

# St. Peter's News February 2020



# **Diary Dates**



- 2<sup>nd</sup> March NSPCC Speak Out, Stay Safe (Key Stage Assemblies)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> March Friends Meeting (Meeting Taking Place in School 7.30pm 9pm)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> March Friends Sponsored Pancake Flip
- 3<sup>rd</sup> March Book Fair (Early Years, FS2 and Key Stage 1)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> March Year 6 SATs and Manor Meeting (6.00pm 7.00pm)
- 4<sup>th</sup> March Book Fair pm (Year 5 & 6)
- 5<sup>th</sup> March Class 5/6B Worship/Assembly
- 5<sup>th</sup> March World Book Day
- 5<sup>th</sup> March Book Fair pm (Year 3 & 4)
- 13<sup>th</sup> March Friends of St. Peter's School Disco after school
- 16<sup>th</sup> March Swimming Class 3/4 CW (For 2 Weeks)
- 19<sup>th</sup> March Class 3/4CW Worship/Assembly
- 23<sup>rd</sup> March Year 6 Trip to The Manor (Monday To Friday)
- 24<sup>th</sup> March Image Musical Theatre pm (Whole School)
- $25^{\text{th}}$  March Bible Exhibition am (Year 5 Only)
- 26<sup>th</sup> March Bible Exhibition am (Year 5 Only)
- 30<sup>th</sup> March Parent Teacher Meeting (4.00pm 7.00pm)
- 1<sup>st</sup> April Friends Easter Breakfast (8.00am)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> April Parent Teacher Meeting (4.00pm 7.00pm)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> April School Closes 2.30pm (End Of Term)
- 20<sup>th</sup> April School Re-Opens
- 21<sup>st</sup> April School Choir Event At The Floral Pavilion
- 23<sup>rd</sup> April Year 6 Road Safety Session
- 24<sup>th</sup> April Friends Annual Parents' Quiz Night evening
- 29<sup>th</sup> April School Class Photographs



# **Class Assemblies**

This half-term sees two of our classes leading whole school worships. Parents of children involved in these class assemblies are very welcome to attend. Please see below details of these class assemblies:

• Class 5/6B

- Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March 9.15am
- Class 3/4CW Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March at 9.15am

## **Reminder - Parent and Teacher Meetings**



Our Parent Meetings take place this half-term on **Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March** and **Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April**. A small number of appointments are available before and at the start of the school day as well as after school between 4.00pm and 7.00pm. Parents will be able to select their appointment times using the on-line booking system.

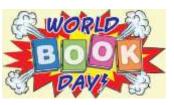
Details of how to book your appointment using this system will be sent out to you nearer the time of the Parent Meetings.

## Years' 5/6 Parent Meeting - KS2 SATs and The Manor Residential

A meeting has been scheduled for parents of children in Years 5 & 6 on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March at 6pm. The meeting will provide a summary of the KS2 SATs that take place in May, as well as providing information about the forthcoming Y6 residential to The Manor between 23<sup>rd</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> March. This meeting is also intended for Y5 parents, as it will provide a useful introduction and overview of both aspects of the Year 6 programme.







## **World Book Day**

We are celebrating World Book Day on **Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March**. The theme for our day at school will be 'sharing stories'. We would love the children to interpret that in a way that feels personal and meaningful to how they like to share stories.

Sharing stories could be:

- coming to school as a favourite book character
- coming to school as a favourite book
- coming to school wearing pyjamas
- sharing a costume (team up with 1 or more friends) to dress as a story

There will be opportunities within each class and across the school to share stories on the day itself and throughout the whole week, as part of a nationwide campaign to help change children's lives, by making story-sharing a habit of a lifetime and creating readers for life.



## **Class Photographs**

The school photographer is in school on **Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> April** for our class photographs and also for the Year 6 leavers. Children will need to wear their winter uniform on this day (Year 6 please keep!)

Many thanks for your support!



## **Reminder - School Parking**

May we please remind all parents, carers and grandparents to park safely and with care. Please avoid parking on the zig zag lines, the single and double yellow lines, on kerbs and on corners. Also, when parking around school at the beginning and the end of the day, can we please be mindful of our neighbours and park considerately. Our careful parking will help to keep all our children safe.

Thank you for your co-operation!

## Friends of St Peter's Forthcoming Events!

Just to let you know about some fundraising events coming up in the next few months and dates for your diary!

#### Pancake Flip: Tuesday 3rd March

We do need parent helpers on the day. Please can you contact Suzanne McGivern (07929940739) if you are able to help. Thank you!

## Friends of St. Peter's School Disco



Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March

Just a reminder, The Friends of St Peter's school disco will be taking place on **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March**. There will be two separate events held on the same night - one for Early Years, Foundation Stage 2 and Key Stage 1 straight after school and a later one for Key Stage 2. There will obviously be the usual glow sticks. sweets drinks bring money and to buy, 50 your pocket with you!

The cost of entry is £3.00 - please note that tickets will NOT be issued as it is a pay on the door event.

Early Years, Foundation Stage 2 & Key Stage 1 (3.30pm to 5.00pm)
Key Stage 2 (5.30pm to 7.00pm)

We need some parents to help coordinate this event for it to go ahead, eg send out letters/check and order supplies - we have a list of what is needed so don't worry about having to start from scratch! Please message Jo Jackson (07967086511) if you able to help. Alternatively: if you have another idea for a child focused fundraising event for that evening which you would be prepared to run (film night/games night etc) please contact us, as new ideas are always welcome.

## Easter Breakfast, Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April

The Friends of St Peter's will hold a whole school Easter Breakfast on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April from 8am in the School Hall. More details to follow for this ever-popular event - please contact School Office if you can help on the day.



#### **Summer Fair: Saturday 20th June**

In previous years we have produced a Summer Fair brochure with paid for adverts in, as well as a running order for the day with the front cover designed by a child in school. This raises over £1000! Unfortunately this year we do not have anyone to produce this. If this is something you would be able to do, maybe along side other parents, then please contact me ASAP for more information - Jo Todd (07739459098)

### Whole School - Easy Fundraising with on-line Shopping

To raise funds for school without any expense to you, please register with Easy Fundraising and donate to school each time you shop on-line. Just follow the steps below:-

- 1. Visit http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk
- 2. Search St Peters C of E Primary School Heswall
- 3. Enter your details and then shop til you drop!

All of the big retailers take part and donate a % of your spend to the school. (Anonymously - we don't see what you have spent or where you have shopped!) Happy shopping and many thanks!

# **A Prayer For The Coming Month Of March**

#### Lenten prayer

Dear God, During Eent help us to keep our eyes on Jesus. Help us to spend more time talking and listening to you. Help us to share what we have with others and be sorry for times we have done wrong. Amen



Thank you for your continued support!

Darren Jones Headteacher