



Tiptree St Luke's Church of England VC Primary School

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"Teach children how they should live, and they will remember it all their life." Proverbs 22:6

Data protection: Please notify the office if you change your details or change your mind about consent.

Friday 19th June

Consortium Sports

We took a large group of KS2 children to take part in the Consortium Sports event against a range of other schools. The children took part in running, jumping and throwing activities during the afternoon. Overall, we came 5th. Within the event, we took one 1st place, four 2nd places and ten 3rd places. Thank you to the parents for transporting the children, and Mrs Heard, Mrs Phillippo and Mr Moriarty for attending the event.



Just Collect Pennies- Pond Renovation

A huge thank you to all of the families who supported the School Council with their Just Collect Pennies fund raising! All of the money raised will be going towards the pond renovation led by Ollie (year 4) and Mr Clarke. We were amazed that we raised a total of £495!! The winning class with the most pennies was.....Sycamore! They will be receiving a treat in school.



INVESTORS
IN PEOPLE



Community Challenge

A group of year 6 children have been taking part in the Community Challenge over the last year. This is a voluntary programme led by Mrs Walker, and the children research an area of local interest, volunteer 2 hours to help others, take part in learning new skills and become creative! The final element of the programme is the team building day, which was held at Prances Cottage this week. Well done to all of the children who completed the programme, and thanks to Miss Polley, Mrs Howell, Miss Latham and Miss Cotterill for supporting on the day.



Big Question

Each week we have a big question to focus on linked to RE and spirituality. The purpose of this is to create respectful, critical thinkers who are religiously literate, curious and excited about RE. This week the big question is:

Do animals think like humans?

It would be wonderful for families to discuss this question and share their thoughts.



WOW Moment

George F was awarded player of the week at his cricket club for superb batting and bowling skills.



Charlie C in year 3, took his First Holy Communion on Sunday 14th June at St Mary Immaculate and the Holy Archangels Catholic church in Kelvedon. We are pleased you enjoyed your special day, Charlie.



Staffing

We would like to welcome Mr Jamie Hammond to the St. Luke's team. He will be a key holder to lock and unlock for lettings and events.

School Council

This week the School Council met this morning and discovered how much they had help raise for the pond renovation and which class won.



Special Achievement Award

Congratulations to all of the children who received a certificate in the celebration worship today: Skye F, Maxwell, June, Ben T, Harrison P, Max C, Lori, Sophie K, Lacie, Aurora, Jessica, Esther, Seth, Seth, Erica, Henry B, George P and Skye R.

Reminders & Dates for the Diary

Staff will aim to deal with any **emailed queries** in three working days however if you haven't received a response, please contact admin@stlukesschool.co.uk who will investigate the matter for you.

When reporting your child's absence, you must leave a message on the **absence phone line** (01621 815456 option 2). This is the first line of communication that is checked in the morning and if you email the office, staff will not see this until registers have been processed.

Second-hand uniform is available every Tuesday opposite the main reception area between 3pm-3.30pm

If your child is missing any items of clothing, parents are able to check the **lost property box** in the school car park.

School Dates: The new academic year dates and INSET days for 2025/2026 are published on our website.

EYFS – Reception Conker		KS1 – Years 1 & 2 Oak, Sycamore and Silver Birch	LKS2 – Year 3 & 4 Apple, Plum and Elder	UKS2 – Years 5 & 6 Marula, Baobab and Acacia
		Event		Parents Invited / Additional
June	20 th Jun	PTFA Summer Fun Day		All welcome
	23 rd June	Year 3 and 4 Egyptian Day- Portals in the Past		
July	2 nd July	Sports Day		All welcome

	8 th July	Year 5 Taster Morning at Thurstable (9.45-12.45)	
	9 th July	Conker Class trip to Danbury Park	
	10 th Jul	Year 6 Production at the Headgate Theatre (more information to follow)	Year 6 parents/carers
	10 th July	Year 1 and 2 Outdoor Adventurous Day (more information to follow)	
	13 th July	Meet The Teacher 3.30pm KS1 4pm LKS2 4.30pm UKS2 (letter to follow)	All welcome
	15 th July	Year 6 Leavers Service- 6pm in the church	Year 6 parents/carers
	16 th Jul	PTFA Summer disco (more information to follow)	
Sep	2 nd Sep	First day of the new autumn term	
	24 th Sep	Flu Vaccine Day	
Oct	6 th Oct	Year 1 and 2 trip to Ipswich Museum (more information to follow)	
	15 th Oct	KS2 VR WOW Day (more information to follow)	

Learning Characteristics

Taking Risk	Being Inquisitive	Making Links	Co-operation	Resilience	Reflecting
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Appointment of Learning Support Assistant (Task Related – supporting a child in EYFS from 1st September 2026)

Clare Walker, SENCO, on 01621 815456 clare.walker@stlukesschool.co.uk if you have any queries.

Closing date: 29th June 2026 at midnight

Interviews: week beginning 6th July 2026

This is a temporary contract until 25th March 2027

due to the allocation of IPRA funding. There may be

a potential extension if an EHCP is in place by then.

Monday- Friday, term time only, 9am- 12.30pm (with a 30 minute unpaid break).

This role is supporting a super young boy within the EYFS classroom. It will focus on mainly physical access to the outdoor area, continuous provision activities and supporting in PE lessons. It will also include a basic element of assisting with self-care and personal skills i.e. opening packets, dressing and some aspects of intimate care. There will also be the opportunity to deliver some 1:1 or small group interventions including physiotherapy and fine motor skills.

There is no training requirement, as this will be provided as part of the role.

Please apply via www.essexschoolsjobs.co.uk

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**SUMMER
2026
JULY
AUGUST**



SUMMER OF FUN

MALDON UNITED FC

SUMMER CAMPS

WEEK 1: 21st & 22nd July

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WEEK 3: 13th & 14th August

WEEK 4: 18th & 19th August

TIME: 9:30am - 3:00pm
VENUE: Heybridge Swifts Stadium
AGES: Year 1 to Year 7

MORE SESSIONS

1 TO 1 TRAINING:
Dates: Every week
Time: Mornings & Evenings
Location: Maldon & Chelmsford

SMALL GROUP SESSIONS:
Dates: W/C August 3rd & 24th
Location: Maldon & Chelmsford

FRIDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL:
Dates: Every Friday W/C 24th July
Time: 5:30pm-6:30pm
Location: Heybridge Swifts Stadium

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11+ Open Evening

Tuesday 23rd June

6.30pm - 9pm

Day school for boys ages 11-18 years
with a co-ed Sixth Form and Boarding



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No booking required

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