



English Martyrs CVA

We grow and learn with the gifts we have been given, following in the footsteps of Jesus



Coming Up

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Monday 13th Mar	Flute lessons	Y5 Swimming
	Drama Club 3.15-4.15pm	Tennis Club 3.15-4.15pm
Tuesday 14th Mar	Y1 Swimming	Singing lessons
	EYFS Oakham Museum Trip	Y2&3 Spotlight Club 3.15-4pm
	Y4-6 Spotlight Club 4-4.45pm	Y5/6 Boys Football @ UCC
Wednesday 15th Mar	Piano lessons	Drum lessons
	Y3/4 Dodgeball—USSC selected children	STEM Event 4.30-6pm—Hall
Thursday 16th Mar	Guitar & Drum lessons	Y4 Forest School
	Y1-2 Games Club 3.15pm-4pm	Y3-6 Art Club 3.15pm-4.15pm
Friday 17th Mar	Y3 Recorder Jamboree	Y6 Museum trip—Romeo & Juliet
	2.30pm Celebration Assembly	Y4-6 Coding Club 3.15-4.15pm—rescheduled due to STEM event

Notices

- **STEM Event 15th March 4.30-6pm**

Tickets are £2 per family and are available on Parentpay. Explore the technology area, speak to people who work in STEM and don't miss a chance to win a Lenovo tablet

- **Early Finish 31st March**

Please note, school Closes at **2.30pm** on the last day of term. There will be no After School Club either.



Virtue of the week

The next virtue is: **Respect for all people**

Please take time to discuss this at home with your child/ren.

ARNA—Anxiety Related Non-attendance

Rutland County Council and Futures in Mind are running a project to make people more aware of anxiety related non-attendance (ARNA). As part of this project, they have developed a toolkit to allow schools to support the early identification of children who may present signs of anxiety relating to attending school.

Miss Reeson will be the school's ARNA champion so if you have any concerns about your child feeling anxious/worried about attending school please contact areeson@englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk

Earthquake Appeal Lenten Fundraising

The children, staff and helpers braved the snowy weather on Thursday and set off on their sponsored walk to raise money for the Turkey and Syria Earthquake Appeal! They came back to school a bit wet and cold but they enjoyed the challenge! Children also came dressed in green for a donation and thank you to everyone who brought in cakes for our sale! Sadly we had to postpone our table top sale but we will let you know once we have decided on a new date. We will announce the total raised in due course!



Happy Birthday to the children who have had birthdays recently!



EYFS—Ethan, Connor **Y1**—Sebby
Y2—Joey, Eleanor **Y3** – Ava

Y4 Forest School

Despite the weather, Miss Turner's class had fun at Forest School on Thursday! They enjoyed a hot chocolate when they arrived and had fun playing in the snow (and mud!).



Prayer of the week

An Eternal Rest for Mrs Montgomery

Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.

May she rest in peace.

Amen.

Y6 Dodgeball

Well done to the Dodgeball teams who represented the school on Wednesday, they were superb and played with skill, determination and respect for their opposition. Both teams did really well and qualified for the last 8 play-offs, out of the 19 teams who attended. We ended up with Team 2 in joint 5th place and Team 1 in 3rd place. Well done everyone!



Rest in Peace

We pray for Mrs Chambers and her family, as very sadly her mum passed away this week. Mrs Montgomery used to volunteer in school, listening to children read, so was very much part of our school community and will be sorely missed. May she rest in peace.

St Joseph's Church

Keep up to date with the Parish news [here](#).

