

DIARY DATES

Mon 13		Y6 Cooper Art Gallery Visit
Tues 14	3.15 – 4.30pm	Y4 Football After School Club
Weds 15	1.30pm	Y4 Swimming Lesson
Thurs 16	4.30 – 6.00pm	Reception & KS1 PTA Disco
	6.30 – 8.00pm	KS2 PTA Disco
Fri 17	8.50 – 3.15pm	<u>School closed, Inset Day</u>
Mon 27	8.50am	School re-opens after half term
Tues 28		Shrove Tuesday Special Dinner Menu

MARCH

Weds 1	1.30pm	Y4 Swimming Lesson
Thurs 2		World Book Day Special Dinner Menu
Weds 8	1.30pm	Y4 Swimming Lesson

ATTENDANCE REMINDERS

Playground doors will be locked at 9.00am prompt, therefore if your child arrives after this time they will have to enter School via the main entrance. It is School policy that your child is accompanied onto the premises by an adult, as they need signing in to school. This also includes when arriving late for medical appointments. Please do not send your child in on their own, thank you.

HAT DAY

A massive thank you to everyone for your generosity on Hat Day. We raised an amazing **£192.30** for Barnardo's! It was a fantastic day and well done everyone on your amazingly creative hats!



PARKING

Despite numerous reminders regarding parking when picking up and dropping off children at School, a small number of Parents continue to park without consideration for our local residents, particularly on a morning, blocking drives and generally parking without due care. Numerous complaints have now been received in school and this is not acceptable. May we strongly remind you that there is an adequate car park at the top of Stocks Lane which is for St Mary's use, and would urge all Parents to park here in the future to alleviate this problem for our local residents. Thank you for your cooperation.

**WELL DONE TO
YEAR 1 WHO ARE
CLASS ATTENDANCE
WINNERS FOR LAST
WEEK WITH 99.94%!**

REMINDERS

Please ensure you let the school office know if you have changed your address or phone number, especially your mobile number, as this helps us to contact you in an emergency should the need arise.

It would be most helpful if all Parents/Carers could supply us with a second and third telephone contact on the blue Pupil Information forms, as this aids staff when needing to contact home in an emergency. There has been several occasions when children have been unwell, and have had to stay in School until home time when we were unable to get in contact with a Parent/Carer. Blue forms are available in the School Office if you wish to complete another one. Thank you.

STAFFING UPDATE

Mrs Brook, (Y1 Teacher & SENCO) will soon be going on maternity leave. Miss Marsh will be taking on the role of SENCO (as well as teaching Reception class) until December whilst Mrs Brook is away enjoying getting to know her new baby. Mrs Bessell will continue to work in Y1 on a full time basis until Easter.

We wish Mrs Brook all the very best of luck for her new arrival and the same for Miss Marsh for her new role .



Regular updates on what's happening at school are put on the School's Twitter feed. Please visit:

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