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Dear Parents, Carers

Summer Term Commences

Summer term has commenced and children can wear the summer uniform options. Summer will arrive although the Easter Bonnet Parade had a positively wintry weather feel but it stayed dry! Charles III Coronation, Eurovision Song Contest in Liverpool -it's all going on!!

Please remember that all children are expected to wear our uniform except on PE days when they should wear the school PE kit. The overwhelming majority of our children follow our uniform expectations very well and we are grateful to parents for their efforts

Welcome to Mrs Maria Ray

Mrs Ray has joined our school and will be working in Year 1 with a 1:1 child. I know that she has been very pleased to be part of Saint Edmund's and Saint Thomas' community

SATs Tests Year Six Commencing Tuesday 8th May until Friday 12th May. Please ensure that all Year 6 children get plenty of rest over the bank holiday weekend prior to their SAT tests. Thank you.

Tuesday 9 May 2023 English grammar, punctuation and spelling papers 1 and 2

Wednesday 10 May 2023 English reading

Thursday 11 May 2023 Mathematics papers 1 and 2

Friday 12 May 2023 Mathematics paper 3

School Sport

The sporting fixtures are as follows;

- Year 5 6 Netball Tournament Chesterfield School
- Football League Game (Away) Valewood 4th May
- Year 4 Football Tournament Chesterfield 5th May
- Year 5 6 Hockey The Northern Cricket Club 12th May
- Merseyside Schools Athletics Meeting Wavertree 7th June

Coronation of King Charles III Lunch 5th May

Sefton caterers will provide a coronation lunch on 5th May Letter previously circulated. **There will be no hot food served on this day.** A separate letter will be sent out regarding school festivities on 5th May, including a Garden Party and a Royal Variety performance in the afternoon. Children can wear something red, white or blue on the day.

Chester Zoo trip Friday 19th May

We will have a number of adult places for Chester Zoo Trip on Friday 19th May. We will kindly accept volunteer helpers and distribute this help fairly across our classes. Please let the office know if you are willing to support our whole school trip to the zoo.

Nursery will be having the Alldays Farm visiting them on 6th June.

Attendance Matters and so does Punctuality

We will be writing to some families to raise awareness of persistent absence. We have noted a fall in numbers of persistent absence which has been really pleasing. There is still scope for greater improvement.

Attendance for this week 24th April -28th April.

Nursery	Rec D	Rec P	Y1B	Y12G	Y3SW	Y34C	Y4C	Y5T	Y56 H	Y6
100%	94.3%	89.3%	93.4%	94.2%	90.5%	95.4%	89.3%	93.3%	98.8%	92.0%

Reminder Industrial Action Tuesday 2nd May

School closure of most classes with the exception of Class 4C on Tuesday 2nd May

PTA Dates

- The PTA met before the holiday and arranged the following dates for school events
- Family Night – 12th May Times to be advised
- Mufti Day – 26th May
- Disco – KS1 – 24th May,
- Disco KS2 – 25th May (School Hall)
- Summer Fair – 30th June
- Year 6 leavers – Date TBC

Masses and Retreat Days

Fr Dominic will celebrate Mass on Tuesday 16th May at 2,00pm in Church for Ascension Day and St Peter and St Paul's Day 29th June,

Fr Dominic has also arranged special retreat days for Year Two and Year 6 as they prepare for transition to Key Stage 2 and secondary school respectively.

Year Six Transition Day

Sefton primary secondary transition day has been set for 29th June 2023 This day is dedicated to all Year 6 children spending a day at their new secondary schools

NSPCC will be visiting the school later this term to present a workshop to our Year 6 children. All classes will receive an online presentation about keeping safe.

Kieran A Loftus Headteacher

Alison Pritchard Deputy Headteacher

