



### Dates for your Diary

#### July

- 8th Family Fun Day
- 9th Run for Schools
- 10th Sports Day  
KS1 10am  
KS2 1.30pm
- 12th Y2 Assembly &  
Thank You Tea 2pm
- 13th Parents open eve
- 20th Leavers Assembly
- 21st Break up for summer



### St James Visit Y5


On Wednesday, Year 5 visited St James Church in Mere Green to learn more about our local church and Christian worship. We were greeted by Reverend Daniel and Emili who made us all feel very welcome. The children were privileged to be shown around different parts of the church and were fascinated by the many beautiful artefacts and the stories behind them. The children showed respect and impeccable manners throughout the visit. Well done Year 5.

### Closures

- 24th July 2017
- 25th July 2017


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### NED Show

On Monday we were fortunate enough to have the NED show and Megan, who was the presenter, shared her story about NED who is a lovable cartoon character. His name is an acronym for the message behind the assembly; it stands for Never give up, Encourage others and Do your best. With the use of a yoyo to help deliver the story, the children were encouraged to think about how there is a champion in every child and they thoroughly enjoyed it. We were able to have the assembly due to their 'pay it forward' ethos. Another school had the same show and sold yoyos to their children. The proceeds of this then covered the cost of our show and so we will be doing the same to help 'pay it forward' to another school. It really was a fabulous assembly.

If your child would like a yo-yo, order forms and payment must be sent to school by Tuesday 11th July.

### Reception Induction Day

On Thursday we welcomed into school the children who will be joining our reception class in September, along with their parents. The children were able to meet their class teacher and the parents remained in the hall for a talk giving further information about the school. The children had a lovely afternoon and we are looking forward to their start in September.

Our thanks go to Citiserve, our meal providers, for supplying a lovely buffet. One of our uniform suppliers, Gogna, was also present with samples of uniform and information leaflets. Gogna will also be attending our Open Evening next Thursday and will have some uniform items for sale and samples available to order.

### Music Assemblies

The following instrumental assemblies have been arranged and invitations were sent out last week to the parents of all children who will be performing. Unfortunately the guitar teacher was unable to fit in with our timetable, but his students have been on a 'concert tour' of the classes and will give a concert for parents in the new academic year.

Monday 10th July 9.10am—woodwind & recorder group

Tuesday 11th July 9,10am—piano

Thursday 13th July 9am—violin

Friday 14th July 9.10am—brass

Friday 14th July 2.45pm—cello, double bass, string ensemble & ukulele

The children have been practising hard and are very much looking forward to showcasing their talents.

### This Week's Headlines

**Sports Day**— This will take place, weather permitting on Monday 10th July, KS1 10am and KS2 at 1.30pm. Everyone is welcome.

**Y2 Thank You Tea**—We look forward to welcoming parents of Y2 children to an end of Key Stage assembly and afternoon tea next Tuesday at 2pm.

**Piano for Sale**—We have now upgraded our hall piano to an electric one and therefore have the old one for sale to a good home. If you are interested please come and have a look and make us an offer which would be put towards school fund.

**Calling all painters and decorators!** - We would be very grateful for any offers of help to paint some of the public areas in school. All materials will be provided as will refreshments.



### Menu for Week Beginning 10th July 2017

In addition, there is a salad / fruit bar and a basket of crusty bread available.  
Please note that the choices may vary slightly due to circumstances beyond our control.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Chicken curry Haddock Grill Pizza Jacket potato *	Chicken pie Chicken fillet Fish fingers Cheesy pasta Jacket potato *	Lasagne Veggie Lasagne Chicken fillets Fish fingers Jacket potato *	Roast turkey Fish fingers Cheese flan Baguettes/ wraps Jacket potato *	Pork sausages Veggie sausage Fish Crunch Veg ravioli Jacket potato *
Rice New Potatoes *	Pasta New potatoes *	Pasta Garlic bread *	Mashed potato Roast potatoes *	Pasta Mashed potatoes *
Sweetcorn Baked beans Peas *	Carrots Baked beans Sweetcorn *	Sweetcorn Baked beans Green beans *	Broccoli Baked beans Carrots *	Baked beans Cauliflower Sweetcorn *
Chocolate hedgehog Yoghurt Fresh fruit	Iced sponge Yoghurt Fresh fruit	Apple pie Yoghurt Fresh fruit	Shortbread Yoghurt Fresh fruit	Muffin Yoghurt Fresh fruit

### E-Safety Tip of the Week

Do you know all the social networking sites that are available and are common amongst youngsters? The net-aware site is developed to keep parents informed and up to date with new apps and trends. <https://www.net-aware.org.uk>

### Mrs L'Homme

Mrs L'Homme today left us to go on maternity leave. I know you will join me in sending her our very best wishes for the happy event. We look forward to welcoming her back next year.

