



Summer Term Newsletter

Number 481 – 3rd July 2026



Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome to this week's newsletter. We faced many challenges with the high temperatures last week but the children and adults showed great resilience and adapted to ensure that learning could still take place.

End of Year Reports

Your child will be bringing home their end of year reports today. Please make sure that you check their bags. As you would have heard on the news, there has been a delay in the publication of SATs results, therefore Year 6 reports will not be ready before the 17th of July.

International Night

On Friday 19th June, we had our very popular and most enjoyable International Night. It was wonderful to taste all the delicious food from all around the world and experience some of the culture from some of the different communities that make up our school. A fantastic night was had by all and thank you to everyone who made food and helped to organise this event.

Sport's Day

On Tuesday 30th June we had our Sport's Day for Year 1 to Year 6. This year, the event was held at Hendon Youth Academy Stadium in Silver Jubilee Park. The weather was much cooler, thankfully, and it was a very successful day. We hope to make this an annual event. The children had a wonderful time competing in the various events. A big thank you to all the parents and family members who came to support the children. They were presented with their winning prizes at a special assembly this morning.

On Tuesday 7th July children in Reception and Nursery will have a mini sport's day from 9:30 to 10:30am. This will take place at school in the playgrounds for Foundation Stage and KS1. Parents are invited to come along to support children.

Trips

We have had numerous trips this week. On July 2nd, Year 3 went to the science Museum and Nursery children visited London Zoo. Today, some children from Year 5 went to Bishop Douglass School to compete in football tournament. Our Y3 and Year 4 children visited Willesden Triathlon Sports Centre to participate in the Brownlee Foundation Triathlon. These trips would not be possible without the help of the many parents and carers who volunteer to accompany the children. A big thank you to all the parent helpers.

Next week, Reception and Year 1 children will visit Willow's Farm on Monday 6th July and Year 2 will visit the seaside of Walton - on -Naze on Wednesday 8th July. Year 4 children will take part in a cricket festival on Tuesday 7th July.

Music concerts

On Thursday 9th July, Mr Turner will present his end of year musical shows. All children from Nursery up to Year 6 will get the chance to show off their fantastic musical talents. It would be lovely to see as many parents as possible join us for this wonderful event.

Timings 9:30am to 10:30am Nur, Rec, Y1 and Y2 and 2:00pm to 3:00pm Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6.

The children who attend the i-Rock music lessons will have a concert on July 15th in the morning to showcase their talent.

Year 6 events

On Thursday 2nd July, Year 6 attended English Martyrs Church where they celebrated their leavers Mass with some of the other schools from the All Saints' Trust.

This evening, Friday 3rd July our Year 6 children will celebrate their Prom. I'm sure it will be a very glamorous event. We know that they are all very excited and will no doubts look lovely as they dress up and celebrate the end of their time here at St Margaret Clitherow.

Year 6 children will have their Summer Production on Wednesday 15th July at 6.00pm and on Thursday 16th July, at 9.30am there will be the Leavers' Assembly.

Summer fair

On **Friday 10th July** we will have our Summer Fair. Lots of exciting events have been organised for this so please come along after school to support this. Many volunteers will be needed to set up and run the various stalls on the day. If you can help in any way, please let the school office know and your names will be passed on to the Friends. If you have not already done so, please send in a gift for the tombola and make sure you purchase raffle tickets which went home with your children today.

Have a lovely weekend and thank you for your ongoing support.

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FORTHCOMING DATES

Monday 6 th July	Reception and Year 1 Trip to Willow's Farm
Wednesday 8 th July	Year 2 trip to seaside
Thursday 9 th July	Music Concerts N, R, Y1, Y2 - 9:30am Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6 - 2:00pm
Friday 10 th July	Summer Fair
Monday 13 th July	Open Evening (Optional)
Tuesday 14 th July	Bastille Day -Dress up
Wednesday 15 th July	i-Rock concert
Wednesday 15 th July	Year 6 Production
Thursday 16 th July	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly
Friday 17 th July	Last day of term- finish at 1.30pm

Please check out the calendar on the jotter for dates and times of events.

ATTENDANCE WEEK COMMENCING 22nd – 26th June 2026

Year 1 - **99%**
Year 2 - **97%**
Year 3 - **99%**
Year 4 - **96%**
Year 5 - **100%**
Year 6 - **98%**

Whole school overall - **98%**

Congratulations to Y5 for best attendance
EXPECTED ATTENDANCE MINIMUM OF
96%

ATTENDANCE WEEK COMMENCING 29th June – 3rd July 2026

Year 1 - **94%**
Year 2 - **98%**
Year 3 - **97%**
Year 4 - **85%**
Year 5 - **93%**
Year 6 - **97%**

Whole school overall - **94%**

Congratulations to Y2 for best attendance
EXPECTED ATTENDANCE MINIMUM OF
96%

Sports Day Winners

Year 1:

Mia Rose, Dominic, Nicole, Cliston, Julian P, Jessika, Alan, Finn Dalphon, Benedict, Eddie, Paige, Crissel, Milan

Year 2:

Ethan, Eyas, Isaiah, Juan Miguel, Kajetan, Matylda, Joshua, Aliyah, Skylah, Stefania, Sofia, Raegan

Year 3:

Eduard, Araya, Adheed, Rafael, Kira, Ezra, Kamil, Michael, Samten, Eunice, Vania, Willow, Amalia, Daria, Alicja

Year 4:

Bastian, Alicja Harper, John, Caiden, Bella, Dennis, Adrian, Isabela, Amelia, Joshua, Evelyn, Victoria, Kyi-On

Year 5:

Maya, Lucas, Jeremiah, Hazel, Clain, Kidus, Ben, Tiana, Lucia, Victor, Ayla

Year 6:

Anthony, Shannon, Liam, Calvin, Khalid, Liliana, Rebercca, Kaleb, Mia-Rose, Joanna, Denis, Isaac, Cheryl, Maya

Bastille Day

At St Margaret Clitherow School, the children in Y3 to Y6 study French as their Modern Foreign Language. On Tuesday July 14th, children are invited to come to school dressed in the colours of the French Flag to celebrate Bastille Day.

