

Styal Primary School
Valuing the Individual to Believe and Achieve

Weekly Newsletter

20th March 2026

School Dinners — Week 1

From Monday 23rd March

DIARY DATES



Monday 23rd March

Own clothes for Comic Relief

Rock Steady band lessons - am

Forest School for Y1/2 & Y3/4 - pm

Easter assembly with Rev. Ian

Judo Club: 3:30 - 4:15pm

Tuesday 24th March

Coding Club: 3:30 - 4:30pm

Cross Country Practice 3:30pm

Wednesday 25th March

Y5/6 Visit to Samlesbury Hall

Gymnastics Club: 3:30 - 4:30pm

Thursday 26th March

POS Easter Egg Hunt 2pm

Term ends - School closes at 2:30pm

Friday 27th March

School closed to children - Staff Inset Day

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Message from Mrs Holliday



This week is Neurodiversity Week, and we learnt about what it means to be neurodiverse and have a condition such as ADHD, autism, dyslexia, dyspraxia or Tourette Syndrome. We celebrate all of the strengths and talents of people who are neurodiverse and learn how life might be challenging or difficult for them sometimes.

We have learnt that lots of successful people are neurodiverse and that their neurodivergent qualities have been a key driver in their success.

You can find lots of resources for children and adults on the Neurodiversity Celebration Week website

<https://www.neurodiversityweek.com/>

How about reading the Neurodiversity Comic Book to find out more? You can access it here:

<https://www.neurodiversityweek.com/neurodiversity-comic-book>

After Easter, we will hold a coffee afternoon for parents/carers who suspect their child might be neurodiverse or they have a diagnosis. I will give a short presentation on some strategies that might help and will be around to answer any questions you might have.

Mrs Holliday, SENCO



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Y3/4 visit to the Mill



Years 3 and 4 really enjoyed their trip to the Mill last week.

They learnt new map skills and had a look at the River Bollin. They thought about the speed of the river and even looked for some creatures that live in it.

Fun in Forest School





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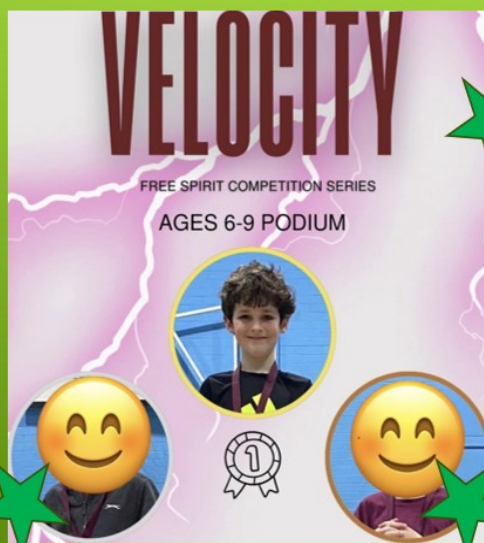
Wonderful work this week



This week we celebrate writers at either end of the school, really demonstrating how our writing progresses from Reception to Y6. **Harlow** has written an amazing sentence, using finger spaces and thinking carefully about the position and formation of his letters and words.

Maisie has written an informative non-fiction text using topic specific vocabulary – it was a very interesting read!

Special mention this week



This week we celebrate **Robin's** amazing achievements in Parkour, which involves climbing and jumping at speed!

Robin has been attending lessons for 3 years now and has recently won a speed run competition after progressing quickly through his gradings.

Very well done **Robin**, we are all extremely proud of you!



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Random Acts of Kindness



Very well done to **Annabelle** this week who has shown kindness and care to others in school.

Thank you for bee-ing kind!

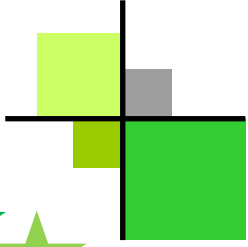


Headteacher's Award

Congratulations to **Isaac, Annabelle & Kali** in Y6 this week for receiving the Headteacher's Award.



You all represented our school beautifully at open day, giving an informative tour. You were polite and engaging and were fantastic ambassadors for Styal Primary School. Thank you!



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Styal Stars

W/C 16th

March 2026

Reception - Finley

Year 1 - Joshua

Year 2 - Finn

Year 3 - Dax

Year 4 - Poppy P

Year 5 - Robin

Year 6 - Evie

**Well done
everyone for
showing you are
AMBITIOUS.**

Attendance

Aiming for Above 95%

Winners on Friday of the attendance award were:

Y 1/2 well done!

Whole School 90%

Rec/1 87.4%

Y1/2 93.7%

Y3/4 87.6%

Y5/6 90.6%

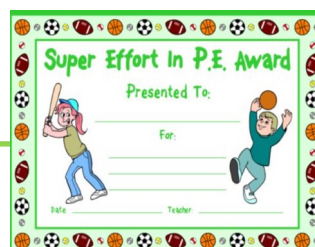


Mr Smith's PE Awards

This week Mr Smith has awarded PE certificates to

Willow (Y1) for working well as a team and responding well to new game rules and to **Macaris (Y6)** for determined and confident blocking in Dodgeball!

Well done to you both!





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Open Morning



Message from Mrs Gaulton

It's been a busy but lovely week in school and seeing the sunshine really does make everything and everyone feel brighter.

As we enter the last week of Spring Term, there are just a few reminders to mention:

- Don't forget to come to school in your own clothes on Monday to celebrate Comic Relief . We thank you for your patience and understanding regarding the slight delay in celebrations.
- Also, please remember that we have the POS Easter Egg Hunt to look forward to on Thursday afternoon.
- It's a shorter week for the children next week with a 2:30pm finish on Thursday ready for the holidays. School is closed to children on Friday as we have a Staff Inset Day. The children are definitely ready for the break after working hard this term!

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend - enjoy the sunshine!



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Community News

EASTER HOLIDAY JUNIOR TENNIS CAMP

Mon 30th March - Thurs 2nd April
Tues 7th April - Fri 10th April

Limited Places

EXTENDED
HOURS

£20 per junior
member per session
£25 per junior non
member per session

FROM
9am-
1pm

Book online at:

<https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/CroftsideTennisClub>
Go to Coaching - Calendar & Select Dates

For more info & to reserve a place call
Tom Hunt 07506 756589





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Spring Save the Date

January	
Monday 5th January	Start of term
Tuesday 13th January	School Photograph Day
February	
Wednesday 11th February	Open Morning—8:45—9:30
Thursday 12th February	POS Valentines Disco
Friday 13th February	School closes at 3:30
Monday 23rd February	School reopens
Friday 27th February	Year 5/6 Outcomes Morning
March	
Thursday 5th March	World Book Day
Tuesday 10th March	Year 3/4 Outcomes 9am
Tuesday 10th March (Before and After school) Wednesday 11th March (Before school)	Portrait Sales
Thursday 12th March	EYFS and KS1 Stay and Play (2-3)
Friday 13th March	Year 3/4 Trip to Quarry Bank Mill
Monday 16th March	Parents Evening (3:50-6)
Thursday 19th March	Parents Evening (3—5)
20.03.2026 - POS Crazy hair & clothes Day - To be rescheduled. New date TBC	
Thursday 26th March	POS Easter Egg Hunt School finishes for Easter at 2:30
Friday 27th March	INSET DAY
April	
Monday 13th April	School reopens for Summer Term