



Week ending: 27.03.26

'I have told you this so my joy may be in you' John 15:11

Upcoming dates

Monday 13th April:

School opens for the Summer term

Monday 13th – Friday 17th April:

Healthy Living Week in school

Wednesday 15th April:

Parents and carers are invited to pop in to their child's classroom at the end of the school day to see what their child has been learning.

Wednesday 29th April:

Year 1 and Year 2 trip to Blackpool Zoo

Monday 11th May – Thursday 14th May:

Y6 SATs week

Tuesday 19th May:

Y3 trip to Chester Zoo
Y4 trip to Grosvenor Museum

Friday 22nd May:

School closed – INSET day

Monday 25th May – Monday 1st June:

School closed for half-term

Tuesday 2nd June:

School opens for Summer 2 half-term

As we approach the Easter holiday, I find myself reflecting on the richness of experiences our children have enjoyed this term. These moments of celebration and achievement remind us of the values that sit at the heart of our school.

This week, Reverend Bryn led us through the Easter story with real clarity and depth, helping our children understand the profound signs throughout Holy Week that reveal who Jesus is according to the Bible. The significance of this message was beautifully reinforced by our Year 4 children, who delivered a poignant and moving Easter Performance on Wednesday. Their performance was a powerful reminder of the reason Christians celebrate at Easter and demonstrated how faith can raise our aspirations beyond our own dreams. I was also delighted to hear two of our Year 4 guitarists showcase their awesome talents, entertaining us with their musical abilities.

Beyond the classroom, our children have continued to impress us with their commitment and spirit. Our Year 5 and 6 girls participated in football matches at Witton Park, demonstrating great team spirit and positivity throughout. Meanwhile, our Cross-Country runners, supported by Mrs Carter, achieved some fantastic results, with several children finishing in the top 40 of over 120 competitors—a truly commendable achievement.

I must also extend thanks to our PTA for organising the raffle hamper draw. Congratulations to all the children who submitted amazing colouring entries and, of course, to our winners.

Before we break for the Easter holiday, I want to acknowledge the patience and understanding shown by parents and carers as we continue to manage some staff absences. These absences have impacted provision for some of our pupils and classes at times, and I am grateful for your support during this period. I wish you all a restful and joyful Easter holiday.



Easter Blessings

Best Attendance of the week and term!

Our attendance figures for this week are:

Autumn 95%, Spring 94.4%, Summer 96.2%, Winter 95.3%

Well done again to our Summer house team for their attendance this week, but overall our Winter house have achieved the best attendance for this term.

Well done – yet again - Winter house team for winning this term's attendance reward.



Some of our Winter house team winners receiving their treat – ice cream!

Reception class award winner



Year 1 award winners



Year 2 award winners



Year 3 award winner



Year 4 award winner



Year 6 award winner



Easter Hamper Raffle

Thanks to our fantastic PTA for organising the raffle and colouring competition.

Here are our winners!



Well done to our Y6 class for winning the Classroom Door competition for Easter.

Well done to those children who received their 100% attendance sticker today. 24 children from across school haven't missed a day since September!

Healthy Living Week - Monday 13th – Friday 17th April

We have a wealth of activities planned for the first week back as part of our Healthy Living Week.

Please look on your SchoolSpider app for information about a sponsored run on the Friday.

Here's a sneaky peek of what else is in store!

A visitor from Blackburn Rovers Football Club will be leading some personal training sessions for each class, plus showing us all how to eat healthily;

A visitor from Cherry Tree Cricket Club will be telling us all about some free sessions on offer;

Our school nurse will be teaching us about dental health;

Reverend Bryn will be teaching us that being healthy is also important within faith too!



Join us this Easter

AT IMMANUEL FENISCOWLES
AND ST. FRANCIS FENISCLIFFE

Palm Sunday – 29th March

- **9.15am @ Immanuel Church** – All-age Palm Sunday service, starting with a procession with a donkey from Pleasington Golf Club at 9am.
- **10.45am @ St. Francis Church** – All-age Palm Sunday service.

Maundy Thursday – 2nd April

- **7.30pm @ St. Francis Church Hall** – Join us for a meal as we remember the last supper Jesus shared with his disciples. To let us know you're coming call 07833 030151.

Good Friday – 3rd April

- **2pm @ Immanuel Church** – Stations of the Cross. A reflective service helping us to think about what Jesus did for us on the cross.

Easter Sunday – 5th April

- **9.15am @ Immanuel Church** – Easter Holy Communion service
- **10.45am @ St. Francis Church** – Easter Holy Communion service



A huge thank you goes to our amazing staff, as always, for their unrelenting hard work this term and for managing so professionally with continued staff absences.

Also, we would like to wish all our families a joyful Easter, and thank you too for your ongoing support.

See you back on Monday 13th April for the final term of this academic year!



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