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NEWSLETTER FOR WEEK COMMENCING
 10th May 2021

Monday	Catch Up Year 4 & 6 - 3:15-4:15pm
Tuesday	
Wednesday	Catch Up Year 5 - 3:15-4:15pm, Football Skills Year 4 - 3:15-4:15pm
Thursday	Catch Up Year 3 - 3:15-4:15pm
Friday	

Last Weeks Attendance Figures - Rec-100%, Year 1 -100%, Year 2 -100%, Year 3 -98.81%, Year 4-99.44%, Year 5 -100%, Year 6 -99.44%. Congratulations to Years 1, 2, 5 & Reception this week. These are the best weekly attendance figures we have had for several years!

I will start with our assembly today, which was the last with Rev Kim before she leaves St Saviours, to move to her new parish, in Scotland. Everybody at the school wishes her well for this new chapter in her life. We need to say a huge thank you to 'The Wonderful' Rev Kim for all the hard work she has done in school, and for the Governing Board. She will be missed by all of us.

There has been a change to the teacher taking over from Mrs Delaney. Miss Daly will return into Year 2 from next Monday. Mrs Delaney will leave us on Friday with all our good wishes. She will return during the next school year.

I can tell everyone that Mr Moorhouse is now recovering well after his recent operation. He is due to be back with us after the half term break.

Our choir have been practicing, in an isolated way. They will be recorded by Mr Gough in the last week before half term. This recording will then be sent to the Music Service as our Music Festival performance.

All Covid procedures remain in place at present. I sent a letter on Friday which gave information in light of recent events. Any changes will be given to you when they are needed. Please also find below a letter from Bolton Council regarding the current situation in parts of the borough.

Can I ask that parents don't use the class email, unless in Reception, from now on. If a parent needs to contact school they can use the office email detailed above, and a reply will arrive quickly.

Unfortunately we didn't receive the flyers for the holiday club as originally planned, they may arrive on Wednesday and if so will be left in the reception foyer, however if you need details you can visit <https://www.keypesports.co.uk> or contact sportcamps@keypesports.co.uk direct.

Please use the school website www.stsaviourschool.com for any missed letters. Subscribe to receive our weekly newsletter by email or download our mobile app, where you can find info about Newsletters, messages from school, Calendar Dates, latest news and photos. The app is available from the Google Play Store and the App Store, search for School Jotter. Follow us on Facebook & Twitter at @stsaviource. To log into the online payment system click on the following link <https://www.sims-pay.co.uk>

If you need to change any information we hold for your child ie contact information, consents, please contact the school office.

SPECIAL MENTION - Well done to the following children who have worked hard last week in school
 Reception-Charlotte, Class 1-Sanvir, Class 2-Ben,
 Class 3-Amber, Class 4-Laura, Class 5-Lexie, Class 6-Lewis



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

School will close for half term - Friday 28th May returning to school Monday 14th June

PTA NEWS

The next PTA meeting will take place on the 18th May 2021 at 7.30pm.

The PTA are organising a summer raffle, if any Parents/Carers run their own business or work for a company that would be able to donate a raffle prize, please contact the PTA at stsaviourpta@hotmail.com. Thank you

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Dear all,

Bolton Council and its partners have agreed a phased response plan after cases of the South African and Indian variants of Covid-19 were identified in parts of the borough. A combination of interventions will take place, including enhanced testing through extensive PCR testing programme, enhanced contact tracing and increased vaccination which will be rolled out in Rumworth, Deane and Great Lever starting on Friday (May 7).

What is enhanced testing?

Enhanced testing to being used to reduce our increasing rates of Covid-19 and to help us better understand the variants and the way we respond to them, we are asking **everyone living or working in** the affected area to take a PCR Covid-19 test from Friday, May 7th.

Working in partnership with NHS Test and Trace, anyone living or working in Rumworth, Deane and Great Lever **who does not have Covid-19 symptoms** is strongly encouraged to take a PCR test this week through either our mobile testing unit or our local collection points.

Mobile Testing Units (MTUs) will be offering PCR testing to asymptomatic residents:

- Memory Lane Wedding Venue, Gilnow Lane (BL3 5EL)
- Makkah Mosque, Grecian Crescent (BL3 6QU)

Home test kits are also available for collection and return at:

- Deane Road Temple (Shree Swaminarayan Mandir), 161 Deane Road (BL3 5AH)
10am-4pm each day, no appointment needed.

More testing sites and additional measures to control the spread of the virus will be announced in the coming days, and we will send regular updates when they are available. We are also enhancing our contact tracing service for anyone who tests positive and is asked to self-isolate.

Vaccination

These measures will include increased vaccination of residents in the affected areas. People will be invited to get their vaccination at a selection of pop-up sites, including the vaccination bus.

The vaccination bus will be at Masjid E Ghosia Mosque in Caroline Street between 1pm and 6pm, on Saturday, May 8. The bus will be situated in the car park, behind the mosque building, access via Barbara Street.

More details on the arrangements for next week will follow.

Reminding our residents to stick to the rules

The presence of the variants, and the recent increase of the local infection rate, serve as a reminder that the Covid-19 pandemic is far from over. It is also important to remember that the virus is spreading within our community and not isolated to any one setting.

We must take every opportunity to remind residents of the Covid-19 guidelines and urge them to stick to the rules.

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We remain at Step 2 of the government's Covid-19 roadmap and people **should not** be meeting indoors with anyone outside their household or bubble.

Meetings outdoors remain limited to six people or two households.

Basic steps such as regular hand washing, maintaining social distancing when meeting others outdoors, wearing face coverings and letting fresh air in, remain the best defence against the virus spreading.

Additional information

- Everyone who has tested positive for the variants of Covid-19 been asked to self-isolate and have been through an enhanced contact tracing process.
- Covid-19 variants **do not** cause more severe illness and evidence shows that vaccines remain effective against them.
- Anyone in the area **who does have Covid-19 symptoms** should book a test as normal through <https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test> and attend one of the regular PCR sites.
- Anyone with a positive PCR test in the last 90 days does not need to take part in surge testing.
- Anyone who tests positive during the surge testing programme must self-isolate immediately and pass on their contacts' details to NHS Test and Trace.
- Financial help and other support are available for those asked to self-isolate