

Allanson Street Primary School Newsletter

12th May 2017

Well done and thank you to all the pupils in year 6 for an excellent attitude and commitment to their national tests this week. Everyone gave 100% effort and 100% attendance! We await the results in early July.

Next week: On Monday, Year 5 begin Reading Plus, a new reading computer program. There is a meeting for parents/carers at 3:30pm to explain more about the program and see how the program works. On Wednesday, our Achievement and Standards Committee will undertake our annual 'Pupil Voice'. On Thursday our Year 5's and choir will take part in a 'Supersing' workshop.

School Bus: Can we please ask that you do not park along Gaskell Street where the school bus stops. Please leave enough room in front of the bus parking bay for the driver to pull into the space. Recently the driver has been unable to stop in a safe place to collect the children due to cars parked right up to the parking bay and blocking it.

The afternoon bus, provided by Merseytravel, have requested that payment for your child's bus fare is **paid as the child gets on the bus** and not at the stop when they are collected. As this service is not provided by school but by an independent travel company, if your child uses the bus, please ensure they are sent in with their bus fare and give it to Mrs Tyrer or Mrs Rimmer in the morning. Thank you.

Word of the Week (talk about it and use it as often as you can!)

Our word of the week for next week will be: **Nursery** - deserve **Reception** - shimmer **Year 1** - map **Year 2** - determined **Year 3** - crockery **Year 4** - aghast **Year 5** - inconspicuous **Year 6** - resilience

Sports News

Well Done to Keith Chapman (Year 5) who has now completed his final trial for St Helens School Boys Football Team. He will find out on Monday he has made the team. The KS2 Thriller Dance children are working very hard to learn their routines for the Dance Festival. Please make sure your child attends the club each week for rehearsals.

If your child achieves anything out of school from a sports club please let Mrs Hawkins know and we will mention it in the newsletter.

Next week the Year 3/4 girls football team will compete in a competition. The Year 6 Athletics team will also be taking part in a tournament. Good Luck to all involved.

Clubs week beginning ^{15th May} :

Monday - Year 5/6 Tag Rugby (Allstars)

Tuesday - KS2 Thriller Dance (Lucy)

Year 4/5/6 Cricket - (Chris Chambers LCCC)

Year 2 Gymnastics (St Helens Gym Centre)

Wednesday - Year 5 Badminton (Invite only - Mrs Hawkins)

Thursday - Year 5/6 Football (Allstars)

KS1 Thriller Dance (Lucy)

Friday - Year 5/6 Girls Netball (Mrs Farnell)

Childcare Choices, the cross-government childcare brand and campaign has launched, providing parents with a single point of information for all the government funded childcare offers, including the two new offers: 30 hours free childcare and Tax Free Childcare. Launch of new Childcare Choices website means parents are now able to find available government support. Parents can pre-register from today for the government's new childcare offers, with the launch of a new Childcare Choices government website www.childcarechoices.gov.uk.

Stars of the week: **RMM:** Alfie Morgan and Summer Burton **RRG:** Daniel Bevan and Lizy Okereke Ojukwu
Celebration Assembly - Medal Winners from this week. Well done to the following children:

Year 1: Evie Shiel, Jennifer Grocott, Emma Smith and Ryan Roberts

Year 2: Lucy Nield, Manus Duffy, Charlie Burrows and Grace Langton

Year 3: Scarlett Duffy, Tmisha Sherwood, Kai Atherton and Kylan Atherton

Year 4: Marina Kokonios, Alfie Jones, Mason Arnold and Shaun Martin

Year 5: Tarmani Price, Bradley Mitchell, Lauren Naylor and Ben Morley

Year 6: Everyone! For an excellent effort and attitude during SATs week

Celebration Assembly:

KS1: Kaiden Cathcart-Lee **Lower Juniors:** Riley Dwyer **Upper Juniors:** Alfie Mousdell-Doyle

Netballer of the week: Lucy Payne - 100% commitment and dedication to the sport!

Many thanks

Have a good weekend P Farnell (Headteacher)