



# St Theresa's News

"TO DO THE LITTLE THINGS WELL"

## The start of 2024

It was one of the biggest highlights of the school year to watch the year 5 and year 6 children perform *The Tempest* at the Shakespeare North Theatre. It was an enchanting performance and I was so impressed at how the children used the stage, their physicality and Shakespeare's wonderful dialogue to tell the tale of a shipwrecked crew arriving on the magical island inhabited by Prospero, Ariel, Miranda and Caliban. All of the cast were sublime and Mr Bain's direction was outstanding.

I was also incredibly pleased to see the safe return of Years 3, 4 and 6 from Crosby Hall residential trip. All of the children had an amazing time and moreover they were a credit to the school and yourselves as parents.

Mrs Johnson

## Attendance

St Theresa's attendance for  
January was: **93.26%**

St Theresa's attendance for  
February was: **95.02%**

As a school we are aiming for 96%.



## Please note ....

School closes for the Easter  
holiday on:

Thursday 28th March 2024

School reopens for Summer 1:

Monday 15th April 2024 8:30am



## Dates for your diary

Thursday 7th March - World Book Day  
(Please see separate app for details)

Friday 15th March - Reception assembly

Friday 15th March - Comic Relief

Thursday 28th March - Year 5 performance of the Easter  
Passion in Church. All welcome.

# Highlights of the month

## Year 3 & 4 Crosby Visit



Year 3 and 4 visited Crosby Hall at the end of January. They had a brilliant time taking on the climbing wall, the adventure course, orienteering in the woods and building shelters. They represented our school brilliantly and they should be so proud of themselves. They also learned a little more independence along the way having to make their own beds and tidy the dining room after each meal.

## Shakespeare Performance

On Thursday 29th February some students from year 5 and 6 performed their version of 'The Tempest' to an audience at the Shakespeare North Playhouse. They were absolutely incredible - they performed with such confidence, projecting their voices and using their position on the stage to retell the Shakespearian tale.



A special mention to Mr Bain for all in hard work in preparing the children for the performance. He directed with imagination and a true eye for detail. Thank you.



## Crosby - Yrb

Year 6 visited Crosby - all be it a little prematurely - as one of the ways in which we mark the end of year 6 and the end of their time with us.

24 children took on the climbing wall, abseiling, participated in a whole class curling competition, the adventure course, made their own pizzas and navigated themselves through the forest.

They behaved incredibly and should be proud of their determination and the maturity they showed on the trip.