



St Albert's Catholic Primary School

Weekly Newsletter Friday, 19 June 2026

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Class Trips

Year 1 - 17th July, £10 - Beach

Year 2 - 7th July, £12.50 - Knowsley Safari

Year 3 - 3rd July, £15 - Bowling & Cinema

Year 4 - 23rd June, £15 - Bowling & Cinema

Year 5 - 25th June, £15 - Bowling & Cinema

Year 6 - 6th July, £21 - Escape Room & Junk Yard Golf

Letters have gone home; please ensure you have completed and returned your child's permission slip along with your payment as soon as possible. Alternatively, you can pay via ParentPay or BACS to St Albert's, Sort code: 30-65-62, A/c: 29901160 and put your child's name as the reference.

Reception Class Trips

Our Reception class have had a very exciting week! On **Tuesday** the children enjoyed a visit to the Recycling Centre, where they learned all about the recycling process and were fascinated watching it in action. They asked lots of questions and loved seeing how everything worked, before having fun exploring. On **Wednesday**, the children had a wonderful day at Windmill Farm. They had so much fun feeding and holding the animals - they were so brave! Lots of special memories were created.

New Reception Starters Stay & Play

There will be an important meeting on **Friday 26th June at 9.15am** for parents to attend to discuss arrangements for your child's admission into Reception in September.

Stay & Play sessions will be held on:

Wednesday 1st July: 9.30-11.00

Wednesday 8th July: 9.30-11.00

Wednesday 15th July: 9.30-11.00

Year 5 Fun Day

Our Year 5 girls have been invited to a Fun Day at St John Bosco on **Wednesday 24th June 2026**. It's a fun event with lots of activities, providing them with a real insight to life in secondary school. Parents are to drop their child off at **8.40am** and collect them at **3pm**. A letter has gone home with more information.

International Day of Play

What a fantastic Day of Play we had at St Albert's! Our children embraced every opportunity to play, create, explore and work together, showing wonderful teamwork, creativity, resilience and kindness throughout the day. From den building and big art to sports, scooters and inflatables, there was something for everyone to enjoy.

We were incredibly proud of how our children supported one another and threw themselves into every challenge with enthusiasm and smiles.

A huge thank you to all of our families for the generous donations that helped make the day such a success. We are also excited to continue developing our play offer and can't wait to welcome parents and carers to our upcoming parent play session!

Parents OPAL Stay and Play

After school on **Monday 22nd June**, parents will be invited to attend a stay and play on the school grounds and OPAL areas. This will take place from **3.30-4.30pm** with a short introduction to start. All children must be accompanied by an adult who can engage in play.

No-After School Club Monday

Please note there will be no after school club on **Monday 22nd June** due to our parents OPAL Stay and Play.

PE Timetable Changes

Please note that there will be some changes to PE sessions next week.

- **Monday:** PE will be for **Year 2** and **Year 4** (instead of Year 5)
- **Tuesday:** PE will be for **Year 3** and **Year 5** (instead of Year 4)
- **Wednesday:** PE will be for **Year 1** and **Year 6** (instead of Thursday)



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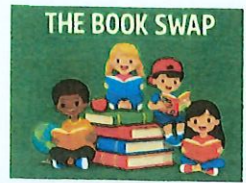
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Week's Attendance

Rec	86.5%
Y1	89.6%
Y2	96.2%
Y3	89.7%
Y4	80.7%
Y5	92.1%
Y6	89.8%

Science Fayre

Pupils from St Leo's, Huyton with Roby and Sylvester's Primary joined us on **Wednesday** to deliver a range of engaging physics demonstrations. The children were enthusiastic and showcased their scientific knowledge and learning brilliantly. It was wonderful to see them all enjoying hands on physics in action. Most importantly, everyone had a brilliant time.

Birthday Own Clothes

Reminder, that children can wear their own clothes when it's their birthday. We hope this special treat helps make their day even more memorable and encourages and supports good attendance.

Class Photographs

On **Monday 22nd June**, the school photographer will be in to take the children's class photographs. For Y2 & Y4 who have PE this day, please ensure they are wearing their full school PE kit.

Shine Sessions

Our Shine Sessions for selected Year 4 and Year 5 pupils have now finished. Well done to all the children for their hard work and enthusiasm throughout.

