



NEWSLETTER



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w/e Friday 30th June, 2023

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

Term Dates

School closes for the Summer holidays on

Thursday 20th July, 2023

and reopens on

Tuesday 5th September, 2023

Click the calendar for all term dates, including dates for 2023/2024.



Educational Visits

Class outings this term include:-

Y5 Raby Castle on Tuesday 4/7/23

Y6 Holy Island on Friday 7/7/23

Y1 Hamsterley Forest on Wednesday 19/7/23

Y2 Butterfly World on Wednesday 19/7/23

Y6 Residential Trip 11–13/9/23

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions.



Strike Action

Strike dates for Teachers, announced by the NEU, are taking place on Wednesday 5th July and Friday 7th July, 2023.

At present, we do not have any classes closed on these dates. Therefore, school will be open as usual to all classes.

It does state within strike rules that teachers do not need to inform schools of their intention to strike, we will endeavor to keep families informed of any further information as soon as we are aware.

Class Liturgy



Parents and families are invited to a liturgy which is being led by children in Reception Class. Please join us on Friday 30th June, 2023 at 3.00 pm in the school hall. All welcome to attend.

Sports Day 2023



Please see below details of this year's Sports Day (weather permitting).

Reception Class, Year 1 & Year 2

Thursday 6th July, 2023

Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 & Year 6

Thursday 13th July, 2023

Both events will start at 2.30 pm
Families are welcome to watch from the spectators area and bring a picnic, which children can join at the end of school until the gates close at 4.15 pm.

NEW Booking & Payments System

We will shortly be sending parents and carers the details needed to register for the new booking and payments system My Child At School. This can be accessed via a web browser or by downloading the free App.



So we can change to the new system quickly, please ensure all outstanding balances on Scopay accounts are paid in full and kept up to date each week.

The last day for Scopay payments will be Wednesday 19th July, 2023.



Happy Birthday

to pupils celebrating their birthday during the next week.

Madeline F

Archie M

Rosie H

Class Visits

This week we had a transition afternoon for pupils to visit the class they will be in next year. Here are details of each class for September:-

- Nursery - Miss Coleman
- Reception Class - Miss Wildsmith
- Year 1 - Mrs Smith / Mrs Buchan
- Year 2 - Miss Dove
- Year 3 - Miss Ridley
- Year 4 - Mr Thorpe
- Year 5 - Mr Shield/Mrs Mustard
- Year 6 - Miss Elgie

We also hope that the children in Year 6 who've had two days at Carmel College enjoyed their visit.



Year 6 Residential Trip 2023

So we can pay in full for the children's trip, please could all outstanding balances for the residential trip in September be paid by Tuesday 11th July, 2023.

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Starting School



Starting School in
September 2023

It was wonderful to meet our new Reception Class children during their visit this week. We are now looking forward to them starting with us on Tuesday 5th September, 2023.

Attendance Stars

The Class with the best weekly attendance will be rewarded with an additional activity.

This week's Attendance Stars
are

Year 5

Congratulations!



Holy Family Nursery

We are now accepting applications for places. Further details and the application form are available on our website, link below.

<https://holyfamily.bhcet.org.uk/information/nursery/>

Fun On The Farm!

Reception Class had a great time at Hall Hill Farm this week. During their visit they were able to meet, feed and stroke the animals and visit the playground. They also had a tractor ride around the farm. Thank you to all staff and volunteers who went with them. More photos have been added to the website <https://holyfamily.bhcet.org.uk/about-us/gallery/>

