

St Mary's CE (A) Primary School, Mucklestone

Mail on Monday 6th February 2017



Dear Parents and Carers

I would like to send our congratulations to Mr Newman who welcomed a baby boy, Isaac George, into his family early on Friday morning. Isaac weighs a healthy 9lbs and 4ozs and both he and Mrs Newman are well. On behalf of everyone at St Mary's I would like to send our very best wishes whilst they enjoy this special time together as a family.

Mr Newman is now on paternity leave until after February half term so Mrs Turner will help with some additional duties whilst I will ensure a school Governor is regularly available to answer any questions you may have.

Parents' Evenings – Monday 13th and Wednesday 15th February

Meeting slots are booking up quickly so please ensure you complete the attached form, or contact Mrs Sellman in the school office to book a time with your child's class teacher. Mrs Dicks will be looking after children in the school hall from 4:30pm on both days to allow the parent meetings to take place so please do not leave your child unattended whilst you are in school.



After School Clubs

Next half term's clubs are now available to book on ParentPay. Please ensure you have logged in to make your payment and provided consent for your child to take part in a club **by Thursday 16th February at the latest**. Several of the new clubs e.g. Magical Maths and Zorbing Bubbles, have a limited number of places and there is already excitement following recent assemblies so we expect the demand to be high. Children will be allocated spaces on a 'first come first served' basis so please book early to avoid disappointment.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Street Dance Led by Julia All welcome - £4 Max 16	Lego Club Led by Mrs Keen Class 1 only - £4 Computing Led by Mr George Year 4 and above - £4 Max 8	JAFFA Led by Mrs Keen Mr Furnival & Mrs Thomas All welcome – no charge	Drama Led by Mrs Warrillow All welcome - £4	Multisports Led by ASM Sport All welcome - £4
Magical Maths Led by Magical Maths Staffordshire All welcome - £4 (children will be grouped into the 2 key stages with a leader for each group)	Archery Led by Premier Sport All welcome - £4 Max 20	Craft Magic Led by Mrs Goodwin All welcome - £4 Max 8 (or 12 with a parent helper)	Zorbing Bubbles Led by Premier Sport All welcome - £4 Max 20	Little Green Yoga Led by Lucy Green Year 3 and above - £4 Max 12

6 a-side Football Competition, Thursday 9th February 9am to 11.30am



There is great excitement around this week's football competition which takes place at The Power League in Stoke. Thank you to all the parents who have volunteered to transport children and offer their support. Good luck St Mary's!

Boreatton Park – Class 2 and Class 3 Trip w/c 10th July 2017



There are still some parents who have not provided consent for their child to take part in this trip. We need to confirm places in the next few days so please log onto ParentPay as soon as possible to pay the deposit and provide consent. Thank you.

Special Menu – Friendship Day, Tuesday 14th February 2017

Mrs Cartwright will be cooking a special menu to celebrate Friendship Day next Tuesday. The menu is attached to this week's edition of MOM. If your child would like a school lunch on this day please order one in the usual way and pay via ParentPay if applicable.



Well done to all who received Awesome Alchemist Awards:

Awesome Alchemist: Class 1 – Jessica, Martha, Bethany, Tom and Lacey

Class 2 – Brucie, Joe W, Cerys, Lily, Alex and Lucca

Class 3 – Ella, Oliver, William, Callum and Maxim



Winning House: Water



FOSMS News



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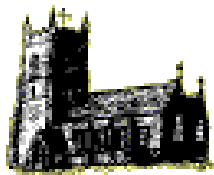


You can make a big difference on everything from groceries to getaways

FOSMS would like to encourage as many parents as possible to register on the Easyfundraising website. This is a really simple way of raising money for our school as, whenever you make purchases online with one of the participating retailers via Easyfundraising, a small amount of commission is donated to St. Mary's. Please use the link below to access the site and start raising money.

www.easyfundraising.org.uk

Church and Community News:



A warm welcome awaits you at any of the services at St Mary's Church, Mucklestone:

11:15am every Sunday morning

8:00am Holy Communion on 2nd and 4th Sundays

Next Sunday 12th February at 11:15am will be our monthly **Family Service**, in which we invite

the children from JAFFA to take part.

We will also be marking the Queen's Sapphire Jubilee with a 'celebration lunch of soup and puds' immediately after the service at the Old Rectory - £5 per adult children free

Please join us if you can. For further information please contact Denise Keen: deniseakeen@btinternet.com / 07761446753

Please let me know today, if possible, if your child is able to take part. Thank you.



Stephen Bayfield
Chair of Governors

Diary Dates

Please note key dates for this term, these are also available on our website.

(New dates are in blue)



7 th February	Year 6 - R.E. lessons with Terry Williams
9 th February	6 a-side football competition 9am to 11.30am (Pupils from Class3)
9 th February	Reception and Year 6 height and weight checks by school nursing team
13 th February	Parents Evening
14 th February	Year 6 - R.E. lessons with Terry Williams
15 th February	Parents Evening
17 th February	Last day of the half term
27 th February	Return to school
1st March	Madeley Maths
6 th March	Full Governing Body Meeting 6:15pm

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Please tick your preferred appointment time slot to see your child's class teacher. If you are flexible you may tick more than one box.

Monday 13th February 2017

Name of child/ children.....

Class 1		Class 2		Class 3	
2.30pm – 3pm					
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4.30pm – 5pm		4.30pm – 5pm		4.30pm – 5pm	
5pm – 5.30pm		5pm – 5.30pm		5pm – 5.30pm	
5.30pm – 6pm		5.30pm – 6pm		5.30pm – 6pm	
Any		Any		Any	

Or Wednesday 15th February 2017

Name of child/ children

Class 1		Class 2		Class 3	
2.30pm – 3pm		3.30pm – 4pm		3.30pm – 4pm	
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		6pm – 6.30pm		6pm – 6.30pm	
Any		Any		Any	

Year 6: I would like to meet Mr Newman at a date to be arranged.

Yes

No

Signed