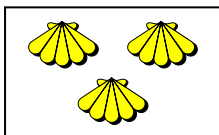


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# Easter Holidays

## Easter Egg hunt

Thank you to Mrs Thorogood and Mrs Oakman for organising another successful Easter egg hunt. It was good to see over 100 children and adults competing to find their eggs and then complete the treasure hunt. Thank you to the PTA for the refreshments and raffle.

## Parents evening

It was lovely to see a good number of parents during the sessions. If you didn't get a chance to speak to the class teacher due to unforeseen circumstances please contact them directly or through the office after Easter to arrange a mutually convenient time.

## Sports relief

Thank you for supporting this worthwhile cause. The total amount raised was £399.50.

## RE day - Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April

We have arranged for Barnabas in Schools to lead an activity day on Christianity next term. Children in Years 1 to 6 will take part in workshops throughout the day.

## Parent Phonic sessions

Miss Mallon has arranged for sessions on Friday 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> April in the ICT suite between 9-9.45 for those parents who expressed an interest at her previous meeting.

## International Hockey tickets

We have been lucky enough to secure tickets to take Year 5 to the Lee Valley Hockey and Tennis Centre, London to watch Great Britain men's hockey team play in an International hockey tournament on 13<sup>th</sup> June. More information to follow after Easter.

## Gym competition in school

It was good to see so many parents come to support their child at our 2<sup>nd</sup> intra school gym competition this week. There were children represented in each year from Reception to Year 6 and the standard was very high. Thank you to Jenny and Amy for organising it. Well done to all of our competitors.

## Netball

Well done to our teams who both reached the semi final in one competition and a final and semi final in the last competition. A great achievement.

### Football

Well done to our team who achieved third place in the competition at Leventhorpe this week.

### Dinners

Please make sure that all outstanding dinner money for this term is paid by 9.15 tomorrow - Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March - to enable banking to take place before the end of term. Please pay in advance as this is a requirement by Herts Catering Ltd and the office is having to chase a growing number of outstanding dinner bills.

**Week commencing 12<sup>th</sup> April will be Week 3 of the current menu and new menus will be sent out during the first week back to start week commencing 18<sup>th</sup> April.**

### Orchestra

Please listen to our orchestra sound clip on our website. There will be no orchestra on 13<sup>th</sup> April - it will start again on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> April. If you are interested in joining (parents and children) please come along at 8am.

### Dates for the term

Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> April	Start of Summer term
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> April	Yr5 Jewish Museum & Synagogue
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> April	Yr1 -Yr6 Christianity day
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> April	Nursery trip to Tesco
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> April	Yr4 Hindu temple visit
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> April	Maypole Yr 5 to parents 9.15am
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	Bank holiday
9 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> May	Yr 6 SATs week
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> May	Yr 3 mosque
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> May	Yr 1 Barleylands
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> May	NSPCC sponsored event
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> May	Yr 6 crucial crew
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> May	NSPCC Yr5/6
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> May	Yr 5 Gaelic football
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> May	INSET day
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> May - Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Half term

Have a lovely Easter holiday. I look forward to seeing you at the start of the summer term.

Yours sincerely  
Mrs M. J. West  
Headteacher