

# Newsletter

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2019

## Clubs:

**Every day** – Breakfast Club from 7:30 am  
(Please note that children must arrive before 8:30am).

<b>Monday</b>	@ 12:30 Sport Y1 @ 3:15 Gymnastics KS1 @ 3:15 Cook Club Y1-Y6 @ 3:15 Book Club Y1-Y6
<b>Tuesday</b>	@ 12:30 Sport Y2 @ 3:15 Film Club @ 3:15 Coding Club KS2
<b>Wednesday</b>	@ 12:30 Sport Y1 @ 3:15 Street Dance KS2
<b>Thursday</b>	@ 12:30 Sport Y2 @ 3:15 Homework Club Y5/Y6 @ 3:15 Sewing Club Y3/Y4 @ 3:13 Un Deux Trois Y1/Y2 @ 3:15 Dance for Y1/Y2
<b>Friday</b>	@ 12:30 Sport Y3/Y4 @ 3:15 Dodgeball KS2 @ 3:15 Board Games KS2

## Monday 18<sup>th</sup> to Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February

Half-term Holiday

## Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February

Back to school

## Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February

Y4 Sacramental Preparation 3:15-4:15pm

## Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February

Parents Evening (by appointment)

## Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February

Parents Evening (by appointment)

## Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March

Y5 to Just.Is @ St. Mary's School

Y4 to Tapas Restaurant

## Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March

Y3/Y4 Boys' Football

## Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March

Reception to Kirkley Hall

Y5/Y6 Ash Wednesday Service

Y5 Smart Walk Training

## Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March

Y6 to Eden Camp

Y5 to The Discovery Museum

Y1 to Hall Hill Farm

## Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March

World Book Day (non-uniform day)

Rec Stay & Play

## Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March

Y2 to Castle Keep

Y4 to St. Mary's Cathedral

Please see the school website for more events.

Two pupils spent their well-earned winit on a trip to Seven Stories this half-term. The girls enjoyed a great afternoon of literary exploration and were delighted to meet some familiar friends: Elmer the elephant, Harry Potter and they even bumped into some aliens in underpants! After all the excitement, the girls needed a sit-down and a nice cup of tea.



Members of St. Vincent's Drama Club were invited to the matinee performance of St. Mary's Catholic School's production of 'Mary Poppins'. It was a stunning performance with toe tapping tunes and a talented cast. Our own budding thespians gave the show a dazzling 5 stars.



On Wednesday, Y3 led the school in Mass with Fr. Bill. Y3 invited the adults from the congregation for tea and biscuits after the service.



Last Friday, parents and carers joined their children in Reception for an afternoon of counting and number.



## ATTENDANCE

*“Central to raising standards in education and ensuring all pupils can fulfil their potential is an assumption so widely understood that it is insufficiently stated – **pupils need to attend school regularly to benefit from their education.** DfE 2013*



## Attend today, achieve tomorrow

### Attendance for last week

Class	Attendance
Reception	98.7%
Year 1	97.9%
Year 2	98.3%
Year 3	98.5%
<b>Year 4</b>	<b>99.3%</b>
Year 5	97.7%
Year 6	99.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>98.5%</b>

What a fabulous school statistic to mark the half-way point of this academic year. Well done everyone, but a particularly hearty pat-on-the-back goes to Y4 for their top-of-the-table position with 99.3%.

Our overall attendance from September 2018 is 97% and that's just a sliver away from our school target of 98%. Let's hope 2018-19 is a record breaking year for St. Vincent's attendance. To infinity and beyond!



Muftah, our resident comedian, has a sweet Valentine's Day joke to share:

Q. What did the caveman give his girlfriend on Valentine's Day?

A. Uggs and kisses!



Next week's statement to live by is

I know that it is OK for me to make mistakes