



NEWSLETTER 17: JULY 2021

Star of the Week Award

The following children have received a Star of the Week Award this week:



- Nursery - Frances for putting 100% into everything she does
- Reception - Dominic for his excellent attitude towards learning both in and out of school
- Year 1 - Cade for his amazing handwriting this week
- Year 2 - Teddy for fantastic writing this week
- Year 3 - Austen for his excellent PE Skills
- Year 4 - Savannah for her fantastic independent work during English
- Year 5 - Jack B for his excellent work in maths
- Year 6 - Kelsey for her fantastic improvement in attitude

A Thank You from Mr Grogan

As I am leaving St Joseph's at the end of this academic year, I wanted to take the opportunity to thank the children, parents/carers, staff & governors (past & present) for making the last 19 years such happy and memorable ones. God Bless You All!

Mr M Grogan

Football Trials - Year 4 & Year 5

Football trials will be held on **Monday 5th July** from 3.15 pm to 4.15pm for children currently in Years 4 & 5. Children do not need football boots as we will be on the school yard (in class bubbles), however they can wear shin pads but these are not essential.



If you wish your child to attend these trials, please email year2@stjosephsstanley.co.uk with your child's, name & year group.



You will see a number of staffing changes within school from September 2021.

We say a fond farewell to Mr Grogan who is retiring after 19 years teaching at St Joseph's. We wish him a long and happy retirement. Also leaving us are Miss Cossey and Mrs Scott and we wish them all the best for the future.

We are delighted to confirm that Miss Morton, who has been teaching in KS2 this year, joins us on a permanent basis from September. We also welcome Miss Carlin back in September to cover Maternity Leave, many of you may remember her from 2019/2020.

As you will know, the Nursery has gone from strength to strength since opening and we are very pleased to confirm that we have appointed two new Nursery staff. Mrs Burgess will be our Nursery Teacher and Miss Wears will be our Nursery Nurse/Enhanced Teaching Assistant. We look forward to welcoming everyone to the team.

Miss Ryan will be Deputy Head alongside Mrs Haveron and Mr Haveron will be our Inclusion Manager. Details of classes and teachers for next year are:

Nursery	Mrs Burgess
Reception	Mrs Quiney
Year 1	Miss Eastham
Year 2	Mr Haveron
Year 3	Miss Morton
Year 4	Mrs Hull
Year 5	Miss Carlin
Year 6	Miss Ryan

School Reports

Children's reports will be sent home on Friday 16th July.



As part of Northumbria in Bloom, children have been designing window pictures which will be displayed on the old Board School on Stanley Front Street. Watch this space for more information and look out for the fantastic art work which will help brighten up Stanley Front Street.



School Clubs

As you know, all After School Clubs have been cancelled for the rest of this term. Refunds are being processed and money will be back in your Parent Pay account by the end of term. Thank you



Change of Date Sports Day - Wednesday 7th July

Sports day will now take place on **Wednesday 7th July**. **Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6** will have their sports day in the school yard starting at **9.30am**

REC, Y1 and Y2 will have their sports day in the school yard starting at **1.30pm**.



Please remember to provide your child with a water bottle and sun hat/cap and apply sun cream before your child comes to school if it is a sunny day - keep your fingers crossed. Children can come to school in their PE kit (including a T-shirt in their team colour) with a tracksuit or joggers on top.

Fairtrade School Award

We have been successful in our first Fairtrade school award - FairAware. Well done to everyone for all their hard work!



If you have any queries, please contact us at stanleystjoseph@durhamlearning.net