



Coming Up

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Monday 6th Jun	Bank Holiday	
Tuesday 7th Jun	Back to school	
Wednesday 8th Jun	Piano lessons	Y4-6 Sewing Club 3.15-4.15pm
	Football Club 3.15-4.15pm	
Thursday 9th Jun	Guitar lessons	Y1&2 Beaumanor Hall trip
	Y2-4 Dancing Club 3.15-4.15pm	Y4-6 Athletics 3.15-4.15pm

Notices

- **Scooter rack is ready!**
The new scooter rack is ready to be used!
- **Tesco Blue Tokens**
Don't forget to ask for a blue token in Tesco and pop it in the English Martyrs box!
- **Parent questionnaires**
Please can you complete the parents questionnaires by Monday 7th June.
- **200 club winners—April**
1st £100 Marjorie Port
2nd £20 Nuala O'Rourke
3rd £10 Karen Emmerson
- **Lunch booking form**
Please do keep completing the lunch booking form as this is a great help to the kitchen and school staff.



Statement of the week

'I respect other faiths and beliefs'

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



This week we said farewell to Mrs Emmerson as she retires after 7 years at English Martyrs. We will all miss her very much but will make sure she pops in now and again to say hello! Thank you Mrs Emmerson for all your hard work over the years which was always delivered with a friendly smile and a great sense of humour!





Music Evening



What an amazing evening we had for our Music Evening this year. It was such a treat to be able to have this popular event back where our very talented children were able to show us how their hard work in their music lessons has paid off.

Some of the children who attended Young Voices this year also sang some of their songs. A huge thank you to all the music teachers and to all the staff who helped on the night. Thank you to the families who attended, we also raised £60 from the raffle and refreshments!

Netball and cycling

Well done to the cycling team who competed at Ashwell today – they were outstanding and came 2nd to St Mary and St John by a margin of 3 seconds.

Well done to the netball team too who came 3rd in the finals!



Birthdays



Happy Birthday to all the children who celebrated their birthdays recently and will do over the holidays!

EYFS—James, Charlie **Y1**—George

Y2—Millie, Lennie, Kara

Y4—George **Y6**—Patrick, Madeleine



After half term we welcome Miss Suzanne Armer to English Martyrs, who will be on the front desk as admin assistant. Welcome to the team!



Cricket equipment

A big thank you to Vish from Leicestershire Cricket Club who dropped off some amazing cricket equipment for the children!





Platinum Jubilee



We celebrated in style for the Platinum Jubilee—the children made some amazing posters about the Queen, we had a parade of spectacular crowns with children dressed in red, blue and white, we had a picnic Jubilee lunch, the children sang songs from 7 decades for families and then finished the day with a lovely Jubilee tea party! Thank you to everyone who donated cakes and to FEM for arranging the refreshments.



Jubilee books for every primary school child



The children will be bringing home today a lovely book about Queen Elizabeth and the Platinum Jubilee. These books were commissioned by the government and are for every primary school aged child.

Weekly Prayer

A Hail Mary for the month of Mary.

Hail Mary, full of Grace,

The Lord is with thee.

Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now, and at the hour of our death,

Amen

St Joseph's Church

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



Have a lovely half term and we will see you on Tuesday 7th June!