

Dewhurst St Mary Newsletter



Monday 12th June 2023

‘Let your light shine’ Matthew 5:16

Dates for your diaries

This week :

Yr4 Multiplication Check- June

12-16th June Yr1 Phonics Tests

Tues 13th Jun sports Day:

Rec & KS1 10.30- 11.30

KS2 1.30- 3.00

(reserve date Tue 20th Jun)

Weds 21st June Rec Trip

Discovery Centre

Cuffley camp yr5/6 Wed 21st -

fri 23rd June

MON 26th Non -uniform Day in

return for a donation for our

tombola -details to follow

Thurs 29th June Summer Fete

2.45-5.30pm

Thurs 13th July Transition day

WEDS 19th July Discos

& Leavers Prom

Last day Thurs 20th July

1.30pm

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This half term’s school value;



FRIENDSHIP

John15:15: ‘I no longer call you servants’, said Jesus.. Instead I have called you friends.’

Inspiring all to ‘Dream, Believe, Achieve’

Learning outside of the classroom

Well done and thank you to staff and volunteers who helped to organise two amazing class trips last week:

Year 6 had a very informative and interesting visit to **The Houses of Parliament** to understand where and how democracy takes place. They visited both the House of Lords and the House of Commons and now know what the colours red and green signify. They saw golden royal thrones, statues of significant people like Winston Churchill and even bullet holes made during an assassination. They stood in Henry VIII bedroom which is above the cellars where Guy Fawkes was discovered. They walked in the footsteps of monarchs, prime ministers and suffragettes. They also stood on the spot where Elizabeth II lay in state this September in Westminster Hall and passed through the Sovereign's gate and into the King's Chambers where Charles III will arrive this September when he addresses Parliament for the first time.

Year 4 visited **Henry Moore’s studios and gardens** and experienced Henry Moor’s iconic work in the beautiful Herts countryside near Much Hadham. They got to visit the artist’s former home , studios and sculpture gardens to see and appreciate his renowned seni-abstract monumental bronzes.

Family Sharing Assemblies 2. 45pm in the hall

Year 4 Fri 16th June- THIS WEEK

Year 2 Fri 23rd June

Year 5 Weds 28th June

Reception Fri 7th July

Year 6 Leavers Sharing Assembly Thursday 20th July 9.15am

School year (2023/24)

INSET DAY: 1st September 2022

Start of term:4th September

INSET DAY : Monday 25th September (new date)

Half term holiday: 23 October 2023 - 27 October 2023

INSET DAY: Friday 1st December 2023

Christmas holiday: 21 December 2023 - 3 January 2024

Half term holiday: 19 February 2024 - 23 February 2024

Easter holiday: 29 March 2024 - 12 April 2024

OCCAISONAL DAY Fri 3rd May 2024

Half term holiday: 27 May 2024 – 31 May 2024

INSET DAY 22nd July 2024

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Summer holiday: 24 July 2024 - 1 September 2024