

The Week Ahead

Saturday 30th April

Festival Club to dance in the Town Square – 10am

Monday 2nd May

School closed - Bank Holiday Monday

Wednesday 4th May

Toddler Group 9-10:15am

Year 4 Swimming Lessons

Y6 SATS After School club 3:15-4:30pm-**Last One**

Y3/4/5 After school summer sports club-Cricket/Tennis/Rugby 3:15-4:15

Thursday 5th May

Year 3/Private tuition Music lessons

Y3/4 After school football club 3:15-4:15pm

Friday 6th May

Under 9s Mini Tennis final at St Bernard's 3:30pm

Final payment due for Y6 Residential visit

First Holy Communion

A number of our children are preparing to receive First Holy Communion.

Sessions in church are as follows:

Sunday 1st May 10:15am

Tuesday 3rd May 7pm-Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sunday 15th May 10:15am

Tuesday 17th May 6pm-Rehersal and 2nd Confession

Sunday 22nd May-First Holy Communion -11am

Sunday 12th June Follow up class 10:15am

Please keep these children and their families in your prayers at this special time.

Festival Club

Please note, there is no after-school club this week – last Friday was the last session. The children will be given socks, sashes and ribbons on Friday to bring home.

Attendance last week

F2	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
87.4%	97.7%	99.3%	96.1%	93.8%	98.7%	98.3%

Congratulations to Y2 winners - a hat trick. Keep it up!

Miss Matthews: Marathon Woman

Miss Matthews completed the London Marathon in 4 hours 5 mins and 58 seconds. Yet again, she qualifies for next year's marathon! She is devoting some of her new-found time to seeking out new sponsors!

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Thursday 28th April 2016

Dear parents and carers

Attached to this newsletter are term dates for school year 2016/17. Easter is very late next year and so we have decided to align our Eater break with Rotherham Local Authority and St. Pius School.

Jess Cup

The Jess Cup is awarded each week to a pupil who demonstrates impeccable behaviour and makes a good contribution to school life. Winner of the Jess Cup this week was Catie Lincoln. Congratulations!

Kindness Awards

The following children were nominated by their peers and received a kindness award in KS2 assembly this week: Caitlin Harrison, Jessica Jackson, Oliwia Borowiec, and Tyler Weekes. Well done!

Class Led Gospel Assemblies

Each class takes a turn at leading our Gospel assemblies on Monday afternoons at 2:45pm. You are always welcome to join with us. The following classes will be leading assemblies this half term:

Monday 9th May Year 4

Monday 16th May Foundation 2

Monday 23rd May Year 3

Y6 SATS breakfast club

This runs from Monday 9th to Thursday 12th May. Doors open to Y6 at 8:30. We provide breakfast and the opportunity to relax with friends before tests and we have found it to be beneficial for the majority of Y6 children to attend during SATS week. There is no cost for Y6 but please note that Y6 children will not be able to come into school before 8:30 unless they are **booked into** the normal school breakfast club which runs for all children from 8am

Dates for your diary

Mon 9 th - Thur 12 th May	Y6 SATS
Thursday 12 th May	KS2 Tri Golf team to Waterfront Golf Club
Friday 13 th May	Wath Comprehensive teachers to work with Y6 children moving up in September
Tuesday 17 th May	Under 9's Cricket final at Thorpe Hesley Cricket Club.
Wednesday 18 th May	Y5/6 Visit to Forest School
Thursday 19 th May	Y3/4 Visit to Forest School
Friday 20 th May	Wath Comprehensive teachers to work with Y6 children moving up in September
Tuesday 24 th May	Under 11's Rounders Festival at St Pius
Thursday 26 th /27 th May	Y5/6 Cycle training
Friday 27 th May	Last day of school for spring bank holiday
Monday 6 th June	Return to school after school holiday
Friday 24 th June	Sports Day
Mon/Tue 27 th /28 th June	Y6 children moving to Wath Comp Transition days
Wed 29 th June-1st July	Y6 Residential
Tuesday 5 th July	Y3 and Y4 Shakespeare Festival - evening
Wednesday 6 th /Thursday 7 th July	FS2/KS1 Presentation KS2 Movement Presentation
Monday 11 th July	Changeover Day Y6 children moving to St Pius transition day
Thursday 14 th July	Leavers' Assembly - pm
Friday 15 th July	Leavers' Mass – am This will include the Passing on of the Candle

New Menus week 2

Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Red	Cottage Pie	Italian Chicken Pasta	Cornish Pasty	Roast Chicken & Sage & Onion Stuffing	Harry Ramsden Battered Fish
Yellow	Quorn Chilli & Rice	Cheese & Tomato Pizza	Macaroni Cheese	Salmon Pasta Bake	Cheese & Potato Layer
Green	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings
Blue	Tuna Mayonnaise	Cheese	Ham	Turkey	Egg Mayonnaise
	Sliced Potatoes	Garlic Bread Potato Wedges	Creamed Potatoes	Roast & Creamed Potatoes	Chips
	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables
	Chocolate Sponge & Chocolate Sauce	Jam Whirl & Custard	Australian Crunch	Toffee Apple Sponge & Custard	Chocolate Chip Shortbread & Custard
	Strawberry Mousse	Cookie & Milk	Fruit Jelly	Iced Finger	Viennese Whirl & Juice
	Assorted Desserts	Assorted Desserts	Assorted Desserts	Assorted Desserts	Assorted Desserts

Special Diners

Ava Poole, Grace Waring, Hannah Stead, Thomas Beverley, Callum Savage, Jack Cooke, Izabella Griffiths and Lucy Andrews