



WEEKLY NEWS



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Spring Term Reports

You will receive your child's Spring Term Report today. Hopefully you will find the information on there useful. If you feel that you need to discuss any part of the content of the report with someone then please contact your child's class teacher (for 4I please contact Mrs Somerville). Next academic year there will be a parents' evening where reports can be discussed in more detail; however we wanted to trial the reports this time. If you have any feedback (positive or constructive) regarding the actual template then please feel free to email (admin@alverthorpestpauls.co.uk).

Facebook

There have been a few incidents where parents have posted something negative either about the school or individual teachers. The Governors would like me to make you aware that if you choose to do this then you are at risk of breaking the Malicious Communications Act and we are within our rights to contact the police. This is even the case if you don't mention an individual's name. We operate an open-door policy and welcome and encourage parents/carers to let us know if they are not happy with something. A frank and honest approach is more productive! Please talk to your child's class teacher in the first instance or Miss Hollis (for Early Years), Mr Willmott (for Key Stage 2) or Mrs Somerville (for Key Stage One) if you feel that you cannot talk to the class teacher about the incident.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Staff Car Park

Once again can we remind parents that the top school car park is for **STAFF AND DELIVERIES ONLY!**

It is not to be used as a drop off point or a walk through for children coming into school as this is a health and safety risk! A child was at risk of being knocked down this morning so it is vital that you adhere to this.

The only exception to the above is that on an evening parents can park in the top car park if they are picking their child up from St Paul's United.

Important Upcoming Dates

Date	Event
09/05/19	5S Class Assembly
13/05/19	Whole School Photo
23/05/19	PTA Magic Show EYU and KS1
03/06/19 – 07/06/19	High Adventure – Year 6 Residential
04/06/18	RH/R1W Class Trip Tropical World
05/06/19	12M/12CS Class Trip Lotherton Hall
21/06/19	Sports Day PM (24 th Reserve Date)
	R:1W Class Assembly
28/06/19	INSET DAY
01/07/19	INSET DAY

After School Clubs

Tennis Club 1st, 8th May

Golf Club 29th April, 7th, 13th, 20th May, 10th June

Benchball Club 1st, 8th, 22nd May, 5th 12th, 19th June.

Rock Bottom Dance/Drama Club 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd May, 13th 20th, 27th June, 4th, 11th July

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Year 5 – Residential Meeting

Reminder - A meeting has been arranged for Year 5 parents on Monday 10th June at 15:30 and 17:00 regarding 2020`s residential. At this meeting we will discuss the venue, dates and costings.

Hopefully, I am giving everyone enough notice so that as many of you as possible are able to attend. This should give you time to start a savings plan if you would like your child to take part in a great Outdoor Pursuit week at the end of Year 6.

Butties, Brews and Books

Dads, Grandads, Uncles, Brothers – Save the date – Friday 14th June! Following on from the success of the last event we will be holding another Butties, Brews and Books event at 9:00am – 10:00am in celebration of Father`s Day. A letter will be sent out closer to the time with a reply slip so that we have an idea of numbers attending.

Don`t worry Mums, Grandmas, Aunties and Sisters, we are planning a surprise event for you too that will be held on a different day.

PTA Recycling Drive

Coming home tonight will be a bag from Cash 4 Clothes recycling company. They can be filled with re-usable clothing, shoes, bags, belts and soft toys etc. As a school we will get a contribution from the company for all the bags returned. The more bags the more funds we receive.

Bags can be left on Friday 3rd May **ONLY** by the main entrance from 8:30am, the recycling company is collecting at 11:00 am.

Tour De Yorkshire

The Tour de Yorkshire is returning to the Wakefield district on Friday 3 May 2019! Stage 2 of the men`s race and Stage 1 of the women`s race will both pass through parts of the district as they ride from Barnsley to Bedale.

There are lots of activities happening throughout the district, with hub events happening in Pontefract and Castleford.

For more information and details on race times, please visit: www.wakefield.gov.uk/tdy
Keep up to date by following the official Tour de Yorkshire Twitter and Facebook accounts or visit letour.yorkshire.com

* If your child normally has sandwiches and would like to join us for our `Tour De Yorkshire` themed lunch, please ensure you return your reply slip by Monday 29th April.

ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY

Attendance Update

CLASS	LAST WEEK OF TERM	YEAR TO DATE
NURSERY	89.05	95.55
RH	98.18	96.50
R:1W	86.67	96.00
1:2M	96.43	97.56
1:2CS	96.55	97.24
3HM	99.19	97.00
4I	94.32	97.01
5S	92.50	96.94
6W	98.65	96.32

CONGRATULATIONS TO 3HM FOR ACHIEVING 99.19% THE LAST WEEK OF TERM, WELL DONE!

Attendance Indicators

98% + WELL ABOVE THE SCHOOL TARGET – OUTSTANDING ATTENDANCE

96% + AT OR ABOVE SCHOOL TARGET

BELOW 94% - CAUSING CONCERN AND LESS CHANCE OF PROGRESS

90% & BELOW – PERSISTENT ABSENCE – SERIOUS ATTENDANCE CONCERN

WHOLE SCHOOL Target = 96%

Last Week Of Term – 94.99%

Year to Date – 96.76%

Punctuality

15 children arrived late for school the last week of term. They missed a total of 1 hour and 47 minutes of learning time!