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9.5.24

Dear Parents and Carers,
I hope that you have had a good week. There are a few updates that you need to be aware of this week..

Sun Cream and Sun Hats

As the weather has finally started to improve it is important that children have sun cream and sun hats in school with them. We have very little shade on the field / playground and if your child does not have a hat or suncream in school with them we may not be able to allow them to go out onto the playground / field on sunny days.

Please note, children must apply their own suncream when they are in school, thank you.



Year 3 /4 Trip to World Museum, Liverpool

On Friday 10th May, Year 3/4 are going to the Liverpool World Museum. This is to enhance the children's learning of our current topic - Ancient Egypt. Each class will be taking part in a workshop at the museum, 'Meeting a Mummy' as well as visiting the Ancient Egypt Exhibition that is currently being run at the museum.

We are asking for a contribution of £10.50 per child. Please pay through school Gateway App.

As we will be having lunch off site, all children will need to bring a packed lunch (nut-free due to allergies) in a bag that can be thrown in the bin (not a lunchbox). We are also asking that the children bring in a water bottle that can be thrown away/recycled.

Children are not to bring their own money, as there will be no opportunity to visit the gift shop.

If your child requires an inhaler, please make sure that school has an up to date inhaler for them to take on the trip. Children should wear their school uniform.

If you have any questions, please speak to your class teacher.



Enrichment Activities w/b 13.5.24

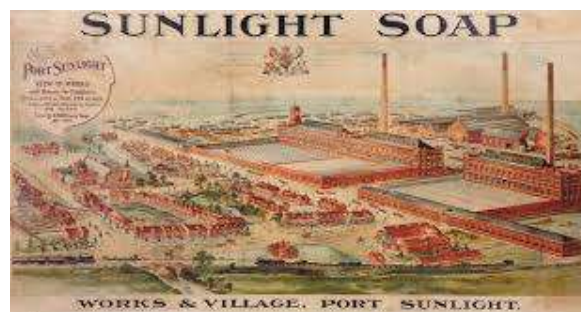
	Before School	Lunch Time	After School
Monday	Fencing CANCELLED	School Council	Netball (Yr5-6) CANCELLED Pilates (Parents and friends)
Tuesday	Judo	Tag Rugby (Yr. 5 -6)	Chess - CANCELLED
Wednesday			Dance (Yr. 1-4) Mandarin (Yr. 2 – 6) Tennis (Key Stage 2)
Thursday	Athletics		Choir
Friday		Cross Country	Football (Yr 4 – 6)

Year 1 Trip to Port Sunlight

Y1 are visiting Port Sunlight as part of their history topic on Lord Leverhulme on Friday 17th May. Please ensure Y1 pupils are dressed appropriately for the weather on the day as we are experiencing a walking tour of Port Sunlight as well as visiting the museum. Children are to bring a packed lunch in a bag that can be thrown away. If you would like your child to be provided with a lunch from school (all children in Key Stage 1 are entitled to their free school meal under the Universal Free School Meal scheme) please complete the attached Google Form [Lunch Order](#), thank you.

If you are transporting your child to Port Sunlight, please drop off in the Church Hall car park opposite the Soapworks Museum at 9:30 and collect them at 1:45. If you cannot transport your child, please drop off at school at the usual time as we will be leaving promptly at 9:10am.

The cost is £9 and is available on the School Gateway app.



Wake up Wednesday



The theme of 'Wake Up Wednesday' this week is 'Helldivers 2'.

Ten Ten Resources – May Newsletter



Please follow the link below to read the Ten Ten Resources May newsletter.

<http://www.tentenresources.co.uk/prayers-for-home/parent-newsletter/>

First Holy Communion Meeting

There will be a meeting for the parents of the children who will be receiving the Sacrament of First Holy Communion this year on Monday 13th May at 2:45pm. The meeting will be an opportunity to go over arrangements for First Holy Communion (15th June) and the Celebration Mass (22nd June).



Attendance – Every Day Counts

It is a well-known fact that good attendance and punctuality at school give children the very best chance of success at school. Whilst we acknowledge that children are unwell and unable to attend school from time to time as a school we promote the belief that ‘Every Day Counts’



Attendance – Week Beginning 8th April 2024

Class	% Attendance
Ladybirds	99%
Year 1	98.4%
Year 2	98.6%
Year 3 MP	99.2%
Year 3 SS	96.8%
Year 4	96.3%
Year 5	94.7%
Year 6	96.6%
Whole School Attendance	97.3%
Whole School Attendance to Date	95.3%

School Matters!



