

Newsletter 22nd March 2019

DATE	EVENT	TIME	COMMENTS
SPRING TERM			
MARCH			
Wednesday 27	Peartree visit to Stevenage		School uniform to be worn.
Thursday 28	Haffydown visit to Lego Land		A fully disposable packed lunch will be required (no fizzy drinks/glass bottles/chocolate/sweets) for the day together with a suitable waterproof jacket in case of adverse weather. We will be back at school between 5pm - 5.30pm traffic dependant.
Friday 29	Mothering Service	9.30am St Mary's Church	Parents/Carers are welcome to go to St Mary's Church for coffee after dropping the children off and before the service.
	PTFA Mother's Day Gift sale	2pm onwards	A lovely selection of presents for £3. Money must be sent to the school office in a marked envelope with your child's name and class by Monday 25 th March. (Money received after this date does not guarantee a gift).
	Last Day of Clubs for this term		
APRIL			
Monday 1	Reward Day		
Tuesday 2	Easter breakfast		
Friday 5	Easter Service	9.30am St Mary's Church	Parents/Carers are welcome to go to St Mary's Church for coffee after dropping the children off and before the service.
	Easter egg decorating competition Egg rolling competition		The children need to decorate a HARD BOILED EGG at home and bring it into school with them on Friday morning and these will be judged in their classes. This is then followed by the egg rolling completion where the children roll their decorated eggs down a slope in the playground to see whose goes the furthest. (Top Tip: try not to stick too much on the eggs when decorating them as they don't roll very well!) Prizes are given to the most interestingly decorated egg and also the egg that goes the furthest. There are not many eggs that survive the egg rolling competition so they are disposed of at school.
	PTFA Easter Egg Hunt	1pm School Field	The PTFA will be organizing an Easter Egg Hunt on Friday 5 th April once school finishes at 1pm. Cost is £1 per child & siblings are also welcome to join in the fun. There will also be raffle tickets, cakes and refreshments for sale. We kindly ask for Easter raffle prize donations in advance of this event. These can be taken into the office between now and the end of term. Cake donations would also be greatly appreciated and can be bought into school on the Friday morning. Please let us know if you are able to help at this event.
Friday 5	Easter Holidays	1pm	

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SUMMER TERM			
APRIL			
Tuesday 16	Allocation Day for u11's		Middle and Primary Schools
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Friday 26	Rising Stars		Football Club
MAY			
Monday 6	School Closed	Bank Holiday	
Thursday 9	School		Class photographs
Monday 13	Year 6 SATS		
Tuesday 14	Happy Bag Collection	Collection will be at 9.00am	If you have any clothes that you would like to donate please leave them in a plastic bag under the bike shelter.
Saturday 18	Family Bingo	2pm to 4pm	Entrance is free, you just need to purchase your bingo strips on the day. £2 per strip or £10 for 6 strips. There will refreshments being served for a donation and also raffle tickets for sale on the day.
Thursday 23	Open Morning	10.30am - 11.30am	All welcome to come and see your children's work
Friday 24	Half term begins	3.15pm	
JUNE			
Monday 3	Back to school		
Monday 10	Year 1 Phonics Testing week		
Thursday 20	Travelling Book Fayre		Details to follow
Friday 21	Whole School Sports Day	9.30am on the school playing field	All Parents and families are welcome to come and support. PTFA to provide refreshments on the day. Cake donations required. Please bring along any donations on Thursday 20 th June
Friday 28	Whole School Sports Day - RESERVE DAY	9.30am on the school playing field	All Parents and families are welcome to come and support.
Friday 14	PTFA Father's Day Gift sale		A lovely selection of presents for £3. Money must be sent to the school office in a marked envelope with your child's name and class by Monday 10th June. (Money received after this date does not guarantee a gift).

JULY			
Sunday 7	Aston Village Fete	12pm-3.15pm School Field	If you are able to help run a stall, set up or clear away, then please contact Terry Reed, Sarah Cooper or the school office. All help is greatly appreciated.
Tuesday 2	Inter-village Sports day	Aston St Marys Primary	Details to follow - the have not yet been selected.
Monday 8- Friday 12	Yr6 Cycling Course begins	School playground	
Thursday 11	Change over day	am	Where children visit their new class/school.
Friday 12	Reward Day		
	Rising Stars last day		
Monday 15	Happy Bag Collection	Collection will be at 9.00am	If you have any clothes that you would like to donate please leave them in a plastic bag under the bike shelter.
	Summer concert Dress rehearsal	am	
Tuesday 16	Summer Concert	1.30pm School Hall 6pm School Hall	Information about tickets to follow. Please park in the village Hall carpark
Wednesday 17	Summer Concert	6pm School Hall	Information about tickets to follow Please park in the village Hall carpark.
Friday 19	Leavers Service	9.30am Aston St Mary's Church	Parents/Carers are welcome to go to St Mary's Church for coffee after dropping the children off and before the service.
	Summer Holidays start	School finishes 1pm	
SEPTEMBER			
Tuesday 3	Back to school		

Dates and events are subject to change.

ACADEMIC YEAR 2018/19

Spring Term 2019

Tuesday, 8 January 2019 to Friday, 5 April 2019

Summer Term 2019

Tuesday, 23 April 2019 to Friday, 19 July 2019

Bank Holiday - Monday, 6 May 2019 - **SCHOOL CLOSED**

Half Term Break - Monday, 27 May 2019 to Friday, 31 May 2019

Inset Days - SCHOOL CLOSED

Inset Days - Monday, 22 July 2019 to Wednesday, 24 July 2019 inclusive

Our Value this half-term is: **FORGIVENESS**

DINNER MONEY

You can pay for meals online via the School Gateway or make cheques payable to Herts Catering Ltd (HCL). Cash payments are to be put in a clearly named, sealed envelope with the amount on the front. Receipts will be issued when being processed. The cost per meal is £2.50.

SPRING 2nd HALF TERM £2.50 per meal

25.02.19 to 05.04.19 inclusive

All week	(30 meals)	£75.00
Wednesday	(6 meals)	£15.00
Friday only	(6 meals)	£15.00
Wed & Fri	(12 meals)	£30.00

RED NOSE DAY

£118.15 was raised for Red Nose Day. Thank you for your continued support

12.03.19 and 19.03.19



SHINING STARS were awarded to Harry H



MERITS were awarded to Vrushti, Evie, Lacey, Emma, Lucas, George C, Jessica R, Cassie, Oscar W, Charlie, Melissa, Finley P-W, Mika, Amelia, Hanna, Ella H, Jack C, Ruby and Sophie

THOUGHT TO SHARE: 'Forgiveness is when you trust that someone won't do it again and they say sorry' - Harry Mumford Danes