

St Philip Neri Catholic Primary School

Living and learning together with a joyous heart



Newsletter No 37

Friday 12th July 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been a very busy week in school with transition visits, walks and a fair! Thank you for all your continued support this week. We do appreciate you taking the time to support school events. Well done to our Year 6 pupils who received their brilliant SATs results this week.

End of year reports will be sent out on Monday.

Best wishes for the weekend – let's hope we're all celebrating an England win on Monday morning!

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Sarah Williams

Ofsted

I'm delighted to say that our Ofsted report has now been published. We're really pleased with the outcome and think it reflects life at St Philip Neri.

[St Philip Neri Catholic Primary School, Dunston - Open - Find an Inspection Report - Ofsted](#)

Sponsored Walk

We had a fantastic day on Wednesday completing our sponsored walks. Key Stage 2 children walked all the way to the Quayside and had our well-deserved snack outside the Baltic. Then, in the afternoon, Reception and Key Stage 1 children walked all the way along the Staiths. What a fit and healthy bunch you all are! We celebrated with an ice lolly back at school.

Thank so much to everyone for their generosity. If you do have any more sponsorship money to send in, please send them into school.

Summer Fair

An enormous thank you to our Friends of St Philip's who arranged our summer fair. Thanks also to all the helpers on the afternoon and to everyone who attended and made this such a lovely celebration. It was a brilliant success and we've raised nearly £900 for school.

Gateshead Council holiday activities

[Summer 2024 holiday activities - Gateshead Council](#)

Stomping Ground

The local forest school provider is holding a drop-in after school litter pick and bug and butterfly walk on Wednesday 17th July 3.30 – 5pm. Meet at Staiths Café free drink provided by Staiths Café, at the end. No need to book but please wear long sleeves, long trousers and trainers or sturdy shoes.

Scooters and bikes

Please remember to ask children to get off bikes and scooters before they come into the school yard.

Designated Safeguarding Leads

Our Designated Lead for Safeguarding and Child Protection is our Headteacher, Mrs Williams.

Our Deputy Designated Leads for Safeguarding and Child Protection are Miss Anthony, Miss Ormerod and Mr Wright. Our Governor for Safeguarding and Child Protection is Councillor Brenda Clelland.

Golden Table

Belle I, Oliver R, Rina V, Jack R, Lawrence A, Oola V, Meem R

Pupil of the week

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Bishop Wilkinson
Catholic Education Trust

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Nela V	For always trying her best and for being a great role model.
Noah S	For listening carefully in class and trying his best in each lesson Well done.
Lucas T	For a great attitude on transition day.
Isabelle S	For super work ethic and always doing her best.
Charlie R	For an exceptional diary entry about Grace Darling.
Candy K	For putting 100% effort in all subjects.
All of year 6	For their dedication shown to learning to earn unbelievably impressive SAT'S

This Week's School Attendance

Y6	96.83%
Y5	96.46%
Y4	91.56%
Y3	97.22%
Y2	97.86% This week's winners!
Y1	97.35%
YR	96.69%

School Summer Fair Winners

Yellow 906 Kiera S, Yellow 886 Willow A, Green 651 Frank M, Green 86 Finley S, Yellow 941 Hunter W, Green 6 Noah R, Green 616 Toby T, Yellow 861 Carol W, Yellow 886 Summer C – Summer C, Mustard 886 Archie T-B, Yellow 931 Sienna T, Yellow 936 Claudia B, Blue 821 Elliot S, Green 476 Zoe G, Yellow 986 Mark G, Green 106 Christine C, Yellow946 Poppy W.

NUFC Party Voucher	Mrs McKie
How Many Sweets	Finlay S
Staff guess who	Claudia G
Penalty Shoot Out	Jennifer R

DATES FOR THE DIARY

More details to follow for some events.

July

Monday 15th July – Year 5 at the Trust Celebration of the Sport

Tuesday 16th July – Leavers' Celebration 5:30pm in the school hall.

Wednesday 17th July – Leavers' Mass 9:30am in the church. All welcome.

SUMMER HOLIDAYS:

Monday 22.7.24 (INSET DAY) to Monday 2.9.24 (INSET DAY)

Pupils return to school: Tuesday 3rd September

THE REGULAR TIMES OF SATURDAY VIGIL/SUNDAY MORNING MASS IN OUR THREE CHURCHES ARE:

Saturday 5.30pm at St Philip Neri Church, Ellison Road, Dunston NE8 2QU

Sunday 9.00am at St Mary's Church, Dockendale Lane, Whickham NE16 4EN

Sunday 10.30am at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, Malvern Gardens, Lobley Hill NE11 9LL

