

Letter 30 23rd May 2025

Dear Parents and Carers

Thank you to **Year 3** for a lovely class assembly this morning and a great way to round off our half term. We particularly enjoyed the way they shared their learning so confidently from across the whole curriculum. Thank you to everyone who came to support them today.



Year 6 have been busy this



week working with the **Bikeability** coaches. All the children have made great progress – some from not being able to ride a bike much at all before this week. Some children were able to try out their skills on the road and learn the proficiency needed to use cycling as a form of transport.



This week children have been finding out about the work of Childline and the NSPCC to keep them and their friends safe. Year 2 even made models of Buddy and reminders of the phone number when they were choosing what to work on in the classroom areas

NSPCC

of provision. It is useful to make sure that children have learned the number off by heart in preparation for years ahead when they may feel the need to talk to some one not at home or school.



Thank you to everyone who is busy helping us get reading for **Headingley Youth Music Festival**. This great community event (and school fundraiser) is only possible with lots of peoplepower. If you haven't yet been collared to help out, please do volunteer... there are plenty of different roles before, during and after the festival so we will certainly be able to make use of your time and skills! Please let me, Mrs Maver or anyone in FOSOPS know that you can help. I have attached the poster for the festival and would appreciate you sharing it online and anywhere that potential visitors might see it. If you need paper copies, please let me know!

I have attached this month's internet safety newsletter for your information.

Have a lovely half term! We are back on Monday 2^{nd} June ready for our exciting Green Week.

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FOSOPS Meeting to plan Headingley Youth Music Festival – all welcome! 2:30pm	
NSPCC workshops Y2, Y5 and Y6 TBC	
HALF TERM no school for children 26 th to 30 th May. Art Camp will run a playscheme.	
Green Week, including pedestrian/road safety and eco workshops all week.	
Y3 trip to Otley Chevin	
House Team Hobby Half Day	
RSE information meeting for parents in Y5 and Y6 5pm TBC	
Class photo day	
Year 5 trip to the recycling plant	
Rev Josh Peckett's last services at St Michael's today 10am and 6:30pm	

DIARY DATES

Monday 9th June	Lawnswood transition visit to Shire Oak
Tuesday 10 th June	Y5/6 mixed rugby match away at Whinmoor St Paul's after school
Wednesday 11 th June	TRAINING DAY School closed to children
Thursday 12 th June	Eid Assembly, 9am in the hall. All welcome!
Friday 13 th June	Non uniform day in return for an item (or two) for the HYMF tombola please
Friday 13 th June	FOSOPS Meeting to plan Headingley Youth Music Festival – all welcome! 2:30pm
Tuesday 17 th June	Meeting for new parents/carers of Reception intake 2025 followed by home visits
Tuesday 17 th June	Y5 trip to water treatment plant pm.
Thursday 19 th June	Y3 Ancient Egyptian artefacts visitor
Saturday 21 st June 12-4pm	Headingley Youth Music Festival, run by our school in our grounds. All our children are in
	the choir and often other performances, so please avoid planning parties for this day!
Friday 27 th June	Transition day at Ralph Thoresby School
30 th June – 11 th July	Learning through Sport Fortnight
Tuesday 1 st July	Transition visits to new classes
Tuesday 1 st Wed 2 nd July	Transition days for Lawnswood (extra day available as well, when needed)
Thursday 3 rd July *	Transition day for Abbey Grange
Friday 4 th July	Music recital for children learning an instrument in or out of school 9:30am
Monday 7 th July	Sports Day Y5/6 @1:15pm TBC
Tuesday 8 th July	Sports Day YR/1/2 @9:15am TBC
8 th and 9 th July	Carr Manor induction days for September's Y7 and enrolment evening
Wednesday 9 th July	Sports Day Y3/4 @1:15pm TBC
14 th – 18 th July	Y2 Intensive Swimming course, followed by weekly lessons all year in Y3
Wednesday 16 th July	Y5/6 production to rest of school & grandparents/carers of alternate roles
Thursday 17 th July	Y5/6 production to parents and carers evening
Friday 18 th July	Y6 travel planning session for secondary school
Monday 21 st July	Leavers' Service 10:30am at St Michael's Church
Tuesday 22 nd July	Leavers' ten pin bowling trip
Tuesday 22 nd July	Last day of term. Acorn Club finishes early today.
SUMMER HOLIDAY	no school for children 23 rd July to 29 th August. Art Camp will run a playscheme.
TERM DATES: http	os://www.leeds.gov.uk/schools-and-education/school-holidays-and-term-dates
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* means added or changed since last newsletter TBC means this is to be confirmed and may have to change.