### Family Day

We are very much looking forward to Family Day tomorrow. There will be lots of activities and stalls along with a bbq and licensed bar. Please bring family and friends and enjoy a day with us, hopefully in the sunshine!

### Classes for September

The classes for next academic year are as follows. This week we appointed Mrs Barrett as teacher for Reception and Miss Peck as Phase Leader for Years 3 and 4.

Yesterday the children spent a lovely morning in their new classes and will spend an additional two mornings next week with their new teacher to ensure that they are well prepared for September.

Year	Teacher	TA	Teacher	TA
YR	Mrs Farmer Mrs Logan	Mrs Pargeter	Mrs Wilson Mrs Barrett	Mrs Johnson
Y1	Mr Storer	Mrs Lloyd Mrs Conway	Miss Faulkner	Mrs Howse
Y2	Mrs Hawkes	Mrs Humphries	Mr Williams	Mrs Rogers
Y3	Mrs Byrne Mrs Logan	Mrs Osborne	Mr Violet	Mrs Hobbs
Y4	Miss Peck	Mrs Melligan	Mrs Acris	Mrs Lane
Y5	Mr Smith	Mrs O'Kelly	Miss Cook	Mr Terry
Y6	Mrs Whittaker	Mrs Dainty	Mrs Murphy Miss Kaur	Mrs Bateman

### This Week's Awards

This week the following awards were presented in Celebration Assembly:

Lunchtime Behaviour Award— 2AL & 5JM  
Classroom Awards— 2AL & 5JM  
Winning House— Scott with 744 points  
Attendance— 1JF with 100%  
Overall Attendance— 98.05%  
Annual Attendance Target—97%  
Respect Award— 1JS & 5JM

Congratulations to the following children who received awards in Celebration Assembly— Jacob Dunn, Alex Varaksin, Fayth Curley, Heston Taylor, Lilly Knight, Blake

### Sports Report

Good luck to all our runners in run4school taking place on Sunday in Sutton Park along with children from The Shrubbery and Whitehouse Common. Thank you to Whittington Heath Golf Club for their contribution towards the t-shirts for our runners.

T-Shirts and numbers are being sent home today with the children. Late entrants will be able to collect their numbers on the day of the race. Unfortunately t-shirts will not be available for late entrants.

Congratulations to Mrs Hawkes and Miss Peck for completing the gruelling 100k Cotswold challenge and they raised in excess of £1,750 for the Crohn's and Colitis charity. Donations can still be made at <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/chkp>.

### End of Year Reports

End of year reports will be sent out next week and an Open Evening has been arranged for Thursday 13th July 4pm to 7pm. You are welcome to bring your child to have a look at their work and meet their new class teacher. Staff will be available for an informal chat, however, if you would like to discuss a particular matter please speak to your child's class teacher and make an appointment.

### FoLSS Update

**Family Fun Day 2017 - Saturday 8th July 12-3pm.** Entry £1 - Do come along and join us for a fun-filled afternoon. We have stalls galore, performances from KDDK dance, penalty shoot-out, soak-the-teacher, disco dome, giant inflatables and of course the obligatory BBQ and BAR. We URGENTLY need more helpers to give a small amount of time to help the day run smoothly. If you are able to help please contact Claire Philpott via the Facebook page or on arrival tomorrow at school.

**Summer Discos Thursday 20th July - KS1 6-7pm, KS2 7.15-8pm.** Entry £1.50 End the year with a party. Refreshments and temporary tattoos on sale, so please send your child with a small amount of money. Helpers required for both discos. Thank you in advance.

### Share a Story Competition

We have had the good news that one of our pupils in Y2, Maisie Rymer, is a finalist in ITV's Share a Story Competition. Her story is called 'My Daddy's Stinky Pants' and you can read it and vote for her from 17th July to 21st July at <http://itv.com/shareastory>. Well done to Maisie and good luck for the competition.