

The Week Ahead

Monday 13th March

Parent evening appointment times available to book-details on classroom doors.

2:45 pm Gospel Assembly Y5 Everyone is welcome to attend

Tuesday 14th March

KS2 China topic day

Wednesday 15th March

Family photo orders to be returned

VEX Team to Finals at Birmingham

Toddler group 9:15am-10:30 am

Y6 SATs booster 3.15 – 4.30 pm

Y1/2 After school Gymnastics club –registered children only KS1

Friday 17th March

KS2 After school Wath Festival club-3:15-4pm

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 class will be leading assemblies this half term.

Monday 20th March Y4

Monday 27th March Y3

Monday 3rd April Y2

Jess cup

The Jess cup is presented once a week to a child who staff consider shows impeccable behaviour and makes an exceptional contribution to the life of the school. The winner last week was Jacob Parks Marriott. Congratulations, Jacob!

Sponsored Toss the Pancake

Thank you for all your support for the PTA sponsored toss the pancake event. So far the total stands at £850.00! Please send any further sponsor money into the school office as soon as possible.

Book Fair

The book fair last week was very busy. The school will receive £351 commission in books from the sales. Thank you again for all your support.

Good Shepherd Fund

There will be a non uniform day on Friday 31st March in exchange for an Easter egg or chocolate. We will run a chocolate raffle during the last week of term – all the money raised will go to the Good Shepherd Collection.

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Thursday 9th March 2017

Parents' Evening

Parents' evening will be on Thursday 30th March. Appointment times will be available for parents to make appointments from Monday 13th March.

Y1 Phonics Information Session

There will be an information session for Y1 parents on Thursday 23rd March at 3.15 pm to explain about the phonic screening test that all Y1 children have to do in June.

FS and KS1 Mother's Day Event

FS2 and Key Stage 1 would like to invite everyone to their Mother's day event on Friday 24th April at 2 pm. More details to follow soon.

PTA meeting

There will be a PTA meeting on Wednesday 22nd March at 7 pm in school.

Maths Pop Quiz Team

Well done to Jessica Jackson, Libby Hoyle, Jamie Murahwa, Caitlin and Elisha Smith who represented the school at Hallam University Maths Pop Quiz last Saturday.

Once a week take a peek

We have been informed of head lice again in school. Head lice are really hard to clear from a class/school unless parent/carer's check hair on a regular basis. Information from the school nurse is to use conditioner and comb through the hair with a nit comb (try to buy a white comb as the nits are more easily seen). Some pharmacies stock detection combs. One type (Bug Buster® detection comb) is also available on prescription. You can also get them by mail order from: *Community Hygiene Concern* Tel: 01908 561928 Web: www.nits.net.

Dates for your diary

Sunday 19 th March	First Holy Communion meeting in church 10am
Wednesday 22 nd March	PTA meeting 7 pm
Thursday 23 rd March	Y1 parents phonics information session 3.15 pm
Friday 24 th March	FS and KS1 Mother's Day Event 2 pm
Tuesday 28 th March	Y2 to visit Institute of Sport-Sheffield
Thursday 30 th March	Parents evening
Tuesday 4 th April	Y5 to visit Institute of Sport-Sheffield
Wednesday 5 th April	Y4 Swimming lessons start
Friday 7 th April	School closes for the Easter holidays
Sunday 9 th April	First Holy Communion meeting in church 10am
Sunday 23 rd April	First Holy Communion meeting in church 10am
Monday 24 th April	School opens for the summer term
Tues 25 th to Wed 26 th April	Y4 residential to Kingswood
Monday 1 st May	Bank holiday
Thursday 4 th May	KS1 visit to Sheffield Theatre- details to follow
Mon 8 th May – Thurs 11 th May	KS2 Sats week
Tuesday 9 th May	First Holy Communion reconciliation practice in church 6:30pm
Friday 12 th May	First Holy Communion reconciliation practice in church 7pm
Sunday 21 st May	First Holy Communion meeting in church 10am
Friday 26 th May	School closes for the half term holiday
Monday 5 th June	School opens after the half term holiday
Tuesday 13 th June	First Holy Communion practice in church 6:30pm
Sunday 18 th June	First Holy Communion meeting in church 10am
Wed 28th June to 30th June.	Y6 residential to Castleton
Sunday 2 nd July	Celebration of First Holy Communion in 10am
Friday 21 st July	School closes for the summer holidays

Kindness Awards

Charise Lunga, Jessica Cowdell, Tilly Houlton-Wilson and Aoife Reavy were nominated by their peers for a kindness award this week. Well done!

Next week's dinner menu

Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Red	Pasta Bolognaise	Chicken Enchilada	Burger in a Bun	Roast Chicken with Sage & Onion Stuffing	Fish Fingers
Yellow	Quorn Sausage Hotpot	French Bread Pizza	Salmon Fishcake	Quorn Tortilla Layer	Macaroni Cheese
Green	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings				
Blue-Sandwich	Tuna Mayonnaise	Cheese	Ham	Turkey	Egg Mayonnaise
	Garlic Bread	Seasoned Potato Wedges	Diced Potatoes	Roast / Creamed Potatoes	Chips
	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables
	Chocolate Orange Sponge & Chocolate Sauce	Marble Sponge & Custard	Cornflake Tart & Custard	Jam Roly Poly & Custard	Sticky Ginger Slice & Custard
	Strawberry Mousse	Ice Cream & Fruit Wedges	Muffin	Cookie & Milk	Iced Finger

Special diners

Lucas Parry, Ruby-Jo Doyle, Pharrell James, Bonnie Oates, Adrian Wachala, Lilli-Grace Freeman, Connor Hoe and Jamie Murahwa

Attendance last week

F2	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
93.7%	94%	95.7%	98.3%	97.4%	99.3%	99.3%

Congratulations to Y6 & Y5 **WINNERS FOR 3 WEEKS KEEP IT UP!!**

Bike It

This year we have come together to support children coming to school on bikes and scooters. From next week, if your child comes to school on one of these, they could win a golden lock on their bike or scooter! We are explaining what we are doing in assembly this week. Thank you from The Bike It Crew