boys Javelin ~ Vinnie, Year 4 Boys 400m ~ Albie
Year 4 Girls Javelin ~ Sienna, Year 5 Boys 80m ~ Henry, Year 5 Girls 80m ~ Ruva
Year 5 Boys Javelin ~ Harry S., Year 6 Boys 80m ~ Oscar, Year 6 600m ~ Jack
Year 6 Boys Shotput ~ George

18 Bronze medallists

Year 3 Girls Sprint ~ Sophia, Year 3 Boys 400m ~ Toby, Year 3 Girls Long jump ~ Sophie,
Year 3 Girls Javelin ~ Lauren, Year 4 Girls Long Jump ~ Charlotte,
Year 4 Girls Ball Throw ~ Meredith Year 5 Boys Ball throw ~ Jake,
Year 5 Girls Javelin ~ Imogen, Year 5 Boys Shotput ~ George
Year 6 Girls Long jump ~ Otilie
Year 4 Girls Relay ~ Nancy, Pati, Merrie & Elise
Year 6 Girls Relay ~ Isabelle, Julia, Otilie & Olivia

The following children also played a key part in our overall placing. Even though they did not receive a medal, they gained valuable points!

Ryan, Teddy, Lex, Toby, Alex, Fiachra, Elise, Chloe, Jude, Albert, Kamila, Evie, Heidi, Sam C., Chelsea, Edison, Albey and Afsa.

The children who received a gold or silver medal in a track race (including the relays) will be invited to the SuperSports track event on TUESDAY 25th JULY , where they will compete against the top 2 athletes from each of the four groups. The children who received a gold, silver or bronze in a field discipline will be invited to the Supersports field event on WEDNESDAY 26th JULY, competing against the top three athletes across each group.

We will have 46 participants over the two days – a record number!

I look forward to bringing you the results from this highly competitive event.

If your child has enjoyed the sports so far this term, and would like to keep their fitness up, there is a regular Park Run for children in Great Wakering. More information can be found by clicking on the link below.

<https://www.parkrun.org.uk/greatwakeringrec-juniors/>

Junior Music Festival



Our fabulous choir performed yesterday evening at the Cliffs Pavilion, as part of the Junior Music festival. It was a wonderful evening and as our children were right at the front, we saw how much they enjoyed the performance. A BIG thank you to Mrs McLoughlin for all her time and effort

in preparing the children for this wonderful showcase. Our superstar performers were:

Aviya, Ruby, Katie, Megan, Ezinne, Addilyn, Sophia, Jazmin, Abigail, Sophie, Nathan, Elise, Chloe, Henry C, Beatrice, Sarah-Jane, Harry H, Ruva, Amelie, Max, Elijah, Harry S., Katarina, Imogen, Blossom, Padmé, Emily, Otilie and Chelsea.

St Georges Parish Summer Fayre - Saturday 15th June

St George's Parish Summer Fayre is tomorrow at St Gregory's Church Grounds, The Broadway, Thorpe Bay from 12 Noon. We are looking forward to seeing you all there!

There will be a BBQ, bottle tombola, sangria & refreshments, cake stall, Waymans Ice Cream van and of course, Mrs Fitchew's Famous Sweet Stall. We have a children's games area, coconut shy, face painting & lots more. There are many fabulous prizes in our Grand Draw. If you have any counterfoils or left over tickets from at home, please can you return them, with the money, to the Fayre, on the Day - 'You got to be In it to win It'

Celebration Day ~ Thursday 20th June 2024

We can't wait for next week's big event, Celebration Day. I have put the order of events at the end of the newsletter, just in case you need to check timings. We welcome all family members to the morning event and the picnic, the more the merrier! For the KS1 music performance, we suggest that just parents (and any younger siblings) come in to the hall, due to having all three infant classes together. For years 3, 4, 5 and 6, parents will be invited in for their child's year group and when the classes change, families can then leave. There will be significantly less people in the hall for the juniors, as it will only be one class at a time, so everyone is welcome to watch.

Dates for June

Monday 17 th June	Class photos
Tuesday 18 th June	Meeting for year 5 parents and children @2.30pm with St Bernard's/St Thomas More
Wednesday 19 th June	KS2 Assisi Sports at St Thomas More 9.30am - 12pm
Thursday 20 th June	Celebration Day
Friday 21st June & Monday 24th June INSET DAYS ~ SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS	
Thursday 27 th June	Year 6 Leavers Assembly @ 2.30pm Key Stage 1 Assisi Sports @ St Teresa's, Rochford
Friday 28 th June	Non-uniform day for the Summer Fayre If your child would like to participate and wear their own clothes, we ask for a donation of: Sweets (individually packed/bag of/family share pack etc) ~ Reception, Year 1 & Year 2

Reading Awards

Lots of awards this week! We will start with our SUPER readers who have reached 250 reads!

Well done to: **Darcie & Isla** (St Therese), **Eva** (St Elizabeth), **Aviya** (St Bernadette),
Charlotte (St Joseph), **Vince, Padmé & Blossom** (St Anthony)

Scarlett (St Bernadette) was awarded her DIAMOND award, **Katarina** (St Anthony) was awarded her GOLD award, **Fiachra** received his SILVER award and **Vinnie & Megan** (St Bernadette) received their BRONZE award.



Head Teacher Awards

Congratulations to all the children who have been recognised for their achievements this week.

Lacey- May ~ (St Francis) ~ for a fantastic week. Lacey-May has tried hard in EVERYTHING this week. Well done!

Dejani ~ (St Therese) ~ for amazing maths, especially counting in 10s. Dejani always tries hard and is a very caring and kind member of year 1.

