



St Veronica's Weekly Newsletter

Not just a school; a family.

**"At St Veronica's, we recognise the face of Christ in every person,
serving others with love, kindness and respect."**

Welcome to our Weekly Newsletter!

8th
June
2026

Welcome back to our final half term of the school year — I hope you all had a restful break. Hopefully the weather will be kind to us because we have lots of outdoor activities planned: Reception's Bike sessions, regular Forest School, Sports Day and the PTFA Summer Fair, to name a few. Our outdoor programme is already looking very exciting and will give the pupils plenty of chances to learn, play and celebrate together.

This last half term is always busy and special. We are preparing pupils carefully to move into their next class and getting ready to say goodbye to our Year 6 children as they move on to secondary school. At the same time we are making warm preparations to welcome our new children who will join St Veronica's in September 2026. We are also writing end-of-term reports so we can celebrate the achievements of every pupil — look out for these coming home soon.

We continue to develop our School and Class Worship and now use the Chapel at the back of the Church Hall each Thursday morning. You are very welcome to join us for these services whenever you can; the children value seeing our community together in prayer.

During half term we completed the last of our internal building upgrades: the KS1 corridor has been freshly painted and looks lovely. Outside, we now have a brand new Outdoor Classroom — a project part-funded by the PTFA 100 Club. If you can, please consider joining the 100 Club for just £2.50 a month — small contributions add up and make projects like this possible. I'm looking forward to a busy but happy half term of learning, celebration and community. Thank you for your continued support.

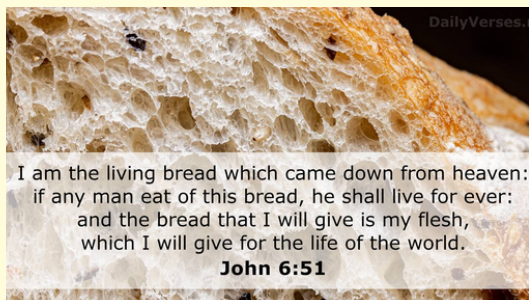
With best wishes,
Mrs Cawtherley

Sunday 7th June

Gospel: John 6:51-58

Sunday 7th June 2026 – the Gospel reading for this Sunday celebrates the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi).

In this passage, Jesus teaches about the **Eucharist**, emphasizing that eternal life comes through partaking in His body and blood. He says, "I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever. The bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world"



Each week, we celebrate some of our shining stars in our Praise Assembly!

We have added a new award each Friday – a Mission Award for those children whom staff have witnessed embodying our Mission Statement.

Golden Book

R	Casey & Evra
Y1	Jacob M & Shelby
Y2	Elijah & Stanley
Y3	Lucas & Amelia
Y4	Liliana & Harper
Y5	Oliver & Ella
Y6	Harriet & Rohan

Mission Award

Tommy
Esme
Erin
Lincoln
Jacob
Lucy
Tom & Clara

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK?

MON 8	TUE 9	WED 10	THUR 11	FRI 12
- Year 4 only Forest School - New Gift Team Training - Bike Sessions for Reception	- Guitar lessons - Bike Sessions for Reception - KS2 Football Club	- Intervention Forest School - Bike Sessions for Reception - Phonics Screening	- Stay & Pray Year 4 @ 9am - Phonics Screening - Forest School Year 5 & Year 6 - Creative Writing Club	- Phonics Screening - Praise & Mission Assembly - Gymnastic Sessions Year 4 & Year 5 - Gymnastic Club - Reception Bake Sale
LUNCHES				
- Sausage Roll - Tomato Pasta - Jacket Potato	- Pulled Pork Burritos - Mac n Cheese - Jacket Potato	- Roast Chicken Dinner - Loaded Wedges - Sandwiches	- Burger - Tomato Pasta - Jacket Potato	- Fish & Chips - Pizza - Sandwiches

Reception Learn to Ride Sessions

on Monday 8th to Wednesday 10th June our Reception children will be taking part in Go Velo's – Learn to Ride a Bike Programme. The children do not need to bring in a bike or helmet as these are provided. The children do not need any special clothing, although children who are wearing dresses or skirts may wish to wear shorts underneath. Consent forms should have already been completed and returned to school. There will be no Forest School on the first week back due to the Bike Sessions, it will commence on Monday the 15th June.

Forest School Sessions

This half term's Forest School sessions are as follows:

Mondays: Reception & Year 4

Wednesday: Intervention Children

Thursday: Year 5 and Year 6

All FS children should have a change of clothes for FS, but this term hats and sun cream for protection are recommended.

Gymnastics Sessions

Year 4 and 5 will be taking part in coached Gymnastic Sessions on Friday afternoons for the next 5 Fridays. Please ensure your child has their indoor PE Kit in school.

Stay and Pray

Year 4 are welcoming visitors to their Stay and Pray this week – **Thurs 9am**.

This week we will be holding our Stay and Pray in the Chapel in the Church Hall, we will be offering tea or coffee afterwards.

St Veronica's School Eco Club

Our school eco club work hard week in week out to assist in creating a more sustainable school. From gardening to growing our own produce to composting and collecting rain water our Eco Team and the Eco Leads have made a great impact. The KS2 Eco Team members will soon be travelling to Ewood Park to take part in an annual School's Sustainability Conference – more details to follow.

Attendance 18 – 22 MAY

Reception ✨
93.8%

Year 1
97.4%

Year 2
97.9%

Year 3
89.4%

Year 4
92.3%

Year 5
94.6%

Year 6
98.6%

If you need any help, feel free to contact school.

Email bursar@stveronicas.co.uk
Phone **01706 226315**

After School Club
Early Bird Club

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Future dates for your diary

June



Mon 8th June

School re-opens for Summer 2 Term



**Mon 8th & Tues
9th & Wed 10th
June**

Reception Learning to Ride sessions



Thur 11th June

Stay and Pray Year 4 at 9am in the Church Hall



Thur 18th June

Stay and Pray Year 3 at 9am in the Church Hall



Thur 25th June

Stay and Pray Year 2 at 9am in the Church Hall

July



Thur 2nd July

Stay and Pray Year 1 at 9am in the Church Hall



Thur 9th July

Stay and Pray Year 6 at 9am in the Church Hall



Fri 10th July

St Veronica's Day and Sports Day and Summer Fair