

May '18

Mon 7th May

- ◆ Bank Holiday - School Closed

Tues 8th May

- ◆ Mental Toughness Week
- ◆ Y5 to visit World Museum Liverpool - Terracotta Army

Thurs 10th May

- ◆ Y3 trip to Liverpool Museum

Mon 14th May

- ◆ Assessment Week 1

Thurs 17th May

- ◆ Junior School Disco

Mon 21st May

- ◆ Assessment Week 2

Fri 25th May

- ◆ PTA Chocolate Donation Day for Summer Fair
- ◆ **Finish for Half Term 3.10/3.20pm**

June '18

Mon 4th June

- ◆ **Return to School**
- ◆ Walk to School Week
- ◆ Healthy Eating Week
- ◆ Kidz Fit

Tues 5th June

- ◆ Kidzfit

Fri 8th June

- ◆ Y1 Knights & Castles Workshop
- ◆ Y5 Trip to Formby Beach & Eco Centre

Saturday 9th June

- ◆ Saturday Smarties MTGS Y4 & 5

Mon 11th June

- ◆ AJIS Rounders Tournament

Wed 13th June

- ◆ PTA Fathers' Day Pop Up Shop

Junior House Swim Gala



Well done to all the girls who took part in the Junior Gala earning valuable points for their Houses. Winners included:-

Endeavour Awards:-	Y3	Amelia Smith & Lucia Whiteside
	Y4	Ellie Lattimer & Scarlett Adderley
	Y5	Grace Bogan & Ellie Curd
	Y6	Rashmitha Ragupathy & Mayhukhi Mittal

U8 Champion

Isabella Jones

U9 Champion

Mya Laycock & Dione Doctzan

U10 Champion

Evie Clark & Evie Warnock

U11 Champion

Mary Nichols

Stanfield Shield

Isabella Kirby for Improvement

Stanfield Cup

Mary Nichols for Outstanding Contribution

Swimming Award

Anya Laycock for Dedication & Commitment

Colours

Olivia Davidson, Sadie Holt, Mary Nichols, Anya Laycock, Freya Kelly, Katie Loan, Evie Odium & Varshaa Premakantha

New Record

Congratulations to Evie Warnock Y5 who set a new record in the U10 Breaststroke - 18.70

House Champions

Sapphire

154 points

Music Lessons



There will be **no Guitar** lessons this week (due to Bank Holiday Monday).

Woodwind Lessons



(Clarinet, Flute & Sax) will take place this week on **Thursday (10th May)**.

Mental Toughness Week



This week the children will be focusing on Mindfulness with relaxation techniques.

Y2 to Y6 will be taking part in a yoga session and the junior girls will be completing their own Mental Toughness Questionnaire.

June '18

Fri 15th June

- ◆ Visiting Morning
- ◆ Y5 Bikeability
- ◆ Infant Sports Day
MTBS 1.00pm

Sat 16th June

- ◆ National Swimming
Finals in Sheffield

Mon 18th June

- ◆ Y6 PSHE Talk for
Parents 2.15pm

Tues 19th June

- ◆ Induction Day for New
Pupils (& meet your new
teacher for Sept)
- ◆ PTA Nearly New
Uniform Sale

Wed 20th June

- ◆ IEP Reviews
- ◆ Y4 PSHE Talk for
Parents 2.15pm

Thurs 21st June

- ◆ IEP Reviews
- ◆ French Day
- ◆ AJIS Athletics Witton
Park Blackburn
- ◆ New Reception for Sept
'18 Parents' Evening

Fri 22nd June

- ◆ New Reception pupils
Sept '18 Taster Morning
- ◆ Y5 Bikeability

Mon 25th June

- ◆ Y6 IEP Reviews
- ◆ Y2 Visit to Blue Planet
Aquarium

Tues 26th June

- ◆ Junior Sports Day AM
at Edge Hill University

Thurs 28th June

- ◆ Y4 PSHE Talk

Fri 29th June

- ◆ Y2 Taster Day at MTBS
- ◆ Y5 Taster Day at MTGS
- ◆ PTA Summer Fair 3.30-
5.30pm

