

Summer Term 1, 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

## Y6 SATS tests

The Year 6 SATs will start on Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup>. Can you please make sure that your children are well rested over the weekend and come in to school ready to learn. They need to have had a good breakfast and be in school on time as the tests take place throughout the day. The children have worked tremendously hard over the whole year and it is an opportunity for them to show what they can achieve.

## Y2 SATs

The 'tests' for this year group are actually very low key and a supportive measure for our own assessment of the pupils. We have always taken a relaxed approach to the tests and have made them a positive experience for the children, you would be amazed at how many enjoy the structure and the approach taken by us. These will take place throughout May, at a time when best suits the children and the school.

## Childcare Survey and Breakfast Club

We are sure you are aware that Pilsley Pirates have stopped operating out of both Park House and Pilsley Primary Schools. We understand that most parents have found alternative childcare.

We are considering providing a School Breakfast Club in school from September and will send out a survey to find out if there is any interest from parents or carers in the near future.

## Miss Allanson and Y3/4

This week is Miss Allanson's final week in school before she starts her maternity leave. We are sure you will join us in wishing her well over the next few months. Mr McGrath, the new teacher, has started this week teaching alongside Miss Allanson and will take over the class fully from next week with continued support from Mrs Turner and Miss Slinn.

## Dates for 2019

6 <sup>th</sup> May Bank Holiday	School Closed
13 <sup>th</sup> to 17 <sup>th</sup> May	Y6 SATS Week
21 <sup>st</sup> May	Y3/4 Mini Tennis
21 <sup>st</sup> May	Y6 School Nurse - Height and Weight
27 <sup>th</sup> May to 2nd June	Half Term (school closed)
13 <sup>th</sup> June	Halle Concert
14 <sup>th</sup> & 15 <sup>th</sup> June	Lea Green Trip/ Residential (Year 1 to go for the day on 14 <sup>th</sup> , Year 2 to stay overnight)
18 <sup>th</sup> June	Y1/2 Fun run at Tibshelf Infants (4-5pm)
25 <sup>th</sup> and 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Tibshelf Transition Days
27 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 West Notts College Visit
27 <sup>th</sup> June	Y2 Mini Olympics
28 <sup>th</sup> June	INSET DAY (school closed)
1 <sup>st</sup> July	INSET DAY (school closed)
3 <sup>rd</sup> July	NSPCC School Visit

# Newsletter

5 <sup>th</sup> July	School Discos (Foundation & KS1 5.30-6.30pm, KS2 7-8pm)
10 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 1 trip to Hardwick
10 <sup>th</sup> , 11 <sup>th</sup> & 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 at Dukes Barn
11 <sup>th</sup> July	Y5 Mini Olympics
17 <sup>th</sup> July	Golden Day - Scooters & Skateboards
18 <sup>th</sup> July	Hardwick 10k
19 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Leavers Assembly
19 <sup>th</sup> July	Children Break up for Summer
22 <sup>nd</sup> July	INSET DAY (school closed)
3 <sup>rd</sup> Sept	INSET Day (to be confirmed ASAP)
4 <sup>th</sup> Sept	INSET Day (to be confirmed ASAP)