



St Peter's C of E (A) Primary School

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Dear All,

Since our last newsletter we have been pleased to welcome KS1 parents into school for an assessment and phonic screening check meeting, many thanks to all those able to attend. We look forward to seeing you again at parents evening on 9th and 11th April. Please ensure you sign up for an appointment when teachers will share pupils attainment and progress alongside pastoral news.

We are also pleased that special events for pupils continue to develop with local walks, trips and visitors to school occurring recently. These enrichment activities are a very valuable part of the curriculum and embed pupil learning.

Mrs Banks.

ATTENDANCE

Each week we like to say well done to the class with the best attendance

Week commencing	Class	Percentage
11/3/19	Crocodiles	98.81%
18/3/19	Polar Bears	97.78 %

SHINING STARS

Please note when dropping off in the morning or collecting your child in the evening from Shining Stars, if other school staff don't let you in they are not being rude. But by ringing the bell this alerts Shining Star staff that you are here. Please be aware as always the safety of your child is paramount.

COMIC RELIEF

A big thank you to everyone who supported this worthy cause. A grand total of £172.00 was raised.

OTTERS WASTE WORKSHOP

On Friday 15th March, Year 3 were visited by the Waste Awareness Workshop. We spent an entertaining and educational 2 hours learning how to REDUCE, RECYCLE and REUSE our everyday household waste. The children were taught a song to help them remember the valuable message. They were tasked to come up with inventive ways of how they could reuse items such as: Glass jars, toilet roll tubes and biscuit tins. Ultimately, in small groups, they had to use their bodies to create an item that could be made from recycled materials. What a joyful morning.



March

29.03.2019 WASPs Film Night

April

03.04.2019 Year 6 visit to Warning Zone.

09.04.2019 Parents Evening

11.04.2019 Easter Lunch

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12.04.2019 WASPs Film Night

30.04.2019 PGL Meeting Year 3 & 4

May

17.05.2019 WASPs Film Night

23.05.2019 WASPS Disco

6.00pm—7.00 pm Infants

7.15 pm—8.15 pm Juniors

June

06.06.2019 6.00 pm New EYFS Parent Meeting

07.06.2019 Church visit Pentecost

10.06.2019 2.30 pm New EYFS Story Session

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13.06.2019 Beaumanor meeting Year 2 & 3

18.06.2019 Saffron Lane Sports

21.06.2019 Sports Day

25.06.2019 Year 5/6 performance 1.45 pm

26.06.2019 Year 5/6 performance 6.00 pm

28.06.2019 Alternative sports day

28.06.2019 WASPs Film Night

July

02.07.2019 New EYFS in for lunch 11.30 am

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08.07.2019 St Peter's Transfer Day

09.07.2019 TECC Transfer Day (Year 6)

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11.07.2019 Year 6 Leavers Disco 6.00 pm

12.07.2019 Year 6 Church Visit Leavers Service

Academic Year 2018/2019	
Spring Term 2019	
School Closes	Friday 12th April
Summer Term 2019	
School Opens	Monday 29th April
May Bank Holiday	Monday 6th May
Mid-Term Break	Monday 27th May—Friday 31st May
School Closes	Friday evening 12th July

SAFE GUARDING

If you have any concerns re the well being or care of a child. Please speak to the school office and they will put you in touch with the schools safe-guarding lead.

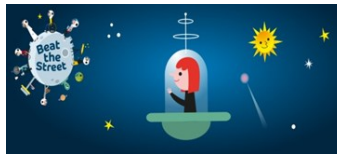
BEAT THE STREET NEWS

WOW! St Peter's are racing up the Leader boards

We were 14th and we are now ranked 9th on the average point score and 12th on the total points school leader board. Last week was Hullabaloo week- with different sounds on the beat boxes.

Keep going until 10th April as there are double points up for grabs!

Thank you for all your zapping!



THE BOOK FAIR

I would like to say a huge thank you to all the children and parents that came and supported our book fair. We raised an incredible £725, which is fantastic and means that Scholastic will now be donating some of the money back to us. This will be spent on books for our library and will continue to allow us to help improve children's reading across St Peter's. I really hope that you all enjoyed the books that you bought during the book fair and have loved reading them.

I would also like to take this chance to remind everyone about the sponsored read that is happening right now! Lots of children have come and told me about all the exciting books they are reading and how much money they are raising for our school. Remember that you still have lots of time to get involved. If anyone needs replacement sponsorship forms or extra ones, please ask the office.

Once again, thank you all so much for your continued support in helping our school promote a love of reading!

Mr Bolstridge

MR B'S BOOKS OF THE WEEK

- EYFS Circle—Mac Barnett
- KS1 Jasper and Scruff—Nicola Colton
- LKS2 Fing—David Walliams
- UPKS2 The Boy who Flew—Fleur Hitchcock



THINK TANK VISIT

On Monday, the Year 3's and 4's went on our second school trip of the year to the ThinkTank Museum in Birmingham. We were the first people to arrive at the museum and were allowed in a little early to start our exploration. Each exhibit at the museum had lots of interactive areas for the children to engage with and learn from practically doing various tasks. The exhibits we visited were;

- All about me
- We made it
- Wildlife
- The future
- Space
- The street
- Science garden
- The past



In the afternoon, we joined up with another school and headed up to the theatre. We sat eagerly awaiting our workshop called 'Under your skin'. This links to our topic Burps, Bottoms and Bile and was all about the cardiovascular, muscular, skeletal and most importantly the digestive system. As with everything at the museum, it was less of a workshop and more of an interactive learning experience where the children were the participants in a game show, requiring them to answer questions and perform at the front.



Most children have said that their favourite part of the day was the science garden because they could take control of different machines and test their strength at powering them.

If you would like to find out any more about the adventures and fun we had, ask any person in the Crocodiles or Otters classes.

CHANGE OF MENU—EASTER LUNCH THURSDAY 11TH APRIL

Please note all KS2 meals must be paid for on the day unless your child is in receipt of free school meals or pupil premium.

Menu: Roast Turkey and Stuffing
Cheese and Spring Onion Quiche
Roast Potatoes/Creamed Potato, Fresh Carrot/Broccoli
Choc Crispie/Easter Biscuit