



*Our Lady of Good Help Catholic Primary School*

# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

5TH JULY- 9TH JULY 2021



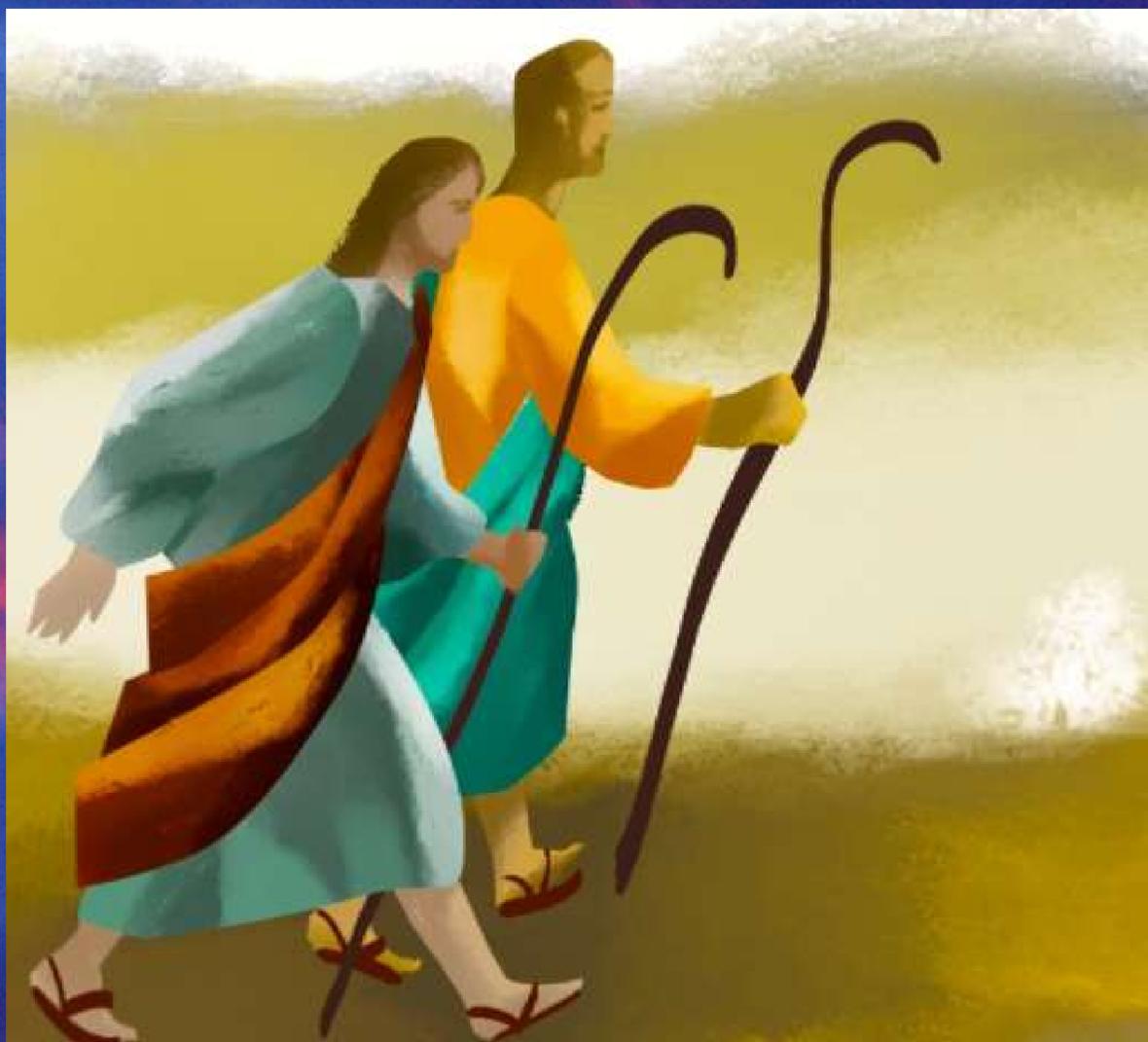
**Like Our Lady, we live wisely, think deeply and  
love generously, in Christ**

