



24th May

Summer Term A 2024 News

Our church school creates a firm foundation where together, with God's help and with the help of others, we learn for life, achieve our best and grow in faith.

Thank you so much!!

We had a great turn out for the Make do and Mend last Saturday. A **HUGE** thank you to everyone involved. Lots of jobs got done from removing the willow to alleviate wasps to trimming trees; rebuild of the stage area (which has been well used this week) as well as the work on the fence, the new allotment area and a new bench table for Van Gogh Class. Your time and skills have really made a difference.



Bikeability for Year 5

Just a reminder that half term would be a good time to check that your child's bike is ready for the course running after half term. We have given your children the cycle check list again today so you can make sure it complies with safety recommendations.



Picasso Class Careers Fair

Following the extremely successful mini Careers Fair for our Year 5 and 6 children last year, we are going to repeat this again. This will involve them meeting and interviewing people from a range of careers/jobs as we feel that it is so beneficial for them to meet and learn about the world of work beyond school. If you are happy to talk about your role/career with the children, and are able to come to school on Friday 12th July at 9am until break time at 10:30am we would be hugely grateful. In small groups the children will 'interview' you about how you started in your role, what academic success was needed, what the best part of your role is, what the most challenging part of your role is, what a typical day looks like etc. Please email the office letting us know what your role/career is so that we can ensure that we have a wide range. If you volunteered last year we would politely request that you don't offer this year (unless you have changed your role!!) as the Year 6 children will have interviewed you last year.

Clubs

We are delighted to offer another selection of clubs after half term. Please see the attached information and relevant booking forms emailed with this newsletter. As some clubs are very popular please ensure that you have booked prior to the start of the club; we will only contact you if your child has **not** been given a place. We do apologise for the short notice given by Amy's Acro about no club running after half term.

Please note that we will not be running any after school clubs in the last week of term with the exception of Ball Skills on Monday 15th July as this club doesn't start until the second week back (Monday 10th June).

Date start	Day	Provider	Focus	Years	How to book
03/06	Monday	Mrs Scrase	Singing Club	Years 1 to 6	£3 a week (6 weeks) (£18) Email the school office and you will be invoiced directly
10/06	Monday	Primary Sports Stars	Ball Skills	Years 1 to 6	£5 a week (6 weeks) (£30) - see attached flyer
05/06	Wednesday	Primary Sports Stars	Athletics	Years 3 to 6	£5 a week (6 weeks) (£30) - see attached flyer
06/06	Thursday	Talent Dance Academy	Dance Club	Year R to 4	£5.50 per week (6 weeks) (£33) - see attached flyer

We also run several lunchtime clubs but your children will be asked if they would like to attend these and there is no need to sign up.

If any parent is able and keen to run an after school please do let us know!

Just a few reminders:

- If you arrive after 8.50am in the morning, please bring your children to the main school office entrance so that they can be signed in.
- Please be mindful when parking in the school car park. We are aware that space is tight but by working together and being aware of the children in your care, we will not have any unfortunate accidents. Please also be careful of other vehicles, as we have had some damaged cars.
- We have received several requests for absence this week, for absences that are this week. If you require a form to complete to request absence please do email the office and send in your completed form with as much notice as possible.



Lunch payments

For the second half of the Summer 2024 term, the cost will be £87.50 (35 school days at £2.50). This includes the day trip to Warwick Castle for those intending to order a school packed lunch. A polite reminder that lunches must be paid for in advance as the school does not have the cash flow to allow debts to accrue.

Graham Water Residential – September 2024

We are pleased to confirm that we have booked a residential visit to Graham Water Centre for September. This visit is for 2 days/1 nights from Thursday 5th to Friday 6th September for Picasso class (current Year 4 and 5 children). We would like to invite parents to a meeting on 5th June at 2.50pm when we will give you more information and answer any questions.

Reading challenge



With this newsletter we have sent a flier about a National Read-Aloud challenge which we hope some of our children may be interested in. The challenge runs for 3 months over the summer starting on 1st June. Please see



the flier for further details or click on the QR code to register your child.

Online Safety Parent workshop

We are delighted that our family worker, Katie Smith, will be running a face to face workshop for parents focused on digital safety on Monday 24th June here at school at 2pm. The workshop will also be delivered virtually on 18th June at 12noon. For an overview of the content and for details of how to book, please see the fliers sent with this newsletter.

Tennis festival

Well done to everyone in Kandinsky class who took part in the tennis festival earlier this week. They had a fantastic time.





Diary Dates Summer 2024

All new dates are added in bold and italic.

Date	Event
27 th – 31 st May	Half Term
3 rd June	Summer Term begins
4 th June	Athletics competition – Year 5
5 th June	Year 4 and Year 5 parents meeting for Residential Trip planned in September 2024 2:45pm
10 th June	STARS Donut Day
10 th – 14 th June	Year 5 Bikeability
11 th June	Vision Screening – Van Gogh class
13 th June	New Foundation Parents meeting 7:00pm
14 th June	STARS Fathers Day shop
18 th June	Van Gogh and Monet trip to Hunstanton
19 th June	Picasso visit from a magistrate
24th June	<i>Parent workshop – Online Safety – 2pm</i>
27th June	<i>Year 6 'Escape the library' at St Peters</i>
28th June	<i>Non-uniform for hamper donation</i>
2 nd July	Sports Day afternoon – 1:00pm. Everyone invited.
3rd July	<i>Meet your teacher – changeover morning</i>
6 th July	STARS Summer Fair
9 th and 11 th July	KS2 Production – more details to follow
12th July	<i>Picasso class Careers Fair (am)</i>
12 th July	STARS Tuck shop
15 th July	Sports Day afternoon (reserve) – 1:00pm. Everyone invited
16 th July	Whole school trip to Warwick Castle
18 th July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly - 9:15am
19 th July	Church Service 9:30am – everyone welcome
19 th July	End of summer term