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Dates for the Diary

INSET DAYS 2016-17

24.7.17, 25.7.17

25.4.17

Spring Bounce (Sponsored event run by the PTA. Bouncing on a bouncy castle)

1.5.17

School closed - Bank Holiday

2.5.17

PTA meeting KS1 building 7pm

8.5.17

Year 6 SATS week

8/9.5.17

Free cycling coding
(Parentmail sent)

12.5.17

Year 6 barbecue after school to celebrate the end of SATs

16.5.17 New date

Rearranged date for the Talent Show 6pm

22.5.17

PTA Cake fuddle in KS2 Hall
(plates to be sent home 19.5.17)

26.5.17

School closes for May half-term holidays



Our Christian value for this term is: *Wisdom*

Welcome back!

You will have now received the Church School Inspection report confirming the judgement of outstanding.

All involved with the school should be very proud of this outcome.

I would like to welcome back (temporarily) Mrs Swanston. Mrs Swanston will be working in various classes in the school up until she goes on her maternity leave.

Also we welcome Miss Gatenby who has taken over from Mrs Brown while she is on maternity leave. Mrs Brown had a baby girl, Holly April, in the Easter holidays. Mrs Richardson also had a baby girl in the holidays, Freya Holly. Congratulations to both of them.

Christian Value—Wisdom

This term we will be focussing on the Christian value 'Wisdom'. We will share Bible stories such as 'The Wise and Foolish Builders' Matthew Chapter 7 verses 24-27.

Wisdom is insight into the way life works: a proper understanding of the consequences of our thoughts, words and actions and an awareness of the true value of things. It is rooted in proper reverence for God who is the source of all life and all values.

Please consider talking to your child about this value and the importance of making wise decisions and choices in life.

Caythorpe Meeting 22.5.17– 5 pm

There will be a meeting for **Year 6** parents on **Monday 22nd May at 5pm in the KS2 hall**. This will be to share all the relevant information including health and safety over the four days. It will also be an opportunity for parents to ask questions.

Foundation 2 meeting 17.5.17- 5 pm (New starters September 2017)

There will be a meeting for the parents of the **new starters** for September 2017 on **Wednesday 17th May in the KS1 Hall at 5pm**. This will be to share all the relevant information and for parents to ask questions.

PTA Spring Bounce 25.4.17

On Tuesday the children will have one minute to do as many jumps as possible on a bouncy castle. A letter has gone out to parents with the information and sponsorship slip. We would like to raise as much money as possible to improve the appearance of the KS2 playground. Thank you for your support.



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5.6.17

School re-opens

6.6.17

PTA meeting 7 pm KS1 building

9.6.17

PTA Coffee morning in the KS2 Hall
9 am

9.6-13.6.17

Year 6 residential to Caythorpe

13.6.17

Year 2 and KS2 Sports Day 1.45 pm

15.6.17

F2 and Year 1 Sports Day 2 pm

16.6.17

PTA Bubbles and Bingo 7.30pm at
Joseph Whitaker (further details to
follow)

19.6.17

Year 2 visit to the Deep

20.6.17

Year 2 and KS2 reserve Sports Day
2pm

21.6.17

F1 Sports Day 10.45 am and 2.15
pm

22.6.17

F2 and Year 1 reserve Sports Day

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KS1 Pirate Ship

As you are aware the most amazing pirate ship has been erected on the KS1 field. This is a fantastic addition; thanks to the PTA and all the parents support through the various fund raising events. Please can I emphasise again that **no children** should use the ship **before or after school** due to the need to ensure that children are safe and its use is regulated under the school's risk assessments.

Operation Orphan Winter Coat Collection 14.6.17

Once again we would like to support this charity by collecting unwanted coats, snowsuits, winter hats, warm gloves, scarves, snow boots, ski wear and blankets. These will be sent to children in desperate need of such items. Please bring any donations to the KS2 reception before Wednesday 14th June. Thank you.

Jojo bows and trainers

Please could I remind parents that only the small bows should be worn in school and that it would be preferable if they were blue, black or white. Whilst these bows are lovely for parties etc. I do not feel that they are suitable for school.

Also trainers are not allowed to be worn other than for PE. Please could you ensure that your child comes to school in black sensible shoes or boots in accordance with the school prospectus. This is also expected for year 6 children as there are still 12 weeks remaining. Thank you for your co-operation.

Parking on Swinton Rise

Please could I ask that parents do not park opposite the Joseph Whitaker bus in the morning as this causes a major hold up on the road as cars cannot get past. Thank you.

Roll of Honour

Adam L, Justin D, Harrison B, Rudi B, Evie B-O, Thomas Mcl, Daisy D, Sophie T, Ella N, Gracie L, Ellie W, Erin W, Frankie G-F, Leo S, Isabelle B, Anabelle McD, Niamh H, Mia S and Emily K-D.

Dates up to the end of the year can be found on the newsletter 31.3.17 on the website. They are also on the calendar on the website.

H Thomas