# Collective Worship

Friday 9th July 2021

## Mark 6:7-13

Calling the Twelve to him, he began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over impure spirits. These were his instructions: “Take nothing for the journey except a staff—no bread, no bag, no money in your belts. Wear sandals but not an extra shirt. Whenever you enter a house, stay there until you leave that town. And if any place will not welcome you or listen to you, leave that place and shake the dust off your feet as a testimony against them.” They went out and preached that people should repent. They drove out many demons and anointed many sick people with oil and healed them.



# This Week's Whole School Attendance

**92%**

**96% punctuality**

**Please make a huge effort to be in school on time before 8:55AM.**

**Year R**

**90%**

**Year 1**

**97%**

**Year 2**

**95%**

**Year 3**

**100%**

**Year 4**

**87%**

**Year 5**

**88%**

**Year 6**

**94%**

# RECEPTION

**ATTENDANCE**

**90%**

**PUNCTUALITY**

**94%**

**WHAT HAVE WE  
BEEN LEARNING?**



This week, Reception have enjoyed spending time outside and looking at the insects. They enjoyed working together to look after and building homes for the creatures.

In maths, we have enjoyed comparing containers and saying if there was more or less.

We have been doing lots of writing and showing our amazing phonics skills.

**STAR OF THE  
WEEK**

This week's star is..Alby for going above and beyond with his home learning and space project.



# YEAR 1

## ATTENDANCE

97%

## PUNCTUALITY

97%

## WHAT HAVE WE BEEN LEARNING?

This week, we have been working hard in school and at home too! We practised some collage techniques in our art lesson, including cutting and tearing different types of paper and gluing them to the page by overlapping. In maths, we have been busy using balance scales to measure the weight of objects. In geography, we learnt about compass directions and we all made our own compass. We also had a go at some sports day challenges at home. Next week, we will be doing lots of fun activities during home learning for our last week of term.



## STAR OF THE WEEK

This week's star is...Darcie for amazing Phonics work

# YEAR 2

## ATTENDANCE

95%

## PUNCTUALITY

97%

## WHAT HAVE WE BEEN LEARNING?



This week, Year 2 have brought into school their Under the Sea project homework. They have worked really hard on creating wonderful pieces of artwork. We are so proud of them all!

We have been learning about fractions this week, we know that a fraction is a part of a whole. We have also learnt some new mathematical language relating to fractions, numerator and denominator.

Sports Day was so much fun! We took part in running and skipping races, as well as javelin and jumping events.

## STAR OF THE WEEK

This week's star is..June - for super presentation of work and always following the school rules.



# YEAR 3

**ATTENDANCE**

**100%**

**PUNCTUALITY**

**100%**

**WHAT HAVE WE  
BEEN LEARNING?**

We have done so well adapting this week to home learning once again! On Monday, we had a creative day reflecting on our trip to Formby Beach. We took a close look at shells and created some amazing pictures from them. We also made a start on our information booklets all about Formby. Sadly, we had to move back to home learning once again the following day. During home learning we have kept up our theme of the coast and have begun a new book called Flotsam. It is an amazing picture book and we have been able to produce some fantastic writing based on it. I particularly loved seeing the children's images of their imaginary underwater world.



**STAR OF THE WEEK**

This week's star is...Drew for amazing writing and painting.

# YEAR 4

## ATTENDANCE

87%

## PUNCTUALITY

95%

WHAT HAVE WE  
BEEN LEARNING?

Year 4 have had a difficult week! Our bubble burst near the start of the week and I have been unable to do videocalls for two days. However, they have remained positive and supportive to me and each other on Google Classroom. I am very proud of them.

