



St. Peter's  
Catholic  
Primary School

# Newsletter 33

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Dear Parents and carers,

We have had a wonderful first week back after the half term break and it has been an incredibly busy week, with lots going on in school.

On Monday morning, our KS2 classes enjoyed participating in a range of wheelchair activities with Kane from A1 Multisport. The sessions were highly engaging and provided our children with a fabulous experience and an important insight into inclusion in sport. Kane commented on the fantastic conduct and exemplary behaviour of the children. Thank you to Mr Wynne for organising this wonderful opportunity.

On Tuesday, Y6 enjoyed a wonderful visit to Doncaster Museum as part of their learning about World War One. The children were able to handle real artifacts from this period in history. They learned lots about the conditions in the trenches. At the end of their visit, the children were able to make a cup of tea using a Tommy Trench Cooker. They were also given chance to try the tea for themselves! As always, the children behaved so well - a credit to St Peter's.

As always, there has been some wonderful learning taking place around school. Remember to keep an eye on the school website and class Twitter (X) pages for more information.

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@Y1StPeterDon

@Y2StPeterDon

@Y3StPeterDon

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@Y5StPeterDon

@Y6StPeterDon

## SUMMER FAIR

The newly formed Friends of St Peter's are organising a summer fair on Tuesday 1st July. Please contact the school office if you would be able to support them running this event which raises important funds for school. **As part of the lead up to the summer fair there will be a non-uniform day on Friday 13th June.**

Children are asked to bring in a donation for the summer fair in exchange. This might include a bottle, unused gift, toiletries, games, or books to support the tombola stalls. In addition, if any businesses are willing to donate a prize for the raffle, please make contact with the school office.

## SPORTS WEEK

Sports week takes place w/c 16th June starting with a fun day of Quidditch for all of our Harry Potter fans.

**Please can all pupils attend school in PE kit Monday to Thursday wearing a t-shirt in their house colour.**

**Whitby RED, Fountains BLUE, Kirkstall YELLOW and Roche GREEN.** You can check which house your child is in via their Arbor account.

Sports Day takes place on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> June. Parents are welcome to attend from 1.15pm. As per previous years if you are bringing a chair, please place it on the playground, blankets can be placed on the grass slope at the edge of the field. *No photographs or videos to be taken at the event.*

**On Friday 20th June it is circus skills day. Children can come to school wearing any fun or bright clothing for a £1 donation for the Active Fusion charity.** Active Fusion work closely with school helping to deliver our brilliant PE sessions throughout the year.

## **SEN COFFEE MORNING**

A SEN coffee morning will take place on Friday 27th June. Speakers will include Elaine Barnes from BOSS (Behaviour and Outreach Support Service) who will deliver a workshop on 'How sleep deprivation affects children's ability to learn'. This will be an interesting session filled with knowledge and advice around supporting children's sleep. There will be hot and cold refreshments provided. Please contact Mrs Fitzsimons via the office if you have any questions.

## **YEAR 2 REQUEST**

Year 2 need old newspapers to make paper mache for a project in school. If you can donate any old papers, please drop them to the office. Many thanks in advance.

## **SPECIAL LUNCH MENUS**

The cook is putting on a special menu to celebrate Sports Week. On Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June she will be serving skipping sausages with golfing garlic pizza, golden goal potatoes, badminton beans and basketball brownie!

On Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July she is holding an end of term pizza party including 2 types of pizza, french fries, homemade crunchy coleslaw, rainbow salad and a space runner ice lolly.

## **CAR PARK**

Unfortunately, I am still receiving reports that some parents are accessing the staff car park at drop off and collection. Other parents have reported that this is causing safety issues due to the number of families on foot in the area at these key times.

## **ATTENDANCE**

Well done to Year 2, winners of this week's attendance award with a wonderful 99.67 %.

Please remember to check the NHS guidance [NHS Guidance Is My Child Too Ill for School](#).

If a child arrives to school late parents must accompany them into the foyer and sign them in on the e-reception system. Thank you for your cooperation.

## **CONCERTEENIES**

'Concerteenies' will be bringing the musical story of Blown Away to libraries across Doncaster. This enchanting event features interactive songs, fun actions, and a relaxed, welcoming environment, making it a perfect introduction to music, animation, and storytelling for children.

The week-long tour will culminate in a special performance at Cusworth Hall, offering families a memorable experience in a stunning setting.

- Free event for children aged 0–7 and their families Monday 9<sup>th</sup> or Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June 1.30pm at DGLAM
- All sessions are drop-in, except Cusworth Hall, which requires pre-booking. To book places for Cusworth Hall, please visit: [Concerteenies – Cusworth Hall](#).

## **UNIFORM**

Please be reminded that earrings are not permitted to be worn in school. Also, we have a wide selection of spare uniform items available. If you would like any items free of charge, please contact the school office. Any remaining items will be recycled at the end of the school year.

