

Middleton St Mary's Newsletter 8



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Friday 13th March 2025

Y1/2 Playground and Bike Shed

The bike shed will still not be in use this week due to redevelopment of the Year 1 and 2 playground. Thank you for your patience. Once open, we ask that all bikes and scooters are left in the new bike shed to ease congestion.



Red Nose Day - Friday 20th March

Children are invited to come to school in non-uniform and donate £1.

Reception/Year 6 Class Photographs

Last Monday, Tempest took a whole class photo of each Reception and each Year 6 Class as a trial for future years. We have not done this for several years as they have not been popular. Tempest will let us know how many have been ordered and we will decide if this will continue in future years. We would like to know your thoughts for future years – email enquiries@msmleeds.co.uk

Easter Services

On **Wednesday 25th March**, Year R – Year 6 will be visiting St Mary's Church for our annual Easter Services and Eucharist. Parents/carers are welcome to attend. Children will now be allowed to go home after the first service with their parent/carer.

The first service will start at 1pm and will be led by Year 2 for children in **Reception, Year 1 and Year 2**. Year 2 will lead. If your child has a part in the service, they will have brought some words to read.

The **Key Stage 2** Easter Service (Years 3-6) starts at 2pm. Year 5 children will be leading this service. Parents are welcome to join us in church. KS2 children may be collected from church if you are at the service. Our school choir will sing at both services.

Children who usually walk home from school will need to go back to school and they will leave at 3.10pm as normal through the playground. If your child usually brings a packed lunch, please send it in a carrier bag this day. Children will not take lunch boxes or book bags to church.

VACANCY - PARENT GOVERNOR

We have two parent governor vacancies on our Governing Board. Parent governors play a vital role on governing bodies, holding the unique position of having a parental viewpoint of the school. Parent governors are representative parents rather than representatives of parents. Being a governor is a "hands off" role – decisions made by the board influence the whole school, but governors are not responsible for, or involved in, the day-to-day running of the school.

If you are interested in finding out more about this voluntary role, please email Mrs Wood at enquiries@msmleeds.co.uk who can tell you more about the role/phone school. Dates for meetings have been set for the year, they are usually 4pm-6pm. The next meeting is on Tuesday 24th March, 4pm-6pm.



Diary Dates

Tuesday 17th March – Planetarium Visit in the school hall Y2-Y6 (Part of Science Week)

Tuesday 17th March – Y3 to Cinema (Bad Guys) - highest year group attendance

Wednesday 18th March – Y6 to Cinema (Wicked for Good) -highest year group attendance

Thursday 19th March – School Nurses in School Y6 Height/Weight

Friday 20th March – Red Nose Day! £1 Y1 to the Big Sing! - Pudsey Civic Hall AM/PM

Monday 23rd March – Y5 Bikeability

Wednesday 25th March – Easter Services in Church 1pm (R and KS1) and 2pm (KS2)

Wednesday 1st April – Last day of Spring Term.

Thursday 2nd April – Training Day 5 – School Closed to children

Friday 3rd April – Good Friday

SCHOOL CLOSED FOR 2 WEEKS
SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY 20th April