This week, Year 4 have been working hard on statistics, reading and answering questions on a non-fiction text, and making some incredible Art in the style of Cubism! We also took part in our own Sports Day at home, and had a Sports Day Scavenger Hunt, which was so much fun!



## STAR OF THE WEEK

This week's star of the week is... Reece for completing all of his work on Google Classroom.



# YEAR 5

## ATTENDANCE

88%

## PUNCTUALITY

94%

## WHAT HAVE WE BEEN LEARNING?

This week in Maths, we have continued our work on converting units of measure. We have also looked at time and solving time problems. In our English lessons, we have continued to write and edit our story based on the book "Gorilla" and as a class we are really working hard on this. During our R.E. lessons we are continuing to work on Stewardship and how we can look after our environment.



## STAR OF THE WEEK

This week's star is... Daisy. She has worked really hard in all of our lessons this week, giving 100% effort to everything she does.

# YEAR 6

## ATTENDANCE

94%

## PUNCTUALITY

96%

## WHAT HAVE WE BEEN LEARNING?

Year 6 have had an exciting week this week! On Monday, we had an art day. Using the book *Here We Are* by Oliver Jeffers as inspiration, the children used pastels to create an image showing them in their favourite place, surrounded by all their favourite things. The children also created a self-portrait in the style of Picasso. On Tuesday, Year 6 went to Hollywood Bowl. The children had a fantastic time having some food and playing a game of bowling - lots of children even managed to get strikes! Throughout the rest of the week, Year 6 have had a games morning with Mr Beacall, taken part in Sports Day and, on Thursday, we were joined by Father Colin for our leavers' mass., which was a beautiful mass. Year 6 are looking forward to lots more exciting activities next week!



## STAR OF THE WEEK

This week's star is... Amin for being a great sportsman and fantastic supportive team member



# SUPERHERO SIDEKICKS

## Friendship Awards



JAKE W

ELLY

DAISY

CHARLOTTE

This is awarded for going over and above by demonstrating superb friendship qualities.

# Football's Coming Home???



I am sure everyone is excited for the European Championship Final on Sunday night. We hope we will be able to have a celebration day in school on Monday... if England win! As a gesture of goodwill, we are allowing children to come to school later on Monday morning in case they have stayed up late to watch the final - the country's first in 55 years.!

**Breakfast club is open as normal at 8AM.  
The school gates will also be open between:  
8:45 - 8:55 or  
10:00 - 10:10**

