



A small school with a big heart

# NEWSLETTER

## FRIDAY 8 JULY 2022

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### Star of the Week Class 1

Ruby: for being a kind and comforting friend to all.

Millie: for super work on the layers of the ocean.

### Star of the Week Class 2

Poppy: for an incredible effort in creating a catapult in DT.

Charlie: for always going the extra mile with his homework.



### Big Hearts are awarded to:

Henry: for his enthusiasm and super effort in all areas of learning!

Zachary: for working hard over the past few weeks to master telling the time.



Happy Birthday to Ella, Jasmine B-J, and Belle who all have birthdays in the next week!

## Notices

**Numbers Club winners:** the first prize of £50 goes to Merlene Towns (51) and the second prize of £20 goes to Rachael Darbyshire (32). Prizes will be sent out shortly!

**A big thank you:** to Dr Spar and her team of volunteers! We are very grateful for their time in helping to make the memorial garden look wonderful, including organising the donation of plants from Barton Grange.



**Covid:** just a reminder of the current guidance. If your child tests positive for Covid they must remain at home for 3 days *after* the day of the test. Once the 3 days have passed, your child may return to school only if they do not have a temperature and they are well enough to attend.

**Sports Day:** this will take place on Monday 11 July at 1.30pm. Parents are welcome to come and watch.

**Year 6 Swimming:** this week is our last swimming session of the year and Year 6 are welcome to join us.

**Cool Milk:** don't forget to sign your child up for milk ready for September. You can do this simply by registering at Cool Milk ([www.coolmilk.com](http://www.coolmilk.com)) and sending payment to them directly. If you need further details please contact the office.

**School Barbeque:** thank you to all for the raffle and tombola prizes sent in today. We are looking forward to the barbeque, which will take place next **Friday (15 July) between 6pm and 8pm**. There will be burgers, sausages and pork available, along with bread rolls. Please bring any other picnic items with you, such as salads, coleslaw, etc. There will be some chairs and tables available but feel free to bring your own chairs or picnic blankets. Tea, coffee and juice will be available. There will also be cakes, a slushy machine and ice creams! There will be various stalls, including craft/face-painting, lucky dip and tombola, and activities such as beat the goalie and wet the head. There will also be some games run by the children from Year 5 and Year 6. Please see the flyer attached to this newsletter.

Anything available for purchase/participation on the night will be cash only. Please bring change if you can.

Venue: school (village hall if the weather is inclement)

Time: 6pm to 8pm

Price: £3 per adult, £2 per child (cash only)

If any parents could help with organising or donating cakes, please contact the school office.

**Returning slips to school:** each classroom now has a zipper bag for items needing to go to the office. Mrs Byrne and Mr Warrilow have asked that any slips or letters being sent into school are placed in the bag, so that all items can be taken to the office together.

**Leavers' Mass:** we will be holding a special whole-school mass for our Year 6 leavers. Friends and families are welcome to join us. The mass will take place on Tuesday 19 July 2022 at 11am at Claughton church.

**Leavers' Assembly:** on the last day of school there will be a special assembly for our Year 6 children at 9.30. Families are welcome to join us.

## **The Week Ahead**

Monday 11 July

Class 1 trip to Blackpool

Sports Day

Class 1 Forest School after school club

Wednesday 13 July	Class 1 trip to Fleetwood
	Years 3–6 swimming
Thursday 14 July	Class 2 Boys' football game against St Francis
	Class 1 Art Club after school
	Class 2 Multi-skills after school club
Friday 15 July	School Barbeque 6pm to 8pm

### **Dates For Your Diary**

Tuesday 19 July	Leavers' Mass 11am – friends and families welcome
Thursday 21 July	Leavers' Assembly 9.30am – families welcome
Thursday 21 July	School closes for summer holidays <b>1.30pm</b>

**And Finally...** we continue to pray for the people of Ukraine.

Loving God,  
 We pray for the people of Ukraine, for all those suffering or afraid,  
 that you will be close to them and protect them.  
 We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.  
 We pray for the world that, in this moment of crisis,  
 we may reach out in solidarity to our sisters and brothers in need.  
 May we walk in your ways, so that peace and justice  
 become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world. Amen.

**Wishing you all a pleasant weekend and we'll see you on Monday!**



# **CLAUGHTON SCHOOL & PARISH BARBECUE**

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2022 6 - 8pm**

**Raffle**



**Tombola**



**Cakes**



**Ice cream**



**Beat the goalie**



**games and lots more!**

**Entry £3 adults  
£2 children**

**Please feel free to bring your own picnic items & salads  
(please note no dogs allowed)**

**Sausage & pork steaks very kindly donated by the Pugh  
family and burgers provided by Seddons (please note  
food may contain allergens)**