Chess Club

Unfortunately, Mr Battersby has had to cancel Chess Club next week (Tuesday 14th May). Chess Club will be on as normal the following Tuesday, 21st May.



Make-up and Jewellery

It has come to my attention that a number of children are wearing make-up and jewellery to school. Can I remind parents and carers that make-up (including nail varnish) and jewellery (including earrings) should not be worn in school, thank you.



Secondary Transfer – September 2025 (Children Currently in Year 5)

The children in Year 5 have received a leaflet about Secondary Transfer today. There are some important dates that you need to be aware of if your child is currently in Year 5.

1 st May	On-line registration opens
31 st May	Request for assessment registration deadline
14 th September	Upton Hall assessment date
16 th September	Selective assessment date
20 th September	St Anselm's assessment date
2 nd October	Birkenhead High School music aptitude date
21 st October	11+ results sent to parents by this date
31 st October	Preference form deadline
3 rd March	Secondary allocation day



PTA Update

Unfortunately, due to low ticket sales the PTA 'Not So Serious Music Quiz Night' has been cancelled.

The next PTA event will be the Summer Fair on Friday 28th June.



DONATE A COAT

Please ensure the following:

- The coat can fit a child of primary school age (4 -11 years old.)
- They must still be of **good** quality (please make sure that you would be happy for your child to wear it.) For example, make sure that there are no visible rips or unsightly holes.
- The item has been thoroughly washed and there is nothing in the pockets.
- Where possible, name tags or personal identification labels have been removed.



COATS FOR KIDS



WE WILL BE COLLECTING CHILDREN'S AUTUMN/WINTER COATS FOR DISTRIBUTION TO LOCAL FAMILIES IN NEED UNTIL 24TH MAY. DONATIONS CAN BE PLACED IN THE DONATION STATION AT YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL.

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I would like to enroll my child on the Educational Judo Course.
I understand that for safety reasons my child must not wear hard objects, jewelry, or accessories etc.
With all contact sports there may be a slight risk of injury. Please have your PE kit with you.

Lady Mount Primary School (KS2)

COST – £28.00

START DATE:

Tuesday 4th, 18th, 25th June, 9th and 16th July.

TIME:

8 to 8.45am

“This is a 5 Week Educational Judo Course”
Due to high demand, we shall be running a second course, first refusal will go to those who missed out on the first course.

To book your child's place, please TEXT your interest, with your child's name and school to 07812215937. We shall then message to confirm a place and how to pay. Please still bring your signed permission slip to the coach on the first week. Places are limited!

Date of Payment:			
Childs Full Name:		Class:	
Telephone No.:			
Medical Information:			
<i>Please list any medical conditions we should be aware of</i>			
Parent / Guardians Full Name:		Date:	
Parent / Guardians Signature:			

Athlete Visit

On Wednesday 22nd May, a Team GB Alpine Skier, Isla Ward, will be visiting Ladymount. Each child will have brought home a sponsor form for this event. Please see the link below to find out more about the athlete visit and the sponsor form. The deadline to return sponsor forms is Tuesday 21st May. If you prefer, you can use the Crowdfunder page to donate instead. Thank you in advance for your support!

<https://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/p/ladymount-catholic-primary-school>



Year 6 SATS

The children Year 6 will be taking their End of Key Stage 2 SATS next week (w/b 13.5.24). Whilst we believe that SATS are only one measure of children's achievements at Ladymount we want them to do their very best in the tests. Please make sure that children in Year 6 have all had a good breakfast and have their water bottles in school. If your child is unwell it is vital that you phone the school office to let school know before 8:30am, thank you.



Diary Dates

May	
3.5.24	Non Uniform Day
6.5.24	School Closed – Early May Bank Holiday
9.5.24	Ascension Thursday Mass
10.5.24	Year 3 / 4 Trip to World Museum, Liverpool
Week beginning 13.5.24	Key Stage 2 SATS
13.5.24	First Holy Communion meeting (2:45pm)
17.5.24	Year 1 Trip to Port Sunlight
Week beginning 20.5.24	Healthy Living Week
20.5.24	Ladybirds / KS1 Sports Day – 9:30am
21.5.24	KS2 Sports Day
22.5.24	Ladybirds / KS1 Reserve Sports Day – 9:30am
23.5.24	KS2 Reserve Sports Day

Have a lovely weekend,

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