



### Dates for the Diary

#### April

<b>Mon 3 – Fri 14</b>	<b>School is closed for the Easter holidays</b>
<b>Mon 17</b>	<b>School resumes at the usual time</b>
<b>Thurs 20</b>	7.00pm Board of Governors
<b>Thurs 27</b>	NSPCC Speak Out, Stay Safe (Y3 – Y7)
<b>Fri 28</b>	Celebration of the Coronation of King Charles III

#### May

<b>Mon 1</b>	<b>School Closed – Early May Bank Holiday</b>
<b>Tues 2 – Fri 5</b>	Y7 Residential - Manchester
<b>Mon 8</b>	<b>School Closed – Coronation of King Charles</b>
<b>Thurs 11 / Fri 12</b>	Photographer in School
<b>Thurs 11 / Fri 12</b>	NSPCC Workshop – Speak Out, Stay Safe (Y7)
<b>Thurs 11</b>	7.00 PTA
<b>Thurs 11</b>	7.00 Spring Recital
<b>Thurs 18</b>	<b>School Closed – Local Council Elections</b>
<b>Mon 22 – Thurs 25</b>	<b>School finishes @ 1.45 (Y1 – Y4) &amp; 1.50 (Y5 – Y7)</b>
<b>Fri 26</b>	<b>School finishes @ 1.45 (Y1 – Y4) &amp; 1.50 (Y5 – Y7)</b>
<b>Mon 29 – Fri 2 June</b>	<b>Spring Half Term</b>
<b>Mon 5 June</b>	<b>School resumes at the usual time</b>

#### PTA Disco & Easter Holidays

PTA have planned a Crazy Hair Disco on Friday 31 March. Please see the poster below.

**School will finish for the Easter holidays on Friday 31 March at 12.00 (Y1 – Y4) & 12.05 (Y5 – Y7).**

#### Speak Out, Stay Safe

On Thursday 27 April the children in Y3 – Y7 will take part in an age-appropriate NSPCC digital presentation. The children will watch the presentation in their own classroom with their teacher. The presentation addresses some very important safeguarding messages so that the children know how to keep themselves safe. **Y7 children only** will then participate in some follow-up workshops with an NSPCC representative and their teacher / Classroom Assistants on Thursday 11 or Friday 12 May.

#### After School Activities in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Term

After School Activities on a Monday, Wednesday & Friday will continue as normal in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Term.

Monday – Healthy Kidz

Wednesday – Irish Dancing & Jujitsu

Friday – Hip Hop & Soccer

**In a change from the last newsletter, unfortunately Coding Club won't take place this term but will restart in September.**



#### The Coronation of King Charles III

As a means of marking this moment in history we are planning a special day on Friday 28 April (we would have preferred to have had our celebration day on Friday 5 May but our Y7s will be on their residential and we didn't want them to miss out). Throughout the week of Monday 24 April, the children will focus on the Coronation; learning more about what the Coronation means, making decorations for the canteen and drawing pictures of themselves for the PTA commemorative tea towel. Please see the information below. Homework that week will be to design their own crown and they will 'Bring their Crown to Town' on the Friday. In addition, on the Friday we would encourage the children to wear something green (as a reflection of the interest that King Charles III has in all things Eco). Each class will plant a tree, attend a banquet (packed lunch & canteen children) in the very well decorated banqueting (canteen) hall and have lots of fun on some bouncy castles. We are hoping to have a really memorable day for the children as we mark this moment in history.

### Bowling Club Car Park

The bowling club very kindly allow parents to use their car park in Term 1 & Term 2. In Term 3 the bowling club's season starts. Therefore, I would kindly ask parents to refrain from using the bowling club car park after Easter. I would really appreciate your support in this as the bowling club are very considerate towards us in Term 1 & Term 2.



### School Photographer

The school photographer will be in school on 11 & 12 May. The photographer will photograph each child individually and Nursery, Y1 & Y7 in class groups. In addition, there will be the opportunity for siblings to be photographed together.

We will send out further information when we return to school after Easter.

### Monday 22 – Thursday 25 May

School will close at 1.45 (Y1-Y4) & 1.50 (Y5 & Y7) in order to facilitate parent/teacher consultations with those children who are on Personal Learning Plans. Teachers will also be meeting to analyse the data gained from the recent PTE/PTM assessment and to identify any children who may require additional support and what form this support may take in the academic year 2023/24.

### Friday 26 May

School will close at 1.45 (Y1-Y4) & 1.50 (Y5 & Y7) for Half Term.



### Sports Day

Sports Day is always a highlight of the year, however, it is very weather dependent. We have identified a few provisional dates for Sports Day in the hope that at least one of them will work for us!!!!!! We will endeavour to have Sports Day on Tuesday 6 June, however, if the weather has other ideas, we will then try for Thursday 8 June, then Tuesday 20 June and finally Thursday 22 June.





**WPS PTA**

**HALF TERM FUNDRAISER**

**Crazy**

**Hair**

**DISCO!**

**Get as creative with  
your hair as you like!**

**FRIDAY 31ST MARCH  
DURING SCHOOL HOURS  
NON-UNIFORM**

**£2 PAYABLE ON SCHOOL MONEY**

WPS PTA FUNDRAISER

# CORONATION TEA TOWELS!

To celebrate the coronation of King Charles III, pupils will be creating self-portrait tea towels, with a special coronation border.

*Celebrating the Coronation of King Charles III 2023*

The tea towel designs will be compiled in the following groups, each with a different colour scheme:

**Design 1: Nursery, Year 1 and Year 2**  
**Design 2: Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5**  
**Design 3: Year 6 and Year 7**

The pupils will create their portraits during the week leading up to the coronation celebration day in school. The tea towels will generate creative fun in the classroom and are a lovely family keepsake. As well as enabling the children to surprise you with their creativity, this special project allows us capture the memory of a very special age.

**Tea Towels will cost £5 each, payable on school money.**

**IMPORTANT!**

If you would like multiple tea towels of the same design, please amend the amount on school money for each child accordingly. (£10 against one child = 2 tea towels of one design, etc)