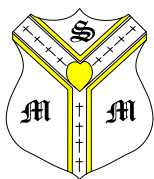


Saint Margaret Mary's Catholic Infant School Newsletter



Friday 24th July 2020

Dear Parents, children and friends,

We hope you all have a wonderful summer holidays and we look forward to seeing you all in September ready for your new classes and new teachers.

I am sure you will join me in thanking our amazing staff, one and all, for making this truly historical year in school so successful. They have ensured that our children have continued to learn and have fun.

Well done to all the parents and family members who have needed to become teachers and have been truly inspiring in their creativity and dedication to their children's education.

Kind regards,
Mrs Byrne



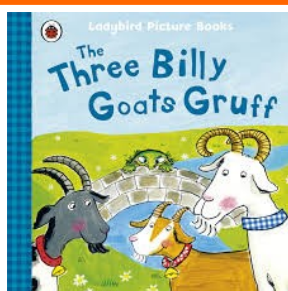
BABY NEWS

Congratulations to Miss Strahan and her partner, who gave birth to a beautiful baby boy, Archie, on Saturday afternoon.

Both mum and baby are very well and doing great.

We wish a fond farewell to **Mrs Ellison** who retires after 27 years as a teaching assistant in our school. She will be missed by all of us. Mrs Ellison always brings a smile to everyone's face, especially the children.

Happy Retirement Mrs Ellison.



As a thank you to all of the Nursery children for a wonderful year, some of the teachers have sponsored three lovely goats at Acorn Farm. We had a fantastic time when we visited there with you all at Christmas.

Keep an eye on their website www.acornfarm.co.uk and when they open again you can go and spot our Three Billy Goat's Gruff.



Good luck to Miss Horder as she leaves our school.

Thank you for all your hard work in Year 2.

We hope to see you soon.



St Margaret Mary's Parish Online

If you are on **Facebook**, the parish now has a page which is updated regularly and where Mass is broadcast each Sunday.

Search 'St Margaret Mary Liverpool'.

TUNE IN

You will find the latest parish newsletter at the link below;

<https://stmargaretmary.sites.schooljotter2.com/re-catholic-life/parish-newsletters>



We've gone Virtual!

BEAVERS

SCOUTS cubs

Calling all **6-14yr** olds, we've adapted our weekly meetings to run online, using Zoom!

Not sure what to do with your time this Summer?

Speak to our dedicated volunteers today to start making new friends, have amazing adventures, and learning new skills!

Email us at 2ndfairfield@gmail.com with the Name and Age of the young person interested and a contact number for a Parent/Guardian.

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INDUCTION for RECEPTION AND NURSERY

All our reception and nursery staff have recorded little videos to introduce themselves to the new children starting our school.

Please follow the links below.

Please follow the link below for
Reception

<https://www.stmargaretmarysinfant.com/year-groups/eyfs/reception-1/reception-admissions-2020>

Please follow the link below for **Nursery**

<https://www.stmargaretmarysinfant.com/year-groups/eyfs/nursery-3/nursery-admissions-2020>



TRANSITION TO THE JUNIOR SCHOOL

Our learning mentor, Mrs Harris with Mrs Perry from the junior school have worked really hard to ensure that our Year 2 children felt prepared for the junior school. Please follow the link below to let them know how you and your family felt.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/3ZNXBSH>



CHANGE TO THE HOLIDAY DATES FOR NEXT ACADEMIC YEAR

PLEASE NOTE THAT MAY HALF TERM HAS BEEN MOVED FORWARD A WEEK.

WE WILL NOW BREAK UP ON
FRIDAY 21ST MAY
AND RETURN TO SCHOOL ON
MONDAY 7TH JUNE

COMPETITION

What does **HOPE** mean to you?

Pencils, pens, and paintbrushes at the ready...

PAPYRUS is launching a brand-new competition for children aged 4 to 18 to get creative with a work of art that depicts **HOPE**.

One winner will be chosen from our **primary school** age category, and one from our **secondary school** category.

The winning artworks will appear on the official 2020 PAPYRUS Christmas cards.

Competition closes on 28 August 2020

Winners will be announced on Monday 14 September 2020

Visit our website for how to enter and T&Cs
papyrus-uk.org/competition



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