Book Swap

To live more sustainably, we will be holding a Book Swap on **Friday 26th June**. Year 2-Year 6 children can bring in any unwanted books and recycle them by swapping them with their class friends.

Don't forget to visit the Community Book Swap in the foyer. There is a growing selection of books for adults to borrow, swap, and enjoy. By sharing books within our school community, we can help support our *Live Simply* commitment by reusing resources, reducing waste, and enjoying reading together.

Snack Money Reminder

A reminder of our weekly snack contribution:

Nursery: £1 per week for 15-hour children,
£2 per week for 30-hour children.

Reception: £2 per week.

Y1-Y6: £1 per week.

Y6 Transition Day

On **Wednesday 24th June**, our Year 6 children will be taking part in their transition day, where they will visit their new secondary schools. This is an exciting opportunity for them to meet new teachers, explore their new schools and begin preparing for the next stage of their education.

Y6 Bible Tales

Y6 have a visit from Bible Tales on **Wednesday 24th June**. Parents are welcome to come and watch the children's performance at **2.45pm**.

Y6 choir

Several children will attend the celebration Mass at the cathedral on **Thursday 25th June**. Mr Shelton will send home a letter.

Year 6 Events

Class Trip - Monday 6th July

Leaver's Mass - Tuesday 14th July

Leaver's Play - Monday 20th July

Leaver's Assembly - Wednesday 22nd July

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Week 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main 1	Beef Burger in a bun served with oven cooked wedges and salad	Spaghetti Bolognaise served with garlic bread and Salad	Ham & Cheese Panini served with salad potatoes & salad	Roast Chicken served with roast potatoes, gravy and seasonal vegetables.	Harry Ramsdens Fish Fillet, chips beans or peas
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Sandwiches Deli Bar	Choice of Ham, Cheese, Tuna or Egg filled sandwich/Barm/Wrap with salad selection	Choice of Ham, Cheese, Tuna or Egg filled sandwich/Barm/Wrap with salad selection	Choice of Ham, Cheese, Tuna or Egg filled sandwich/Barm/Wrap with salad selection	Choice of Ham, Cheese, Tuna or Egg filled sandwich/Barm/Wrap with salad selection	Choice of Ham, Cheese, Tuna or Egg filled sandwich/Barm/Wrap with salad selection
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Jackets	Oven baked jacket potato with Tuna, Cheese or beans served with salad selection	Oven baked jacket potato with Tuna, Cheese or beans served with salad selection	Oven baked jacket potato with Tuna, Cheese or beans served with salad selection	Oven baked jacket potato with Tuna, Cheese or beans served with salad selection	Oven baked jacket potato with Tuna, Cheese or beans served with salad selection
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Desserts	Cookie with milkshake				Ice Cream pot
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Drinks Available Daily: Water, Milk


SUMMER DIARY DATES 2026

Mon 22 nd June	Come and Play - Parent After school OPAL Session	3.30 - 4.30	Children must be accompanied by a family member to join in the play
Mon 22 nd June	School Photographer	All	Full uniform Y2& Y4 full PE Kit
	Careers Week	All	
Tue 23 rd June	Year 4 Summer Trip		
Wed 24 th June	New Reception Meeting for Parents of September Intake	9.15- 9.45	Stay and plays for following Wed 9.30 -11.00 (1 st July, 8 th July, 15 th July)
Wed 24 th June	Bible Tales Y6		Parents invited at 2.45pm
Wed 24 th June	Y5 Girls ST B Fun Day	Y5 girls	Parents drop off and pick up
Thurs 25 th June	Year 5 Summer Trip		
Thurs 25 th June	Y6 Choir at the Cathedral		Details to be sent to children
Thurs 25 th June	Family Learning for Nur parents	9-10	Parents to attend with children to access craft session
Mon 29 th June	Anthony Walker Foundation	Y5 & Y6	
Tue 30 th June	Meet your New teacher School Transition Morning	am	
Wed 1 st July	<i>School Transition Morning</i>	am	
Wed 1 st July	Y6 Transition Day to High School	All day	Parents make own arrangements
Thurs 2 nd July	Family Learning for Rec parents	Rec	Parents to attend with children to access craft session
Friday 3 rd July	Year 3 summer Trip		
Friday 3 rd July	Reading Together Nur and Year 1 Book Fayre	Nur am Rec pm	Parents to come and choose a book with their children
Monday 6 th July	Year 1 Book Fayre	Y1 am	
Monday 6 th July	Year 6 Summer Trip		
Tuesday 7 th July	Year 2 Summer Trip		
Wed 8 th July	Music Concert	2pm	In church Parents welcome
Thurs 9 th July	Family Learning for Nur parents		Parents to attend with children to access craft session
Friday 10 th July	Sports Day - Weather permitting	Y1-6 Rec	9.15 – Years 1/2/3 10.45 Years 4/5/6 Rec 2-3pm
Mon 13 th July	Parent Evening	1.30-5	All years except y2 Rec- Y6
Tuesday 14 th	Y2 Parent Evening	1.30-5	
Tues 14 th July	Y6 Leavers' Mass	10am	Parents invited to Church
Wed 15 th July	Reception Graduation	2pm	Parents to attend
Fri 19 th July	Year 1 Summer Trip		
Fri 19 th July	Nur and Alby Tots last day – Party Time		
Mon 20 th July	Leavers' Play	2pm	
Mon 20 th July	Nursery Trip to Croxteth Park		Parents to attend with children
Tues 21 July	Whole School Award's Assembly	9.15am	
Tues 21 July	Nursery Parent Evening		Opportunity to meet Teacher
Wed 22 nd July	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly	9.15am	Parents invited
Wed 22 nd July	Nurs Open Day All new starters and interested parties invited to attend	9-11 12.30- 2.30	
Thursday 23 July	School closes at 1pm		

