

St Mary's R.C. Primary School, Meadowside

Newsletter



'Growing, loving and learning in the arms of Mary'

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Dear Parents/Carers,

'Parents are asked to ensure that their children are on time for school. The school day **starts at 9.00 am**. The school gates are open from 8.45am and children are encouraged to arrive early and settle into their classrooms where 'Early Bird Activities' are prepared for children to complete before the 9.00am bell and registration takes place. Latecomers cause disruption for pupils and school. Arrivals after the register has been taken at 9.00am are recorded on the system as late. Children arriving after 9.30am without prior notice are marked as unauthorised absence.



A gentle reminder, if your child is unwell, parents are asked to notify the school on the first day of absence by 9.15am.

PARKING ON MEADOWSIDE

Could all parents/cares be mindful of safe parking on Meadowside please and ensure that all parking is on the road only– not in front of residents drives and not on pavements. We appreciate there is limited parking but the safety of the children and parents from both schools is paramount. Thank you.

PTA SUMMER FAIR 2018

A huge thank you to everyone who attended our PTA Summer Fair on Saturday 23rd June 2018 and also a big thank you to the PTA, staff and volunteers for all their hard work.



We had a fantastic day and raised a grand total of **£5167.97!**

Please see a copy of the raffle prize winners on the reverse of this newsletter. Please call into the school office to collect your prize.

Thank you once again for your support.

BE SAFE AROUND DOGS

Your child should receive a separate leaflet today, with information on the golden rules of staying safe around dogs and recognising basic canine body language, how our behaviour can affect how a dog will react and what to do if a dog approaches them while they are out.



July 2018				
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2 Rock Band 3.30 – 4.30pm Y6 Transitions week Year 3 – P.E. Day	3 Karate 3.30 - 4.30 pm Y4 Swimming 1.30-2.20pm Year 4 – P.E. Day	4 Drama 3.30-4.30pm yrs. 4,5,6 Year 5 – P.E. Day	5 KS2 Sports Day Year 6 P.E. Day	6 Drama 3.30-4.30pm yrs. 2&3 Fairtrade Tuckshop Year 1 & 2 – P.E. Day
9 Rock Band 3.30 – 4.30pm Year 3 – P.E. Day	10 Karate 3.30 - 4.30 pm Foundation Sports Day Y4 Swimming 1.30-2.20pm Year 4 – P.E. Day	11 Drama 3.30-4.30pm yrs. 4,5,6 KS1 Sports Day Year 5 – P.E. Day	12 Year 6 P.E. Day	13 Drama 3.30-4.30pm yrs. 2&3 Year 1 & 2 – P.E. Day

Holidays - SCHOOL CLOSED

INSET DAY - SCHOOL CLOSED

Bank Holiday - SCHOOL CLOSED



PTA SUMMER FAIR 2018

Raffle Prize Winners

1st Prize—Sunni side Live Tickets COLLECTED	Ian Thompson 05719
2nd Prize—£50 Liberty Brown Voucher	Storey 04523
3rd Prize—Alnwick Castle Passes	Andrew Hodgson 01195
4th Prize—Perfume COLLECTED	00942
5th Prize—Flowers COLLECTED	Marlee 00753
6th Prize—Prosecco	D. Crangle 03363
7th Prize—2day ticket to Beamish	00577
8th Prize—£20 Sainsbury's Voucher	McCoy 03083
9th Prize- £20 Angelo's Voucher	M. Olsen 06035
10th Prize—Beauty Voucher	P Baxter 04740
11th Prize—Muller's Gift Voucher	F Hope 04556
12th Prize—Hall hill Farm Family ticket	D Wilcox 04311
13th Prize—Free admission Fun shack	00583
14th Prize—Usborne Books	Spoor 06009
15th Prize—Grey hound Tickets	P Mac 05447

**Please call into the school office to collect
unclaimed prizes**

PTA NEWS –100 Club

Please ensure that all £5 payments are made
(via bank transfer or cash to school office)

If you would like to take part in the 100 club,
please email **your contact details to**
pta@smrc.school;

KS1 LITURGY

**Mrs Collingwood and Mrs Robinson/Mrs
Paget - Thursday 12th July 2018 - 9.15am to
9.45am.**

**Mrs Clinton and Miss Watt - Friday 13th July
2018 - 9.15 to 9.45**

KS1 parents/carers are welcome to attend

SPORTS DAYS reminders

Foundation - Tuesday 10th July 2018

9.15am to 10.15am - Nursery AM/All Day chil-
dren and Mrs Robson's/Mrs Gregory's F1

2.00pm to 3.00pm - Nursery PM/All Day
children and Mrs Jackson's Class F2

**Y1 and Y2 (KS1) - Thursday 19th July 2018
from 2.15 pm**

**Y3 to Y6 (KS2) - Thursday 5th July 2018 –
from 1.45 pm**

**Please remember
Hat/Water bottle/
Suncream**



FOOTBALL NEWS

The best football since the beginning of the World Cup was witnessed on Tuesday evening at Far-rington Academy. Our Y5 team played in the Peter Lightle 7-a-side Trophy, and out of 18 teams, got through to the final. After extra time they lost on penalties. They displayed great skill and sportsmanship throughout – Well Done.

St. Mary's football teams continue to impress – they were runners up in the Robinson Trophy on Tuesday and had an enjoyable afternoon in the "World Cup" on Monday.

Article 29 Every child has the right to develop their talents

SAFEGUARDING STATEMENT

St Mary's RC Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. We politely request that all parents, carers, contractors and visitors to school respect our safeguarding culture of vigilance.

Please help us to keep our school community safe and support school in reporting any concerns and/or inappropriate behaviour or actions through the appropriate channels.