

## DATES – MAY 2016

Mon. 2nd		May Day – School Closed
Mon. 9th		Y6 SATs week starts
Wed. 11th		Y6 Leavers Photograph
Wed. 25 <sup>th</sup>		KS2 Sports Day – Northwood Stadium
Thurs. 26th	3.15 p.m.	School Closes
Mon. 6th June	8.45 a.m.	School Opens

### HOLIDAY DATES

School Closed		Monday 2nd May 2016
School Closes	3.15 p.m.	Thursday 26th May 2016
School Opens	8.45 a.m.	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> June 2016

### Class Assemblies

We will be confirming dates for class assemblies very soon.

For further information please contact:

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# St Lukian Newsletter



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CHARTER STANDARD SCHOOLS





**Strawberry Fayre 2016** – This year our Strawberry Fayre will take place on Friday 17th June 3.30 – 5.30 p.m. As usual we will need donations of bottles, cakes and items for our white elephant stall. Let's hope it will be a fine afternoon!!! Please put the date in your diary.



**Summer Show 2016** – This year our summer show will be Annie. The dates for the performances will be Thursday 30th June and Friday 1st July. We will keep you informed about tickets!

**Parking around the school** – Please ensure that you park legally and safely around school. Please do not use "Residents Only" bays, park on double yellow lines or on corners. This will help to keep our children safe and our community happy! Be aware that the CCTV car will be around and about as well as our local Police Officers and PCSO's. They will ticket poorly/illegally parked cars.

**Beanstalk.** This voluntary group offers reading sessions to children across our city. If you think you could help to hear youngsters in Stoke-on-Trent by being a reading volunteer please visit [www.beanstalkcharity.org.uk](http://www.beanstalkcharity.org.uk).

**SATs 2016** – I am sure you will join with me in wishing our Y6 pupils the very best as they move into full exam mode. The pupils have worked so hard this year and we are hopeful for another year of sustained improvement. Y2 also begin their tasks very shortly. Good luck to all!

**Uniform** – Can I remind all parents and carers that full school uniform is essential. Trainers are not suitable as school uniform – school shoes must be worn. For full details of uniform expectations please visit our website.



**Stoke Literary Festival** - This year's Stoke Literary Festival at Emma Bridgewater is from Thursday 9th June to Saturday 11th June and is being opened by author Nick Hornby. For more details see their website [www.stokeliteraryfestival.org](http://www.stokeliteraryfestival.org). There will be lots of family events on the Saturday.

**Dinner Money Reminder** - This needs to be brought into school on a Monday in an envelope with your child's name and class clearly labelled. Thank you.



**Coffee** **Cake** **and Chat. 7.30 – 9.30 am** on Friday 6th May in St. Luke's Church. Homemade cakes by Father Tommy and tea and coffee available! Father Tommy invites everyone before or after dropping the children at school! Feel free to join him. Young children most welcome. Father Tommy also invites you to his Licensing Service at Christchurch Fenton on Sunday 5th June at 4.00 p.m. All welcome.

**Health and Safety** – Would parents and carers please ensure that:

- Children are kept in sight and under your control when dropping off or collecting.
- The memorial garden is not used as a play area.
- Benches and walls are not climbed on by younger children.
- Nursery pupils are not allowed to run up and down the steps by the Y5 and Y6 entrance.

Thank you in advance for ensuring the above. In this way we can keep all of our children safe.

**Kitchen Vacancy** – We have a casual vacancy in our kitchen. For further details please contact the school office.

**Lent Appeal** – Thank you to all of our pupils and families who have supported us in our Lent Appeal. We have raised a total of £2,728.54. This is an amazing amount and will support the work of Macmillan Cancer Support well.

Here's to a marvellous May!

Thank you for your continued support.

Mr M.A. Barlow  
Headteacher