Please ensure you have put sunscreen on your child in the warmer weather. Children are permitted to wear caps and sunhats when outside.

## CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY

Congratulations to these pupils who display one of our core values of integrity. Well done!

★ Peter & Arthur O’K  
★ George & Kamsi  
★ Kene & Azaan  
★ Timo & Raajveer

★ Chloe & Alex  
★ Kornelia & Filip K  
★ TJ & James To

## BIRTHDAYS

Happy birthday this week to Nylah, George, Gabriel and Thea. We hope you have a lovely time with your friends and families.

## HOUSE POINTS

37 house points have been issued this week. Well done to **Red House (Whitby)**. You can see the house points your child has been awarded on their Arbor account.

BLUE - Fountains	5	RED - Whitby	13
GREEN - Roche	10	YELLOW - Kirkstall	9

## DATES FOR THE DIARY:

- Monday 9<sup>th</sup> June: St Francis Pentecost Celebration (selected Y5/6 pupils) at St Bernard’s
- Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June: KS2 trip to Parliament, London
- Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> June: Y3 Greek Workshop in school – please pay & consent via Arbor
- Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June: Non Uniform Day in exchange for a summer fair stall donation
- Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June: Croda Science workshops all classes
- Fri 13<sup>th</sup> June: Inclusion Sports Festival at Doncaster Athletics Club – KS2 pupil
- w/c 16th June: Sports Week – come in house colours t-shirt Mon - Thurs
- Tuesday 17th June: Sports Day 1.30pm
- Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June: St Francis Catholic Cup Football Tournament Y5/6
- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June: Y3 Sing Out event at The Dome
- Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June: Circus Skills activity day – come in bright clothes for £1 donation to Active Fusion
- Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June: Y1 visit to the Yorkshire Wildlife Park
- Wednesday 25th June: Year 3, 4 & 5 at CAST – Doncaster Storytelling Festival
- Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June: SEN Coffee Morning
- Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> July: Summer Fair 3pm onwards
- Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July: Doncaster Rovers Trophy Tour in school
- Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July: Y6 play for parents (pm)
- Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July: Meeting for September reception class parents 5.30pm
- Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July: McAuley Catholic Cup Y5/6
- w/c Monday 7th July: Y6 transition days at secondary school. Dates confirmed by each school
- Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> July: Y3 Royal Opera House ‘Create’ activity day
- Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July: Transition morning in school
- Friday 11th July: Sponsored Walk
- Friday 11th July: End of Year Reports issued to parents
- Monday 14<sup>th</sup> July: KS2 guitar concert 1.15pm
- Tuesday 15th July: Y6 End of Year disco 3.30pm
- Wednesday 16th July: Rocksteady Concert 2pm
- Friday 18th July 9am: End of Year Mass
- Monday 21st July 9am: Leavers Assembly
- Monday 21st July: Y6 Bowling Trip
- Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 9am: End of Year Celebration Assembly
- Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July: Break up for Summer Holidays 1.30pm

## SAFEGUARDING

The designated safeguarding leads at St. Peter's are me and Mrs Fitzsimons. Please speak to one of us in confidence if you have any concerns. A confidential e-mail can be sent at any time to [safeguarding@stpeter.doncaster.sch.uk](mailto:safeguarding@stpeter.doncaster.sch.uk). If you have any urgent safeguarding concerns out of school hours, these should be directed to the safeguarding team at Doncaster Council, on 01302 737777 or 01302 796000 (evenings and weekends) or online via the following link:

<https://www.doncaster.gov.uk/doitonline/safeguarding-concern-child-at-risk-report-form>

Have a lovely weekend.

God Bless,  
Mrs Young



The teams are on hand to chat with you about anything that is concerning you or that you feel you need support with

**Your Place North:**  
**01302 736787**

Norton, Askern, Adwick,  
Carcroft, Bentley, Roman  
Ridge and Sprotbrough

**Your Place East:**  
**01302 736336**

Armthorpe, Edenthorpe,  
Kirk Sandall, Stainforth,  
Barnby Dun

**Your Place Central:**

**01302 736409**  
Wheatley, Intake,  
Balby, Hexthorpe,  
Town Centre  
Bessacarr, Cantley

**Your Place South:**

**01302 736644**  
Conisbrough, Denaby,  
Mexborough, Edlington,  
Rossington and  
surrounding villages





Your Place is here to support you with any issues you and your family are facing.

Here are a few of the things that you can chat to the team about:



- Benefits
- Family support
- Local groups and activities
- Childcare
- Anti-social behaviour
- Housing support
- Employment
- Debt and financial concerns
- Education support for your child as well as information for adults wanting to access adult learning courses and much much more ...



Drop in and see us soon!



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