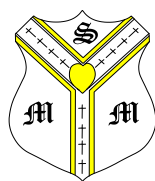


Saint Margaret Mary's Catholic Infant School Newsletter



Friday 6th May 2022

Class 1	92.1%	Class 7	93.8%
Class 2	95.4%	Class 8	91.3%
Class 3	95.4%	Class 9	83%
Class 4	90.4%	Class 10	95.8%
Class 5	93.5%	Class 11	88.8%
Class 6	94%	Class 12	92.9%

School Attendance Matters
This week's Attendance
Our target for attendance is 96%.



Attendance Award in Reception goes to Class 10

Attendance Award in Year 1 goes to Classes 6
Attendance Award in Year 2 goes to Classes 2&3



Barclays Bank, St. Margaret Mary's Infant school and the Swanside Councillors have been working in partnership to deliver green space improvements under the social value agenda.

Barclays will be donating £500 to our Memorial Garden Project and volunteers will be coming to school in June to help to get things into the ground.

We will be planting fruit trees, hedging and bulbs.
We will also be planting an extra special tree to commemorate the Queen's Jubilee as part of the Queen's Green Canopy.



EARLY YEARS OUTDOOR PROVISION

We are really excited that our new Early Years outdoor provision will begin to be installed next week. This work will start around the nursery building and Class 12. Please be aware that areas may be cordoned off for safety during this time.

IMPORTANT MESSAGE FROM OUR LOCAL COUNCILLORS

Everyone has seen their outgoings increase recently, fuel, utilities, food, etc. If you are struggling financially please do not go to loan sharks. Please contact the Councillors detailed below who can signpost you to help and support.

Swanside - Cllr Colin Dever
Colin.Dever@knowsley.gov.uk
07557 849398

Roby - Cllr Kevin Bannon
Kevin.bannon@knowsley.gov.uk
07384455428

We are here to support you.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Saturday 7th and Sunday 8th May
Our children reading at Mass

Thursday 12th May
Junior Parent Forum on Road Traffic

Friday 20th May
Finish for Half term

Monday 6th June
Children return to school

Friday 10th June
Queen's Jubilee Celebration

Tuesday 14th June
Photo day

Wednesday 29th June or Thursday 30th June
Year 2 visit to Edge Hill University
Teddy Bear Hospital



ST MARGARET MARY'S CHURCH

Our children will be leading the readings in church on Saturday evening and Sunday morning.

Masses will take place on Thursdays at 10.00a.m.

Saturdays at 5.30p.m. and

Sundays at 10.00a.m.

Please follow this link for the parish newsletter

[St Margaret Mary's Catholic Infant School - Parish Newsletters](#)

stmargaretmarysinfant.com

Baptisms Please contact Fiona and Laura, our co-ordinators, by email: smbaptisms@outlook.com

NURSERY APPLICATIONS

If your child turns three before the 1st September 2022, they will be entitled to 15 hours free nursery provision.

For working parents, your child may be entitled to 30 hours free provision.

Our nursery offers both 30 hour and 15 hour places.

We are receiving nursery applications now and places are limited. If you would be interested in your child joining our nursery this year, applications are available in the foyer of school or email school and one can be sent to you.

ROAD SAFETY SURVEY

We received 74 replies to total. Thank you to everyone who took the time to reply to the survey. It has been very useful to hear your views. Most parents shared their concerns about the safety of travelling to and from school on Pilch Lane. Many parents shared their need to use a car because of travelling on to work. It was heartening to read that around 60% of parents and children walk to school and many more try to park further away from the school site.

Many parents shared their concerns about poor and illegal parking, cars reversing through the pedestrian crossing, cars parking extremely close to the crossing and cars parking up on kerbs near to children walking on the pavements.

Some parents commented about the possibility of the old Boundary Pub site being used for parking. Unfortunately, this is not possible. The site is owned privately and those owners are actively looking for ways to develop the site.

At our next, traffic meeting with local councillors and officers from both councils these replies and comments will be passed on.

Thursday 12th May at 6pm

Junior Parent Forum on Road Traffic

All parents are invited to join a Parent Forum on the issues of the road traffic on Pilch Lane.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/91664125291?pwd=UWlQbWVlOUR2bjZvcWoiTkNJOHhpdzo9>

Meeting ID: 916 6412 5291

Passcode: 1rsnQG