**Please only arrive during the times the school gates are open.**

# Year 6 Trip to Hollywood Bowl



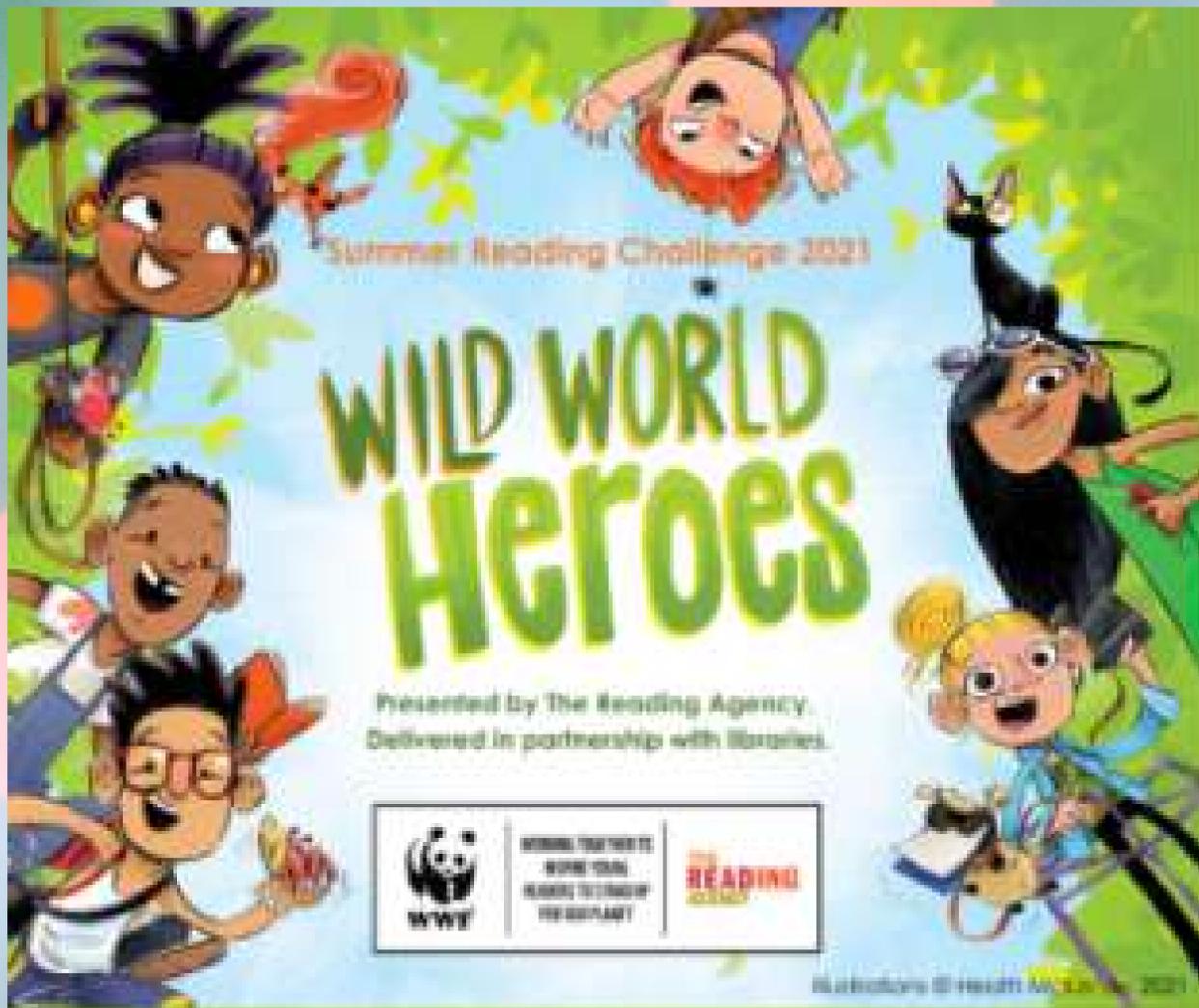
As part of our end of school celebrations Year 6 enjoyed a great afternoon of bowling this week.

We visited Hollywood Bowl where we had a delicious lunch and then got very competitive over our team bowling sessions.

We laughed all the way through and made some fantastic memories of our last weeks at Our Lady of Good Help which will last a lifetime!

We can't wait for the activities that are planned for us next week.

# Summer Reading Challenge!



Check out the website below to find out all about a very special summer reading challenge which is coming to our local libraries

<https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/news/general/wild-world-heroes-intro>

This year the challenge is all about doing our part to protect our wonderful natural world.

There are amazing books, super rewards and lots of ideas for how you can be a planet protector and we will be giving out prizes in school for those children who read the most in each class!

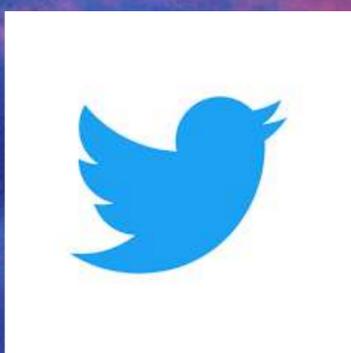
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## Key Times & Dates

Tuesday 13th July - Y5&6 trip to Formby Beach

Thursday 15th July - Y6 Leavers' Awards Assembly

Friday 16th July - Summer Term Ends (1:30PM finish)

**Monday 6th September - Autumn Term begins**