July '18

Tues 3rd July

- ◆ Reception Parents' Drop
in 8.20-9.00am
- ◆ Singing Exams

Well Done to our **MERIT WINNERS**

Merits were awarded for pupils' Code of Conduct 'Commitment':-

EMERALD HOUSE Phoebe Whitfield 1L, Olivia Nugent 1H, Hugo Syms 2B, Scarlett Sugden 2R, Evie-Jo Murphy 3S, Lauren Underwood 4C, Anya Jain 4R & Leonie O'Tham 5N

GARNET HOUSE Kaydee Robinson 1L, Sujaani Mathanraj 1H, Ava Schorah 4R, Ella Kops

SAPPHIRE HOUSE Jack Wiles 1M, Oliver Rushton 2B, Oliver Kirby 2G, Isaac Loan 2R, Beatrice Osman-Farah 2S, Daisy Turner 3JJ, Amelie Katz-Brennan 4C, Serenne Crosbie 5C & Grace Bogan 5N

TOPAZ HOUSE April Humphreys 1M, Jay Roy 2G, Jacob Whalley 2S, Alhawraa Alqallaf 3JJ & Jashvini Ragupathy 3S

Winners this week are **TOPAZ - 227 points**

Infant Sports Award



Awarded for children demonstrating fine sporting behaviour in their PE lessons:-

Rec Freddie Jones

Y1 Alexander Mohammed

Y2 Alana Gregson

Sun Cream

With warmer, sunnier weather on the way, children need to put on their sun cream before they come to school. **Thank you**



Y6 Newlands Trip



Please take a look at our Y6 residential trip to Newlands:-
<https://mtpsnewlands2018.wordpress.com/>

Scholastic Book Club



There's still time to order new exciting books at great prices through the Book Club. Please order on-line via:-

<http://schools.scholastic.co.uk/stanfield-merchant-taylors>

For every £1.00 you spend on books, our school will earn 25p in Scholastic Rewards! **Please order on-line before Tuesday 8th May.** Thank you.

July '18

Wed 4th July

- ◆ Reception Parents' Drop in 8.20-9.00am
- ◆ Singing Exams
- ◆ Y6 PSHE Talk
- ◆ Junior Summer Concert

Thurs 5th July

- ◆ Reception Parents' Drop in 8.20-9.00am

Fri 6th July

- ◆ Y6 Fun Day

Mon 9th July

- ◆ Circus Fun Day Rec-Y6

Tues 10th July

- ◆ Y2 Prize Giving 9.00am
- ◆ Reception Celebration PM
- ◆ Infants End of Term 3.20pm

Wed 11th July

- ◆ Junior Girls End of Term Prize Giving 9.00am at MTGS

Sept '18

Thurs 6th Sept

- ◆ Return to School

May Half Term Holiday Clubs

Boys' School

Tuesday 29th May - Friday 1st June. 8.00am-6.00pm.

£25.00 per day or 4 days for £90.00. **Book before Friday 18th May for an Early Booking discount - £85.00 for 4 days.**

Lots of activities including: Cookery, Sports, ICT Workshops, Swimming and a trip to the local cinema to see 'Sherlock Gnomes'.

Letter :- <http://bit.ly/2HudWQE> / Booking Form:-<http://bit.ly/2H5X3It>

Sporting Land (Ian Robinson Sports Centre)

Tuesday 29th May - Friday 1st June. 8.00am-6.00pm.

To book and for further information follow the link:- <http://bit.ly/2Kedgkx>



Saturday Smarties 9th June

Y4, 5 & 6

Fun activities for girls in Y4, 5 & 6. Come & see what's happening in Spaghetti Structures and Brain Gym.

£15.00 per ticket. 9.00am-12.15pm

Booking essential via <http://bit.ly/2nSeUKP>

Visiting Morning

Friday 15th June

9.15am-12 noon



An opportunity for families to visit Merchant Taylors' School whilst we are in session.

Please pop in to see us or book a tour via:

<http://bit.ly/2BMeiQi>

Y5 Taster Day Friday 29th June



An opportunity for Y5 girls & boys from any school to spend a day at MTGS or MTBS for fun lessons and activities.

Free admission and lunch is provided.

Booking is essential <http://bit.ly/2Hw6FMM>

Merchant Taylors' Y5 pupils do not need to book.

Fathers' Day Pop Up Shop



The Fathers' Day Pop Up Shop forms need to be in by Friday 25th May.

Forms are available from the school office.