Dewhurst St Mary Newsletter

Monday 15th May 2023

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Dates for your diaries

Tue- Yr 1 Forest School Wed- Yr 3 Swimming Thurs – Rocksteady Sessions

Y2 SATS – During May Half term 29th May-2nd June 2023 Mon 5th June Yr6 trip to Houses of Parliament.

Yr4 Multiplication Check-June

Thurs 8th June –Yr 4 Henry Moore Art Trip

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

Thurs 29th June Summer Fete 2.45-5.30pm

Thurs 13th July Transition day Thurs 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'

School Day 8.45am-3.15 pm

SAT's

Well done to all out superstars in Year 6 who completed their SATS tests last week. Amazing! Key Stage 1 are also working hard and 'Letting their Light Shine' as they also complete their assessments in small groups over the next few weeks.

Coronation Winners!

Dewhurst St Mary have been announced winners of the Best Dressed School for the coronation and awarded £250 prize money. A special mention to Mrs Collins for her balloon decorations and FOD's who supplied the bunting and staff who put it up. Thank you also to the staff and pupils who completed beautiful art work for the occasion.

Good Luck to our school netball team who will be competing at a netball rally at Goffs Academy Tuesday afternoon.

THIS THURDAY- SPECIAL BURGER DAY!! Order your lunch for the day on School Gateway.

Reminders:

- Please remember to order school lunches on School Gateway before 8am
- Registers are taken and school doors are closed at 8.55am
- NO hooped earrings, for safety reasons. Please remove ALL jewellery on PE days
- To prioritise pupil safety please remember NOT to drive or park down the lane between 8.30am-4.30pm.

Attendance

A reminder that Hertfordshire County Council issues Penalty Notices which meet the Hertfordshire Code of Conduct . Please be advised that we follow this guidance. This means that <u>unauthorised absence</u> exceeding 15 sessions (each day is two sessions) over 2 consecutive terms risks a fine per parent for each individual child. The Local Education Authority may issue you with a Penalty Notice under Section 444 of the Education Act 1996, for failure to secure your child's regular attendance at school. Please note that even brief term time holidays can affect children in school adversely. Please see our Attendance Policy on our website.

We appreciate your understanding and thank you for supporting us in maintaining our attendance record.

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