



School Newsletter



Summer 2



Dates for your diary...

Weekly Confirmation Sessions to continue. Weekly forest school sessions in Foundation and KS1 to continue.

First Access Year 3 and 4 class Ukulele workshop (Weekly)

Thursday 2nd July- Girls Cricket Final (All Day)

Friday 3rd July- End of Year Reports / Mini Meadows trip

Monday 6th July- Time to be confirmed due to the Cinema trip- Woodwind Performance

Wednesday 8th July- Summer Term Rock Steady Concert 9am.

Thursday 9th July- Transition morning for the Whole school and new Reception Starters. Leavers Assembly 2pm, 1:45pm arrival for parents.

Friday 10th July- Leavers Service 10:30am followed by shirt signing.

Monday 13th July- Year 5 and 6 Residential Week Mrs Concannon will be teaching Year 3 and 4 all week and Mrs Morgan will be teaching Year 1 and 2.

Mrs Vale has asked if all parents of children in Foundation and KS1 could please look at home for any RWINC books so that they can be returned before the end of the year.

Clubs Summer

Monday: Football & Cooking. The Cobblers have been confirmed for Monday lunch times- free of charge to our families!

Cooking includes the additional Campfire session.

Tuesday: Archery

Wednesday: Arts and Crafts

Thursday: No club

Friday: No club

Mon-Fri: Rising Stars

Book on ParentPay



Safeguarding

Lead: Mrs Concannon

Deputy: Mrs Vale

Mental Health: Mrs Morgan



Keep in Touch

☎ 01295 660258

✉ head@stmarys-pri.northants-ecl.gov.uk

✉ bursar@stmarys-pri.northants.gov.uk





School Newsletter



Cricket Finals

Two teams from year 5 and 6 competed in the county cricket finals at St Edmunds school in Oxford. It was an amazing experience! Well done everyone, you displayed many of our golden threads including resilience and independence.

Reports

Reports are due to go home for all children in Pre School, Reception, Year 1, Year 2, Year 3 and Year 4 on Friday. Reports for children in Year 5 and 6 will be sent home on Tuesday, this is due to waiting for the publication of the SATS results. Report envelopes include NMPAT music reports, Multiplication check results, Phonic Screening results, Multiples Marathon level, RWINC group and teacher assessments. Electronic copies can be sent on request to separated parents or a second printed copy will be sent home.

Rock Steady Concert
Wednesday 8th July
9 o'clock

From 8.30, the Friends of St. Mary's will be serving tea/coffee and pastries in the hall whilst you wait for the concert of the term to begin!!



Sports Day!

I wanted to extend my sincere thanks for your support with our recent Sports Day. It was a thoroughly enjoyable occasion, and we were delighted to see so many pupils taking part with enthusiasm, determination and good sportsmanship throughout the event. The day was a great success, and this was very much due to the encouragement shown by our school community. The pupils represented the school superbly, and it was a pleasure to see them supporting one another and participating so positively in every activity. I would also like to express my particular gratitude to Mr Causebrook for his excellent organisation and hard work in arranging the event. We are grateful as well for the contribution made by parents and carers, whether through attending, encouraging the children, or helping to ensure the day ran smoothly. Your continued support plays an important role in making occasions such as this both memorable and successful for our pupils. Thank you once again for your support and for helping to make Sports Day such a positive experience for everyone involved. We look forward to working together on future school events and to celebrating many more achievements with our pupils.



Safeguarding

Lead: Mrs Concannon

Deputy: Mrs Vale

Mental Health: Mrs Morgan

Keep in Touch



01295 660258



head@stmarys-pri.northants-ecl.gov.uk



bursar@stmarys-pri.northants.gov.uk



Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to inform you of the class arrangements for next year and to share a small change to my teaching commitment.

The staffing structure for the next academic year will be as follows:

- Farmers- Mrs Clarke 4 days/ Mrs Muncilla 1 day
- Fishermen- Mrs Morgan 3 days/ Mrs Muncilla 2 days
- Carpenters will be taught by Mrs Clipson
- Shepherds will be taught by Mr Causebrook

In addition, I would like to share that from next year I will be focusing more fully on my role as Headteacher, while continuing to teach one day a week in Years 5 and 6. After many years of teaching four days a week, it feels like the right time to dedicate more time to leading the school and supporting our whole community, and I am looking forward to this next stage with energy and enthusiasm.

I would also like to inform you that Mrs Vale will be leaving teaching at the end of this academic year. Mrs Vale has been a valued member of our school community, and we are incredibly grateful for her dedication, enthusiasm, and the positive impact she has had on the children she has taught. She will be greatly missed by both staff and pupils. As she moves on to her next chapter, we would like to take this opportunity to thank her sincerely for all of her hard work and commitment, and we wish her every happiness and success for the future.

Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions about the class arrangements for next year, please contact the school office in the usual way.

Yours sincerely,
Laura Concannon
Head Teacher
St Mary's ALW

St Mary's Catholic Primary School



Reading Challenge

Challenge Passport

The One Finger Award									
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
Parent Signature: _____									
The World Book Award									
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100
Parent Signature: _____									
The C.S. Lewis Award									
101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110
111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118	119	120
121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129	130
131	132	133	134	135	136	137	138	139	140
141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149	150
Parent Signature: _____									

The Counts Award									
151	152	153	154	155	156	157	158	159	160
161	162	163	164	165	166	167	168	169	170
171	172	173	174	175	176	177	178	179	180
181	182	183	184	185	186	187	188	189	190
191	192	193	194	195	196	197	198	199	200
Parent Signature: _____									
The Kings Own Award									
201	202	203	204	205	206	207	208	209	210
211	212	213	214	215	216	217	218	219	220
221	222	223	224	225	226	227	228	229	230
231	232	233	234	235	236	237	238	239	240
241	242	243	244	245	246	247	248	249	250
Parent Signature: _____									
The Smooth Gold Award									
251	252	253	254	255	256	257	258	259	260
261	262	263	264	265	266	267	268	269	270
271	272	273	274	275	276	277	278	279	280
281	282	283	284	285	286	287	288	289	290
291	292	293	294	295	296	297	298	299	300
Parent Signature: _____									



The Reading Challenge

St Mary's Reading Challenge was introduced in 2023 to encourage children to read regularly at home. We value the important role that families play in supporting children's reading, and this challenge is designed to promote a positive reading habit and celebrate children's achievements.

In your child's planner, you will find a reading passport. Each time your child reads at home, please colour in one square. Once 50 reads have been completed, the planner should be taken to Mrs Vale, with the box signed by a parent or carer, and your child will receive a certificate in recognition of their effort and commitment.

In addition, if your child completes 50 reads within a term, they will be invited via Parent Pay to attend a cinema trip as a special celebration of their success. This reward is intended to further encourage regular reading and to recognise those children who have shown consistent dedication throughout the term.

Please do support your child in taking part in this challenge and encourage them to read at home as often as possible. We are very grateful for your continued support in helping to foster a love of reading.