Please note that dates are all subject to change, but we try to avoid this.



OPEN WATER: DON'T TAKE THE RISK



Swimming in or playing near rivers and canals may seem like a great idea, particularly on a warm day, but it could all end in tragedy. **DON'T take the risk.**



THE WATER IS COLD...

...even on very warm days, rivers and canals contain water barely above 10 degrees. Sudden immersion can lead to cold water shock, which can cause gasping and intake of water.

This can be deadly in a matter of seconds.

DID YOU KNOW?


Even the narrowest of rivers can be considerably deep. Rivers are subject to strong flow and **hidden currents** which can trouble even the strongest of swimmers.



WHAT LIES BENEATH?


The water is untreated and can make you ill.

Canals and rivers contain pollutants, sewage and often unseen underwater obstructions and snag hazards.




Debris under the water such as shopping trolleys, broken glass and cans can cause **injury** or **trap** you.

Remember, there are no lifeguards to help you at your local river, lake, canal or dam.



Rivers can be very difficult to climb out of, especially with steep or slimy banks. **Stay clear of rivers with steep or unguarded banks.**



IN AN EMERGENCY...NEVER enter the water to try and help a person or animal. You could get into difficulty yourself. Instead, dial 999 and use any water rescue equipment that is available.

If you fall into the water unexpectedly, fight your instinct to thrash around. Instead, lean back, extend your arms and legs & float.



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BEACH SAFETY: KNOW THE DANGERS

MUD AND QUICKSAND

Large areas of the coast can have mud and quicksand which can cause you to get trapped and risk drowning.



REDUCE THE RISK

Check tide times

Follow warning sign advice

Avoid crossing estuaries and mud where there can be hidden channels or fast water

If trapped, **sit back and spread your weight evenly across the surface**

Stop others from trying to help you as they may get stuck

Call **999** immediately and ask for the **Coastguard**



DO NOT USE INFLATABLES



Strong currents can sweep inflatables and people out to sea

FOLLOW THE FLAGS



There are lifeguards in the area. Swim between the two flags.

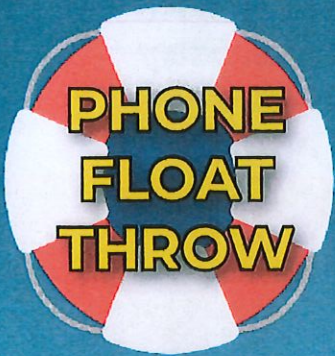


Do not enter the water. There could be unseen dangers such as currents.



No swimming in this area. There may be non-powered watercraft such as surfboards, kayaks, etc. in this area.

IF YOU SEE SOMEONE STRUGGLING:



PHONE 999

Tell them to **FLOAT** on their back

THROW them something to help them float

TOP TIP

ALWAYS GO TO A BEACH WITH A LIFEGUARD

