



Welcome back! I hope everyone has enjoyed the Easter break and we welcome you back in the sunshine!



Statement of the Week

I know when to ask for help and who to ask for help from.

Recycled Materials

As part of our Live Simply Award we are hoping to create a Live Simply Banner to display in school. The children plan to make this from a range of recycled materials. We would be grateful for any materials from home that can be recycled e.g. cartons, cardboard packets, foil etc. We would be very appreciative if these were sent in washed and clean. Thank you very much in advance.

Orienteering Event

On Monday 23rd April Y4, 5 and 6 will be experiencing orienteering around the school grounds lead by Mr Richard Kirk, British Orienteering Coach, Claro Orienteering. The children will be using specially created maps, will learn about orienteering and use 'dibbers' (electronic keys) around the course.

Y1, 2 and 3 will have the same experience in the coming weeks – date to be confirmed. This is a free session, with the specially designed maps being donated to the school.

Welcome to Mrs Harris

This week we have welcomed our new lunchtime senior supervisor, Mrs Harris, to the team.

Bun Sale – Good Shepherd Appeal

Next week we will hold our second fund raiser for the Good Shepherd Appeal. We are asking for donations of buns/cakes for a bun sale in school next Thursday 26th April. Monetary donations are most welcome and buns will be sold to children during the school day. Any left overs will be sold afterschool.

FS2 Show and Share

Next week some of our youngest children welcome their parents into school to participate in show and share lessons. We are sure this will be an enjoyable and beneficial experience for our visitors and I know the children are excited to show their parents what they have been learning.



Important Dates

Monday 23rd April – Orienteering event in school

Wednesday 25th & Thursday 26th April – FS2 Show and Share

Thursday 26th April – Bun Sale (Good Shepherd Appeal)

Thursday 26th April - Y6 Open Museum. All classes visiting and

parents welcome to visit at the end of the school day

Wednesday 2nd May – 9am Y1 phonics parents' information session

WC 14th May – Y6 SATs week

Wednesday 16th May – RSE Information evening for Y5 & Y6 Parents

Friday 25th May – break up for half term

Important Dates next half term

Friday 6th July - sports day and summer fair

Friday 13th July - (sports day reserve)

Thursday 19th July 1:45pm - Y6 Leavers' production

Friday 20th July – Mass in school am (break up for summer 1:30pm)

Upper Key stage 2 Residential Trips

This summer our oldest children will go on their residential school trips.

Tuesday 5th June – 6th June Y5 Residential

Wednesday 27th June – Friday 29th June Y6 Residential

Coffee Morning

This Friday morning (20th April) there will be a coffee morning in the ICT suite at 9am. All welcome!

School Disco

This Friday (20th April) is the school disco. Tickets have been on sale this week.

Ladies Night

Friday 18th May – ladies' night, Kirk Deighton Village Hall 7:30-10:30.

Tickets £5 and can be booked by emailing friendsofsj@outlook.com