

# St Michael's News



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Summer Term, 3rd July 2026

## A message from Mrs Gordon:

This week has certainly been a busy one!

On Tuesday, we held our school Holy Communion celebration, beginning with a beautiful Mass in church led by Father Fitz. It was a very special occasion, made even more memorable by the lovely Communion breakfast back at school, where the children enjoyed celebrating with their families (and eating cake too!). Thank you to everyone who helped make the day so special, and a huge congratulations once again to our 13 pupils who made their first Holy Communion this year.

Wednesday brought another exciting event with our annual whole-school transition morning. Children spent the morning getting to know their new teachers and classrooms ready for September, while our Year 6 pupils headed off to visit their new secondary schools. It was wonderful to see everyone embracing the day with such enthusiasm - they all seemed so grown up as they moved into their new year groups! We are so proud of how confidently the children approached this next step in their school journey, ahead of the new school year.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend, and I look forward to seeing you at next week's events! Mrs Gordon.



## Upcoming Events

- Y6 swimming top-ups
- Year 5 Church Visit
- Picnic Around the World- 08/07
- Transition morning 2 - 08/07
- Yr 3 Otterspool End of year trip - 09/07
- Y4 - Voice lab workshops - 10/07
- Sports day - 10/07



## After School Clubs

Day	Clubs
<b>Monday</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Cheerleading/ dance-Yr4/ Yr5</li><li>● Art Club-Yr 4</li><li>● Chess/Games- Yr3, Yr4, Yr5 and Yr6</li><li>● Lego Club- Yr 3</li><li>● Dodgeball- Yr5</li></ul>
<b>Tuesday</b>	
<b>Wednesday</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Running Club. Yr6</li><li>● Summer fun club- Reception</li><li>● Mindfulness Club- Yr 2</li><li>● Fitness club- Yr3</li><li>● Football Club-Yr3, Yr4, Yr5 and Yr6</li></ul>
<b>Thursday</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Story Explorers -Reception</li><li>● Choir- Yr3, Yr4, Yr5 and Yr6</li></ul>
<b>Friday</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Football Club LFC- Yr3</li></ul>

## Transition Support

  
**Mental Health Support**  
for children & young people in Liverpool  


### Child Worry and Anxiety

Date/Time  
13/07/2026 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

<https://www.liverpoolca.mhs.com/events/understanding-and-managing-anxiety-24>

# Holy Communion Celebration



On Tuesday we had our Holy Communion Celebration Mass. It was a beautiful and meaningful occasion, bringing together our children, families, staff and members of the parish in prayer and thanksgiving. At the end of the Mass the children were awarded a certificate and a wonderful keepsake from Father Fitz and Mrs Gordon. The children and their families were then invited back to school for a lovely brunch.

## Year 4 Knowsley Safari Trip

Our students enjoyed a fantastic trip to Knowsley Safari Park today. The safari drive was a huge hit, giving the children the chance to spot two magnificent lions alongside giraffes, meerkats, and warthogs, bringing nearly the full cast of The Lion King to life! We also caught the sea lion show, which completely captivated everyone with its impressive display. It was a wonderful day of discovery, and the children returned to school with plenty of brilliant memories to share.



# Year 5 School Trip

Year 5 had a fantastic trip to Otterspool. They tackled every outdoor challenge with vigour and teamwork. Importantly, the children's behaviour was impeccable throughout the day. They were a credit to our school. Well done year 5!



## Children's University Graduates



Congratulations to all of our Children's University graduates! Yesterday, we celebrated their curiosity, dedication, and enthusiasm for extra curricular activities. Through every activity, challenge, and new experience, they have collected enough credits to graduate from the programme. All of the children should be proud of everything they have achieved, from developing new skills to building confidence and discovering new interests. Well done on reaching this fantastic milestone!

# Spanish Day

Today, at St Michael's, it was our annual Spanish Day! Children came to school wearing red and yellow and some even wore their Spanish football kits. Children took part in a range of activities: learning the names of animals in Spanish, researching Spanish cities, researching Spanish culture, Spanish dancing and food tasting! Our Year 5 and 6 children welcomed Mr Prescott from ASFA into their class to teach them what a Spanish lesson looks like in his school. It has been an amazing day!



# KS2-KS3 Transition

Support for Parents of Year 6 Children



Support available:  
For Parents and carers

## Mental Health Support Teams - Transition Support



Parent  
workshops

Practitioners within the Liverpool Mental Health Support Teams can also deliver workshops directly to parents and carers to support with transition. These are flexible workshops designed to help parents support their child during transition, including managing anxiety and building confidence.

Coffee  
Mornings

Your MHST can also deliver sessions to parents and carers via parent evenings, coffee mornings and can based these discussions with a transition focus.

