



Coming Up

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Monday 18th Apr	Bank Holiday	
Tuesday 19th Apr	Back to school	
	Y2-4 Dancing Club 3.15-4.15pm	Y5&6 Netball 3.15-4.15pm
Wednesday 20th Apr	Piano lessons	Football Club 3.15-4.15pm
	Y1-3 Sewing Club 3.15-4.15pm	Y4/5/6 Coding club 3.15-4.15pm
Thursday 21st Apr	Guitar lessons	Y5 Forest School
Friday 29th Apr	Young Voices!	

Notices

• Lunch Booking Form

Thank you to everyone who completed the first lunch booking form. The next one will be sent in the second week of the holidays so please keep an eye out for it!

• Parents Forum 18th May 7pm

Please let Mrs Chambers know if you would like to take part in the next parents forum.

• Parentpay balances

Please make sure any debit balances for lunches. Wraparound care are brought up to date over the holidays. Thank you.

• Clubs

Clubs information and sign up form will come out on Monday 4th April.



Statement of the week

'God looks after every one of his flock'

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

Easter Play—Here Comes Jesus

A huge well done to Y3&4 who did a fantastic job performing their Easter play. They worked really hard learning their lines and all the songs. It was wonderful for the children to be able to perform in front of a live audience again too! A big thank you to Mrs Topping, Miss Turner and Mrs Barkley for their hard work as well.



Maths Challenge

Well done to the 6 children who took part in the UK Maths Trust Junior Kangaroo Maths Challenge earlier in March, they did an amazing job on what was an incredibly challenging paper. Florence, Tycho and Josiah all achieved a Gold Certificate of Excellence with scores of over 100, placing them in the top 60 out of the 1500 people who took part. Florence, with a score of 124 was the third highest scorer in the country. Mention must also be made of Hannah, Tom and Oliver who did a fantastic job and only fell short of an award by two or three marks respectively. Well done to all. Florence, Tycho and Josiah will all go on to represent the UK in the European Kangaroo Maths Challenge in April.



Birthdays



Happy Birthday to the children who have had birthdays recently and who will have one over the holidays!

Y1—Emilia

Y3— Florence, Sebastian F

Y4—Macie-Lola, Micaiah, Bethany

Y6—Tycho

Gymnastics

Well done to our gymnasts who represented Rutland in the Leicestershire and Rutland County final. Our



team came second out of the 8 attending teams, a huge achievement! Well done girls!

New Canopy!

We are thrilled to have had our new canopy installed on Wednesday, even though we had to take the sail down straight away due to the snow!! A massive thank you to FEM and to everyone who has supported FEM as this has been fully funded by their fundraising. We look forward to some more sunny weather when the canopy will help offer the children some welcome shade.



TESCO
Community Grants



Don't forget to put your blue tokens in the English Martyrs slot at Tesco from today! We hope to get the full amount to resource our library with non-fiction books. You may have to ask at the checkout for a token.

St Joseph's Church

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



South American day!

Year 6 have been learning about South America and specifically Brazil for their geography topic. Yesterday the children celebrated the end of the topic with a carnival workshop creating dance and costumes. They also tried typical South American food and we were very lucky to welcome both Mrs Valiente and Esteban's Mum to talk to us about their life experiences in South America. Thank you to all the parents for providing ideas for costumes and food, we loved it!



Gardening Day—7th May

We will be holding a family gardening day on May 7th 10am-12pm. We are hoping for lots of people to get involved so we can make the school grounds look amazing! Please let the office know if you are able to make it. Thank you.

Snow fun!

The children in breakfast club had fun in the unexpected snow showers on Thursday!



FEM News

Cake Raffle - The Barlow family won this week!

Guess the Eggs

Aimee in Y2 winner was the winner guessing correctly with 95 eggs!



Weekly Prayer

Over Easter can we keep the people of Ukraine and Russia in our prayers and we hope for peace to bring an end to the suffering taking place. The prayer below is specifically for peace.

Loving God,
We pray for the people of Ukraine,
for all those suffering or afraid,
that you will be close to them and protect them.

We pray for world leaders,
for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.

We pray for the world
that in this moment of crisis,
we may reach out in solidarity
to our brothers and sisters in need.

May we walk in your ways
so that peace and justice
become a reality for the people of Ukraine
and for all the world.

Amen.

We hope you all have a lovely Easter break and look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday 19th April.