Macy-Rose ~ (St Elizabeth) ~ for always working hard, being kind, having good manners and for being a good friend to everyone.

Abigail ~ (St Bernadette) ~ for being an amazing mathematician, always showing resilience and determination to solve different types of equations. She always gives 110% effort, with a big smile, in any activity she is doing.

Billy ~ (St Joseph) ~ for working with independence and perseverance. He makes numerous positive contributions in lessons, and works with focus. Well done, Billy!

Imogen ~ (St Anthony) ~ for always having a bright smile to share. She is helpful and always works with great enthusiasm. You are a wonderful example of kindness and friendship. Thank you, Imogen.

Isabelle & Freya W. ~ (St Peter) ~ for being so helpful in the creating and making of props for the show. We can't wait to see your creations on stage!

Punctuality Update

Year Group	Yr R	Yr 1	Yr 2	Yr 3	Yr 4	Yr 5	Yr 6
Punctuality	96%	99%	96%	93%	99%	97%	96%

Birthdays

Congratulations to **Coby** (St Therese), **Isla** (St Elizabeth), **Katie** (St Bernadette), **Elise** (St Joseph), **Max** (St Anthony) and **Leja** (St Peter) who are celebrating their birthday this week.



To all our Dads, Uncles, Grandads and other special men that we have as part of our families,
Happy Father's Day this weekend.
I hope you all have a wonderful day, feeling loved and appreciated.



Prayers



We keep all our community in our prayers.

God Bless,

Mrs Delgado

Diary Dates

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Event:</u>
Wednesday 19 th June	KS2 Assisi Catholic Sports @ St Thomas More 9.30am
	No after school club due to staff training
Thursday 20 th June	St George's Celebration Day from 9am – all families welcome
	No after school club due to Celebration day
Friday 21 st June	INSET DAY ~ SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
Saturday 22 nd June	Feast of St Thomas More and St John Fisher
Monday 24 th June	INSET DAY ~ SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
Thursday 27 th June	KS1 Assisi Catholic Sports @ St Teresa's 10am – noon
	Year 6 Leavers Assembly in school @ 2.30pm
Friday 28 th June	Non uniform day for the Summer Fayre – KS1 donations of sweets

	KS2 donations of bottles
Sunday 30 th June	Feast of St Peter and Paul
Wednesday 3 rd July	Year 5 & 6 End of Year Performance 9.15am & 6pm
Friday 5 th July	Summer Fayre
w/b 8 th July	Year 6 Residential Trip
Wednesday 10 th July	Year 4 Assembly @ 9.05am
Monday 15 th July	Year 6 Leavers Mass 6pm
Friday 19 th July	Last day of term
SUMMER HOLIDAY MONDAY 22nd JULY 2024	

Time	Event	Notes
8.45am-9am	Children arrive at school as usual	Parents can then make their way to Shoebury Park for Sports Morning. A member of staff will be on hand to direct you to each house team's supporter area.
9.30am	Sports Morning	Children are encouraged to wear a coloured t-shirt which indicates their house team. If this is not possible, they can wear their P.E. kit.

Sports Morning 9.30am -11.00am – approx.

The aim of St George's sports morning is to give every child the opportunity to work as part of a team and earn points for their house. They are competing against their classmates and other children in the different teams.

There are two parts to our sports morning. The first half will comprise of five different activities where children are awarded points based on their team performance.

Running Order

House team activities

Pre-school children race

Parents & Carers House Team Race (race 1 ~ families of children in Reception, Yr 1 & 2
race 2 ~ families of children in Yr 3 & 4
race 3 ~ families of children in Yr 5 & 6)

This will be a shuttle run event for each house team. Parents will run a short distance and then try to throw a bag of 'gold, emeralds, rubies or sapphires into treasure chest and then run back to 'tag' the next runner. Each 'bag' that lands in the chest earns your team a point. How many can your team score in the time allowed?

The second half of the morning will celebrate and reward individual performances.

Reception Sprint Year 1 Sprint Year 2 Sprint Year 3 Sprint
Year 4 Sprint Year 5 Sprint Year 6 Sprint

Presentation of the House Cup

approx. 11.00am	Children return to class	Families can organise lunch area and collect anything needed from car/home. The children will have time to cool down, have a drink and use the toilet if they wish.
11.30am	Shared Picnic Lunch	Children will be brought out to their end of day gate/area to be collected by an adult for lunch. Children will be in the care of their families.
12.30pm	Children return to class to prepare for afternoon performance	Lunchtime finished. KS1 parents to come into the hall for infant musical performance. Key stage 2 parents can remain outside until their child's performance.
12.50pm	Reception, year 1 & 2 musical performance	When the concert has finished, parents can leave with their children or wait for older siblings' performance.
1.10pm	Year 3 musical performance	
1.25pm	Year 4 musical performance	
1.35pm in the playground	Year 5 & 6 Dance Routine (from Creative Dance festival)	
1.40pm	Year 5 musical performance	
1.55pm	Year 6 musical performance	



Thorpe Bay LTC

Summer Tennis Camp

Same price earlier start time

July

Wed 24th & Thurs 25th

Wed 31st & Thurs 1st

August

Wed 7th & Thurs 8th

Wed 14th & Thurs 15th

9:00 am - 1:30 pm

Price

£20 Members

£25 Non Members

10% discount for
multi day or siblings

For kids aged 3-18
(Split groups)

All equipment
provided by Thorpe
Bay Lawn Tennis Club

Payment Details:

Account name -
Thorpe Bay Lawn
Tennis Club Limited

Sort Code - 30-92-53

Act no - 27496268

Ref - Childs name

Please bring drinks
and snacks



For more information or to book contact:
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