**To book either of the above - contact your mental health team practitioner directly.**

### Family Help - Parenting Team

The parenting team deliver transition workshops for parents and carers who have children who are transitioning between year 6 to 7. They cover teenage development, changing relationships and setting boundaries and routines

The team also runs the "Peep into Schools" sessions supporting school readiness from Early Years into Reception, with a pilot starting at Kingsley Primary School on 9<sup>th</sup> June 2026. This session covers play-based learning, language and communication and emotional wellbeing and routines

Family Hubs are providing school readiness sessions learning fine motor abilities, putting school uniform on all by ourselves, using the toilet independently and more.

Contact your local family hub for more information on how to arrange this support [parenting@liverpool.gov.uk](mailto:parenting@liverpool.gov.uk)



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Year 6 will be running a number of sessions to support with transition and preparing your child. However, if you would like to access further support please see information regarding additional sessions you can access.

# Summer Term - Key Dates



- 8th July - Picnic Around the World @ 2:00pm (school closes early)
- 10th July - Sports Day (KS1 AM, KS2 PM)
- 13th July - Year 6 play
- 14th July - Reports Sent Home (signed for by parents)
- 16th July - Y6 Prom
- 17th July - Prizegiving Assemblies (Rec and Y1 @ 9:15am, Y2 and Y3 @ 11:00am)
- 20th July - Prizegiving Assemblies (Y4 and Y5 @ 9:15am)
- 20th July - Nursery Graduation (11:00am and 2:30pm)
- 21st July - Y6 Leavers Assembly
- 21st July - Finish for summer @ 1:30pm

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## DOES YOUR CHILD LOVE TO SING?

OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHILDREN IN YEARS 2 TO 8

**MULTIPLE CHOIRS AVAILABLE**

FOR MORE DETAILS AND TO SIGN-UP FOLLOW THE QR CODE



Metropolitan Cathedral of Christ the King Liverpool

Archdiocese of Liverpool MUSIC

# SING. LEARN. BELONG.

Could your child become a cathedral chorister?

Children currently in **years 2-5** who love to sing are invited to apply to join the Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral Choir.

**SCAN HERE**

**UP COMING**

Meet our choristers and sing in the Cathedral at our **Be a Chorister for a day** event on 14 June 13.00-16.00.

## St Michael's Instagram Page

It's official, we are live on instagram! Come and find us & follow our school page.



Our handle is: **stmichaelsrcps**



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## Autism & ADHD Show

3 - 4 July 2026  
Exhibition Centre Liverpool

Book Tickets by following this link:

<https://autismadhdshow.co.uk/liverpool/>

### Learn Practical Strategies For Home & School Settings at

#### The Autism & ADHD Show 2026



In just 6 weeks' time, at the Exhibition Centre Liverpool, you can discover a wealth of effective strategies to help you support neurodivergent children and young people at home and in the classroom.

Here are just a few of the many presentations you will find in theatre two of the CPD accredited Autism & ADHD Talks:

- Practical ways to support children with Emotionally Based School Avoidance
- Designing AAC support that works with neurodivergent minds
- The power of symbols: unlocking understanding, regulation and engagement with Widgit
- Positive Behaviour Support: improving quality of life, health and wellbeing
- Social phobia and things to consider
- Eating with ADHD and autism
- Estate planning for vulnerable beneficiaries

Once you enter the event, all theatre sessions, workshops and one to one clinics are free to access, making The Autism & ADHD Show the best value SEND event in the UK.

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## Weekly Attendance:

R Shining Stars	98.22 %	Y3 Heroes	93.59 %
R Superstars	97.01 %	Y3 Olympians	96.43 %
Y1 Quick Thinkers	97.93 %	Y4 Hotshots	89.17 %
Y1 Record Breakers	96.67 %	Y4 Inspirations	90.74 %
Y2 Golden Wonder	92.41%	Y5 High Achievers	96.67 %
Y2 World Beaters	93.1%	Y5 High Flyers	90.95 %
		Y6 Whizz Kids	94.09 %
		Y6 Champions	95.79%

## Attendance Ladder



## ATTENDANCE INITIATIVE: Will you win a prize for your attendance this half term?

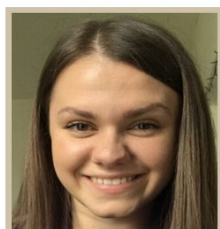
Every Friday, each child who has received 100% attendance that week will receive a gold sticker from Ms Hayes. These will be posted in our school attendance postbox. Each Monday in our Headteacher Assembly, x4 names will be drawn to win a special prize. You've got to be **IN** to **WIN!**

## Our Safeguarding Team



Mrs Birch

Safeguarding Lead



Miss Sillitoe

Safeguarding Team Member



Mrs Gordon

Headteacher Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead



Jeanette Riley

Safeguarding Governor



Sarah Reilly

Co- Designated Safeguarding Lead

If you have any concerns or questions, please speak to a member of the team

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## Useful Links

- [Term Dates for the Academic Year 2025-26](#)
- [Term Dates for the Academic Year 2026-27](#)
- More information on [School Uniform](#)
- More Information on [Family Support Worker](#)
- More Information on [Attendance and Punctuality](#)
- More Information on [Extra-curricular Activities](#)
- More information on [Food Bank](#)