



St Teresa of Lisieux Catholic Primary Academy

Bulletin Number 8: Friday 20th June 2025

A message from the headteacher

Well what a scorcher this week has been! And what an action packed week we have had with all our sports days taking place, football competitions and so much more... Look out for some fabulous action shots from our athletes in next week's issue.

Many thanks to all who were able to join me on Tuesday for the coffee morning. It was lovely to meet, have a chat, listen to your views and share some insights to what will be happening in the near future. I really valued this time. The next session is scheduled next **Friday (27th June 2025 at 2.00pm)** Hope to see you there! Have a great weekend and fingers crossed for some more glorious weather.

Religious Education and Catholic Life of the school

This morning we thought about what really matters in life—what's most important, not just in our pockets or rooms, but in our hearts.



Year 6 were presented with their fabulous hoodies and we linked them to the scripture and messages from this morning. We encouraged Y6 to fill their hearts with treasures that will help them to embrace and succeed in their new beginnings.

Friendship:

Make friendship your treasure. Value true friends who support and uplift you. Building strong friendships will make your school experience enjoyable and fulfilling.

Kindness:

Make kindness your treasure. If you give and receive kindness, it will make you and others feel valued and good about yourselves.



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Curiosity and Learning:

Make Curiosity and Learning your treasure. This is how you will grow into a person with lots of opportunities in life. You can become anything you dream of!

Self-Confidence:

Make self-confidence your treasure. God has given you unique qualities and talents, learn to recognise these in yourself. Have confidence in yourself- you are amazing just the way you are!

Passion and Interests:

Make passion and interests your treasure. Explore new hobbies and interests, whether it's sports, arts, music or learning. Trying new things will lead to happiness. Maybe your talent is still waiting for you to find it!

Resilience:

Make resilience your treasure. Challenges are a part of life and resilience will help you overcome any tricky things that might come your way. You've got this!

Empathy:

Make empathy your treasure. If you fill your heart with understanding, you will build great friendships and connections. You will be liked by others because they will feel seen, heard and safe because of you.

Positive Mindset:

Make positive mindset your treasure. This will help you to see the good in every situation and stay hopeful, even during challenges. This will make you brave!

Gratitude:

Make gratitude your treasure. If you learn the importance of being grateful for your experiences, friendships, support and opportunities you will always find good in your life.





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#kNOwKnifeCrime campaign

On Tuesday 24th June, over 170 children from 17 schools in the North Liverpool Learning Network will take part in a powerful 19-mile school-to-school relay as part of the **#kNOwKnifeCrime** campaign, standing together to say enough is enough. This youth-led initiative sees pupils taking charge of the event—from planning the running route themselves to designing custom t-shirts in an in-school competition. The winning design, now printed on shirts for all runners to wear, reflects their collective voice and determination to make a difference.

The aim of the relay is twofold: to raise awareness of the devastating impact of knife crime and to fundraise for life-saving bleed control equipment and Mini Medics first aid training, which will be rolled out across the participating schools and local communities.

Laura Hughes, founder of the **#kNOwKnifeCrime** campaign, said:

“What makes this event so special is that it’s been shaped by the children themselves. They’re not only making a stand—they’ve created something hopeful, impactful and full of purpose. It’s their voices and leadership that will help turn the tide.”

Ahead of the relay, students from all 17 schools came together for the first time on Monday 16th June at Monksdown Primary School, where they met fellow participants and took part in pre-event activities. T





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The futures bright...

Match report to follow next week...



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Dantastic!

Year 3 had a truly fantastic morning stepping into the sandals of ancient Romans, thanks to a thrilling visit from *Dantastic!* Our hall was transformed into the bustling world of Rome in 100 CE, and the children were transported back in time to experience life as it was over 1,900 years ago.

The session was packed with fascinating facts and hands-on learning. Pupils discovered what daily life was like in ancient Rome, from food and clothing to Roman inventions and military life. One of the highlights of the morning was the opportunity for the children to dress up as Roman soldiers, with, helmets, and shields.

It was a memorable and immersive experience that brought history to life in the most exciting way. A huge thank you to Dantastic for making our Roman adventure so unforgettable!





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First Holy Communion School Celebration

To mark children making their First Holy Communion we are holding a special school celebration on **Friday 11th July 2025**. Candidates from Years 4 are invited to wear their communion clothes as we all join together for mass at St Teresa's of Lisieux, Church in the morning with Father Tony. The mass time will be **10.00am**. On our return to school the children will get changed into their party clothes to continue the celebrations. Children who did not make the sacrament are also invited to bring party clothes to get changed into, too. It is sure to be a wonderful occasion where lifelong memories will be made. **Specific details will follow in a letter next week.**

Extra-curricular clubs

Enrichment/after school clubs taking place week beginning **23. 06. 2025. All clubs finish at 4.15pm.**

Monday

Reception – Multi-Sports club
Y1 and Y2 – Italian club
Y3 and Y4 – Reading club
Y4 – TT Rockstars club
Y5 and Y6 - Choir
Y5 – Maths booster

Tuesday

Y2 – Computing club
Y3 – Orienteering club
Y3 and Y4- Craft club
Y4 – Games club
Y5 and Y6 – Reading club
Y5 and Y6 – Girls Football
Y5 – Reading booster

Wednesday

Y4 – Computing club
Y5 and Y6- Cricket club

Thursday

Reception – Lego club
Y1 and Y2 – Story club
Y1 and Y2 – Football club
Y4 – Girls Football
Y5 and Y6 – Young Leaders
Y5 – Computing club

A final thought

Be that pillow for somebody's weary head

Take care,
Mr Paul Ackers



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Key dates up until the end of the of July 2025

All Saints Multi Academy Trust Celebration service at the Cathedral	Monday 23 rd June
Year 5 Girls Fun Day @ SJB	Wednesday 25 th June
Year 6 Intake Evening @ SJB	Thursday 26 th June
Parent Coffee Afternoon	Friday 27 th June – 2.00pm
Bike Right Year 5	Week beg 30 th June.
City wide transition day- meet your new teacher day	Wednesday 2 nd July
ALIVE Well-being Week – details TBC	7 th -11 th July
Year 6 bowling trip	Thursday 3 rd July
Year 1 Trip Farmer Teds	Tuesday 8 th July
First Holy Communion Celebration	Friday 11 th July 2025
Year 6 'sleepover/non-sleep over'	Friday 11 th July – timings to follow
Prize Day in Church	TBC
Year 6 Leavers Mass	Thursday 17 th July am 10am
Year 6 Disco	Thursday 17 th July 5.00-6.30pm
Finish for summer at 1pm	Friday 18 th July