



Date: 16th June 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

ST MARY'S PTA SUMMER FAIR
SATURDAY 24TH JUNE 2017
12PM – 3PM

SWEETS

Each child should have now received a coloured bag to be filled with sweets, please return completed bags to school no later than Wednesday, 21st June 2017. Thank you.

RAFFLE TICKETS

Each child has been sent home with 5 x £1 raffle tickets to sell to family and friends. Please return all sold or unsold tickets to school, together with monies, by Wednesday, 21st June 2017.

CAKES

We would appreciate any cake donations, home-made or bought but please no fresh cream.....We can't refrigerate!

Donations can be brought in on Friday, 23rd or Saturday, 24th June 2017. Thank you.



HOTDOGS

The PTA have asked for donations of "Tinned Hotdogs" for use at our summer fair. All donations welcome.



DONATIONS

We are collecting bottles for the bottle stall, tombola items, any unwanted gifts or toiletries (please ensure items are in a good condition), toys, books and DVD's.

If you can spare time and would like to get involved, please leave your details with your child's class teacher. Thank you.

JUNE 2017

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
19 • Y3/4 Quadkids @ Biddick 12-3pm • Rockband • Karate • Drums/Brass/Woodwind • Guitar (pm) Year 3 PE Day	20 • Y6 Netball @ Farrington 4-6pm • Chess Club • Choir Practice & Choir Meeting Reception, & 6 PE Day	21 • Y4/5/6 Drama Production 4pm Parents Welcome • Wednesday Drama Y4/5/6 Year 5 PE Day	22 • Guitar PM Reception, Year 4 PE Day	23 • KS2 Music Extravaganza 9.15am Parents Welcome • Y2/3 Drama Production 4pm Parents Welcome • Violin • Keyboard • Friday Drama Y2/3 Year 1 & Year 2 PE Day	24 SUMMER FAYRE	25
26 • Rockband • Karate • Drums/Brass/Woodwind • Guitar (pm) Year 3 PE Day	27 • Y6 Rounders @ St Anthony's • Y6 TRANSITION DAY - St Robert's • Chess Club • Choir Practice & Choir Meeting Reception, & 6 PE Day	28 • Y6 TRANSITION DAY – St Robert's • Wednesday Drama Y4/5/6 Year 5 PE Day	29 • Guitar PM Reception, Year 4 PE Day	30 • Violin • Keyboard • Friday Drama Y2/3 Year 1 & Year 2 PE Day	1	2
3 • Rockband • Karate • Drums/Brass/Woodwind • Guitar (pm) Year 3 PE Day	4 • Chess Club • Choir Practice & Choir Meeting Reception, & 6 PE Day	5 • Wednesday Drama Y4/5/6 Year 5 PE Day	6 • Guitar PM Reception, Year 4 PE Day	7 • Violin • Keyboard • Friday Drama Y2/3 Year 1 & Year 2 PE Day	8	9

- Holidays – School Closed
- After- School Clubs
- Sports Events
- INSET Day – School Closed
- Music Lessons
- P.E Days
- Bank Holiday – School Closed

MUSIC EXTRAVAGANZA COFFEE MORNING

On **Friday 23rd June 2017**, 9.15am – 10.30am, we will be having a 'Music Extravaganza Coffee Morning' featuring **Yr2, junior violinists and junior cellists**. All welcome.



SPORT

Football: Congratulations to the Year 5/6 football team who won the final of the Bishop Cunningham Cup last night. They defeated St. James' Hebburn, St. Catherine's Newcastle and St. Cuthbert's Chester-le-Street to win comprehensively. Hopefully it's not the last silverware of the season, with the Watson Cup, Northern Cross and Robinson Shield finals still to come before the end of the year. **Well done!**

Quadkids Athletics: Well done to our Year 6 team who came 5th and our Year 5 team who came 8th in the competitions. They performed incredibly in a very strong field of 14 schools. Outstanding individual performances from Katie, Ellie, Callum and Matthew. **Well done!**

Tennis: Well done to our team who came 3rd in the Sunderland City cluster, with Megan winning all of her games and Bobby winning 7 out of 8 games. **Well done!**

Karate: Congratulations to Stefan, Wiktor and Matthew who have all gained their 'black belt' in karate. **Well done!**

CASTLE PROJECT

The Year 4 Castle Project is planned for the last week for term – date to be confirmed.

THANK YOU

We would like to thank Mr and Mrs Petrucci for the kind donation of tickets for 'Swan Lake' at the Sunderland Empire Theatre. **Thank you.**

ST MARY'S / PTA REMINDERS:

ST MARY'S PTA SUMMER FETE

Come and join the fun!

Saturday 24th June 2017 12pm to 3pm

There will be: face painting, go karts, bouncy castle, candy floss, BBQ, Refreshments, tombola, lots of exciting games and stalls including our Grand Prize Raffle and much, much more!

Hope to see you there

PTA 100 CLUB

Thank you to all those who have joined - if you are still interested in joining the PTA 100 Club, please email:

stmaryspta100club@gmail.com with your name and contact details and the PTA will be in touch.

WELLBEING MONTH

As part of our wellbeing month and to fulfil the Convention on the Rights of the Child

Article 19 - You have the right to be protected and be safe

Article 24 - You have the right to the best possible health

On Thursday 22nd June 2017 there will be a play for Y1 to Y6 about anti-bullying.

We would like to thank the PTA for financing the play called "Where are you now Johnny James?"

We are holding a "Proud to be ME!" day.

On Friday 23rd June 2017 we are celebrating our "Proud to be me" day. We invite children to come to school dressed to reflect their talents and personalities. Our focus for the day will be anti-bullying. We are pleased to be joined by our Community Police Officer Kami, who will talk to children about anti-bullying and cyberbullying.

Article 13 – Every child must be free to say what they think and to seek and receive all kinds of information.

THE "ENTERPRISE" CHALLENGE

During the month of June, each **Class** has been given **£5** with a challenge to make it grow using enterprise.

At the end of June the £5 must be given back. Any profit on the £5 that the class make during June can be used and spent by the class.