

### Welcome Back

Welcome back to another school year! The holidays always fly by and it's lovely to see everyone back in school.

We warmly welcome Miss Cutler who will be taking Y3 for this term. We are also joined by trainee teacher Miss Connell who will be working in Y1 for this year.

Thank you to Friends of St. Mary's for the fundraising last year. The hall projector and screen have been installed and are a welcome addition to school resources. The playground has had a much needed revamp over the summer so thank you to Mr Giblin and his team for all the hard work.

There are many events planned for this term so please keep reading the newsletter to keep up to date! As always thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards

K. Thomas

Headteacher

### Ciaran's Family Fun Day

On Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> September there will be a family fun day to raise money for Ciaran, our Y6 pupil who has been diagnosed with lymphoma. This is on St. Gerard's school field from 11am to 5pm. There will be an auction, 'Bake off', rides, disco, games, afternoon tea, BBQ and loads more! Details of the auction prizes and how to enter 'Ciaran's Great British Bake Off' are on 'Team Ciaran Scott' Facebook page and a leaflet will be distributed next week. We would appreciate any donations of wine or chocolates to be brought into school by next Friday.

### Macmillan Coffee Afternoon

On Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September at 2.30pm we will be holding a coffee afternoon in aid of Macmillan Nurses. This year the proceeds will also go to Sheffield Children's Hospital where Ciaran Scott from Y6 continues to be treated. All are welcome to attend. Donations of cakes will be greatly appreciated.

### Friends Of St. Mary's

The next meeting will be on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> September in the Tabard at 7pm. All are welcome and any new parents are especially welcome.

### Breakfast and After School Clubs

The Breakfast Club runs every morning from 8am and cost £2.50 per session. Our after school club continues on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays but is now run by school staff. There are currently vacancies. The club runs from 3.30pm until 5.25pm and the cost is £5 per session. For further information please ask at the school office. If you wish your child to attend any of the sessions please book the week before. This helps school with organising cover and resources.

### Phonics Information Sessions For Foundation parents/carers

There will be a phonics session for parents/carers on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> September at 3pm then repeated at 6pm. Please come along and find out about how phonics is taught in school.

### Kingswood Information Meeting

There will be an information evening for Y5 parents/carers on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> September at 6pm for the Kingswood residential visit next April.

**School Council And Rights  
Respecting Reps**

**School Council**

Y1	Isabelle Dethick	Dylan Kilbane
Y2	Lydia Hazelhurst	Alfie Oakley
Y3	Rebecca Vaughan	Grace Devaney
Y4	Maggie Openshaw	Joel Thompson
Y5	Owen Jenkinson	Sophie Leighton
Y6	Ben Drew	Cole Hamilton
Secretary	Chinonso Idaboh	
Chair	Oliver DiLaurenzio	

**Rights Respecting Representatives**

Y1	Mollie Jenkinson	Jack Pashley
Y2	Ogo Idaboh	Alfie Blount
Y3	Amelia Zajac	Joseph Pink
Y4	Amy Barber	Ruby McCann
Y5	Gracie Lyon	Roma Sibichan
Y6	Freddie Hofmann	Grace Green

**Sports Representative**

Y5	Michael Monaghan	Owen Jenkinson
	Summer Williamson	Alice Thorpe
Y6	Marc Poulton	Ione Parker
	Nicholas Golawski	Freya-Marie Kelly

**Choir After School Club**

We are restarting our school choir and are looking for new members from KS2 to join. The club will start on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> September at 3.30pm to 4.30pm in the school hall and there will be no cost. Please complete the consent form below and return to school asap.

My child \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_  
 Would like to attend the choir after school club on Tuesdays at 3.30-4.30pm.  
 Parents Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Music Lessons From Rotherham  
Music Service**

Music lessons will restart next week. Please contact the school office for details if your child is interested in learning to play an instrument.

**Gymnastics After School Club**

We will confirm by text next week if your child has a place on the gymnastics and cheerleading after school club starting Monday 18<sup>th</sup> September.

**The Week Ahead**

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> September**

Y3 and Y4 Road safety session

Choir after school club

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September**

Whole school mass

**Dates For Your Diary**

Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> September	Y3 and Y4 Road Safety Session
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> September	Cross country event for KS2 at St Bernard's
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> September	3pm and 6pm Phonics information sessions for Foundation parents
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> September	Junior mass led by Y6
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> September	6pm SATS information session for Y6 parents/carers
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> September	6pm SATS information session for Y2 parents/carers
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> September	Junior mass led by Y5 2.30pm Macmillan coffee afternoon

# ROTHERHAM SCHOOL MEALS WEEK 3

BAND	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
RED	PASTA BOLOGNAISE	CHICKEN FAJITA	BURGER IN A BUN	ROAST GAMMON SERVED WITH PINEAPPLE	FISH FINGERS
YELLOW	CHEESE & POTATO LAYER	QUORN SAUSAGE HOTPOT	JACKET POTATO WITH SELECTION OF FILLINGS	FRENCH BREAD PIZZA	JACKET POTATO WITH SELECTION OF FILLINGS
GREEN	PICNIC CHOICE TURKEY	PICNIC CHOICE HAM	PICNIC CHOICE HAM	PICNIC CHOICE TURKEY	PICNIC CHOICE CHEESE
BLUE	PICNIC CHOICE TUNA	PICNIC CHOICE CHEESE	PICNIC CHOICE TUNA	PICNIC CHOICE TUNA	PICNIC CHOICE TUNA
	GARLIC BREAD	POTATO WEDGES	DICED POTATOES	ROAST/CREAMED POTATOES	CHIPS
	SEASONAL VEGETABLES	SEASONAL VEGETABLES	SEASONAL VEGETABLES	SEASONAL VEGETABLES	SEASONAL VEGETABLES
	CORNFLAKE TART & CUSTARD	CHOCOLATE BROWNIE	ICED SPONGE & CUSTARD	FRUIT CRUMBLE & CUSTARD	LEMON SHORTCAKE & CUSTARD
	BUN & MILK	ICECREAM & FRUIT	JELLY	MUFFIN	COOKIE & JUICE

SALAD, FRESH FRUIT, YOGHURT AND MILK ARE ALL AVAILABLE EVERYDAY