

22nd May 2026

# ST JOHN'S NEWS

**'The only thing that matters is faith expressing itself through love.' Galatians 5:6**

## Dates for the term ahead

### Summer term key dates

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> June PTA summer BBQ  
Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June -sports day for all (R, 1, 2:  
9.30am, Y3, 4: 11.00am and Y5,6: 1.45pm)  
Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June - Y6 enterprise (1.30pm-  
3.15pm)  
Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June -INSET day  
Monday 29<sup>th</sup> June - Y6 visits to High School

### Summer term key dates

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July - Y6 play (1.45pm)  
Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> July - Y6 play (5.00pm)  
Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July - book and a biscuit KS1+R  
(2.45pm)  
Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July - Rock concert (2.15pm)  
Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July - reports go home  
Monday 13<sup>th</sup> July - reports drop in  
Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July - music concert (Mr Watson)  
Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July - Leaver's service (1.45pm)



**Y5/6 spelling bee**

## Pupil News

Hey Everyone,

It's great to be back with some more amazing school news before we break up for Half Term.

It started off with a crime scene in Reception!!!! After some fabulous detective work from our reception children they soon worked out that a baby unicorn had entered the classroom by magic, looking for glitter, as her powers were running out! She wrote to the children to let them know that she is safe and well and living with the rest of her family in the forest. So they are on the lookout for her trail this morning in forest school!

On Wednesday it was World Bee Day, so we celebrated with bright clothes and lots of bee crafts and activities in reception! Something tells us Mrs Walsh likes fancy dress!

On Thursday the whole school had the reading raffle and this was the first half term with the Platinum Reward - for those children who have read 45 times or more!

We are finishing off a great week with our sponsored Mini Marathon this afternoon. We hope lots of you are able to come and cheer us on. Thankyou for sponsoring us so much already!

See you soon, Have an amazing half term!  
The Reporting Team

## Updates and information

### Road Safety

Please have a discussion with your child if they walk to school about crossing the road safely. Mr Jackson is on hand to help cross at busy times and it is so important that children use this to help.

### Sponsored run

Thank you for your support with our sponsored run today. The money raised will be really helpful for our partner school in Kenya. We will share the total raised after half term. Pictures below

### Classes 2026-2027

We are working hard to organise the classes for the next academic year. Children will meet their new teacher on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July.

The school is gradually moving to one form entry (one class per year). Therefore next year we will be able to organise the classes into the following:

Reception, Y1, Y2, Y3, Y4 (two classes), Y5 and Y6 (two classes).

### PTA

PTA Summer Family Fun & BBQ - Friday 5th June - 5-7pm

Join us for our summer event! We will be having a BBQ and bar, Granellis ice cream, Bouncy Castle, Obstacle Course, Beat the Goalie, Welly Wang, Forest School, Face Painting, Bottle Bola, and lots more!

There will be a dress down day on Thursday 4th June for children who bring a donation for the Bottle Bola or cake stall. A letter will be going home today with more information. We look forward to seeing you there!  
The PTA



## PE timetable

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These are the regular slots. Keep an eye on any emails from your teachers in the event of a change for a particular week.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>PE/Forest School:</b>  Children to dress in PE kit on these days.	Miss Williams  Mrs Johnson/Mrs Reed  Mrs Arnold/Mrs Clark	Mrs Walsh  Mrs Cole  Mrs Westerby	Mrs Cole  Mrs Wilby  Mrs Arnold/Mrs Clark  Miss Bartley/Mrs Peacock Y4s swimming	Miss Williams  Mrs Johnson/Mrs Reed  Mrs Westerby	Mrs Walsh  Mrs Wilby  Miss Foster  Miss Bartley/Mrs Peacock

## Extra-curricular clubs

### Extra-curricular clubs summer term

	Club	Leader	Year groups	Timing	How to sign up
Tuesday	rounders Yoga	Miss Foster Miss Bartley	Y5/6 Y3-5	3.15-4.15 3.15-4.15	Complete a letter and hand back to Miss Foster  Complete a letter and return
Wednesday	Football (all)	Mr Harrison	Y3/4	3.15-4.15	Email office to enquire about places left.
Thursday	Football	PFC	Y3-6	3.15-4.15	<a href="https://premier-football-coaching.classfor-kids.io/">https://premier-football-coaching.classfor-kids.io/</a>
Friday	Explore Street dance Multi-sports	Mrs Clark and Mrs Hawkyard Sylk Dance Academy PFC	Y3-6 Y2-4 YR-6	lunchtime 3.15-4.15 3.15-4.15	Expression of interest to staff  Sign up online: <a href="https://dancestu-dio-pro.com/online/cl">https://dancestu-dio-pro.com/online/cl</a>

## Prayer and reflective spaces



### Prayer spaces

Mrs Clark, with support from our church, set up some reflective prayer spaces in the hall on Monday. All the children had to chance to visit and the children loved it! One child said, 'it really helps me to stop and think, i feel calm.'

A big thank you to Andrea, Gail and Simon from church for your support.



Sponsored run

