



NEWSLETTER

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w/e Friday 15th May, 2026

Welcome, Ласкаво просимо, добро пожаловать, Witamy, Sveiki, Bienvenido, Bienvenue, ยินดีต้อนรับ to our weekly newsletter.

Term Dates

School closes for May Bank Holiday on

Friday 22nd May, 2026

and reopens on

Monday 1st June, 2026

Details of term dates are available on our website, click the calendar icon >



Updated PE Lessons for Summer Term

Reception Class - Tuesday & Thursday

Year 1 - Tuesday & Wednesday

Year 2 - Tuesday & Friday

Year 3 - Wednesday & Friday

Year 4 - Monday & Wednesday*

Year 5 - Monday & Thursday

Year 6 - Wednesday & Thursday

*Year 4 will attend swimming lessons this term, please see Class Dojo for more detailed information



YEAR 6

SATS

A HUGE well done to all our Year 6 children for completing their SATs this week!

They have shown fantastic resilience and determination throughout the week and we are incredibly proud of them. Their hard work, positive attitude and support for each other has been wonderful to see.

Thank you to all families for your encouragement and support at home – it truly makes the difference. Now it's time for the children to celebrate their achievements and enjoy the exciting final half term ahead.



Pupil Success!

We are very proud to share the success of our pupils in Y2 who recently took part in a football tournament in Middlesbrough. The boys and their team progressed out of the group stages to win their semi final game 3-2. They then went on to secure a fantastic 4-1 victory in the final. It was an excellent result for the Darlington Spaire Eagles under 7's team.

We are delighted to celebrate their footballing success and look forward to sharing and celebrating their future achievements. Congratulations from everyone at Holy Family!



Happy Birthday

to pupils celebrating their birthday during the next week.

Edward Esmac Ellen

Important!



Despite previous reminders, we still have a number of accounts that remain unpaid.

Please can we remind families, there are no advance charges in your outstanding balance. The amount is for meals taken and club sessions attended.

Please keep your account up to date so we can avoid changing over to pre-payment accounts.

If you pay via tax free child care vouchers, please arrange for a payment from your provider and don't forget to email details to the school office, so we can reconcile the payment and allocate it to your account.

HOLY FAMILY DIARY DATES
SUMMER 1

SUMMER TERM 1
Monday April 20th – Friday May 22nd

Gardening Day	Friday 15th May
Mental Health Awareness Week	Monday 11th May – Friday 15th May
National Numeracy Day – (Finance Education Focus)	Monday 20th May
Year 2 Class Led Liturgy – (3pm – Parents welcome to join in school hall)	Friday 22nd May

Whole School Gardening Day



The children have had a fantastic time taking part in our whole school gardening day. Every class has been involved in weeding beds, planting and watering to help brighten up our wonderful outdoor areas. This has also given the children a chance to learn about gardening and nature. Such incredible team work! A huge thank you to our adults for helping us to make the project a success.



Remembering our friend Luke and supporting the Team Luke Foundation

A fantastic fundraising event in memory of our pupil Luke who sadly lost his battle with High-Risk Neuroblastoma in 2019, aged 8 years old. Please support this amazing Charity!

Visit their website for more information about their incredible work - <https://teamluke.org.uk/>

TEAMLUKE FAMILY FUN DAY 2026

16th May from 10am
Darlington Rugby Club, DL1 5NR



Giant Inflatables & games
Food Vendors
Outside Bars
Live Music
Face Painters
& much more!

<https://www.tickettailor.com/events/teamlukefoundation/207655>

SCAN HERE
TO REGISTER



TACKLING NEUROBLASTOMA TOGETHER.

Registered Charity: 1185232





SPORTS DAYS 2026

(weather permitting)



**NURSERY, RECEPTION CLASS,
YEAR 1 & YEAR 2 (EYFS & KS1)**



TUESDAY 30TH JUNE



2:00 PM



**YEAR 3, YEAR 4,
YEAR 5 & YEAR 6 (KS2)**



WEDNESDAY 1ST JULY



2:00 PM

BACK-UP DATES IN CASE OF BAD WEATHER:



**TUESDAY 7TH JULY
(EYFS & KS1)**



**WEDNESDAY 8TH JULY
(KS2)**



Families are very welcome to come along and watch from our spectators area. Please enter via the playground gate adjacent to Holy Family Church.



SAFEGUARDING REMINDER



In the interests of safety and safeguarding, no dogs are allowed on school grounds and no photos or videos of any kind can be taken during Sports Day.



Thank you in advance for your support with this request.

