

Meanwood Primary School Newsletter



W/c 25th March 2024

Happy Easter and
Eid Mubarak to
those who will be
celebrating over the
holidays!

New This Week:



We have
raised an
incredible
£226.38!

Thank you
everyone



Don't forget...

Clocks change 31st March



INVITATION TO PARENTS/CARERS

EASTER CRAFTS AND POEM EVENT

*Please come along and listen to your child's
poem performance and join in with a craft
activity*



Monday 25th March at 2pm - Y3/4

Tuesday 26th March at 2pm - Y1/2

Wednesday 27th March at 2pm - Y5/6



EASTER BREAK



School is closed from **Friday 29th March**
(Good Friday) to **Friday 12th April.**

Return to school **Monday 15th April.**



CHILDREN'S SAFETY FIRST!!!

Parents are reminded to ensure that children are brought to school/collected from school safely. This includes:



- Ensuring each child brought via car is wearing a seat belt and sat safely in the car.
- Are escorted on to the premises (unless Y5&6 permission given to walk alone). If late, are correctly signed in at the office and taken to class, if appropriate for their age.
- School gates are closed after entering/when leaving if late.

Important Reminders:

FREE MORNING CLUBS!!

We have some free morning clubs available for the summer term including a new dance session run by RDDC:

Monday - Karate (Years 3-6)

Tuesday - Karate (Years 1&2)

Thursday- Dance (Years 3-6)



All morning sessions are 7.45-8.45am. Please arrive on time as you will be let in and registered via the year 6 door by the session teacher.

Please book sessions via the school gateway app.

Sessions will start straight after the Easter break.

A reminder for next term....The school uniform at Meanwood is:



- Grey skirt or grey trousers
- White shirt or polo shirt
- School sweatshirt or cardigan with Meanwood logo or plain navy jumper, sweatshirt or cardigan
- Black shoes (or trainers)
- In summer, girls may wear a blue gingham dress and boys may wear short grey trousers



EARLY BIRDS BREAKFAST CLUB AVAILABILITY

We are delighted that Early Birds is becoming so popular and well used. However we are restricted to the number of pupils we can have attending each day.

Please ensure if you want to come that you are booked on via the School Gateway app.

If you have not booked a session on the app **please do not turn up** as you will be sent away if a place is not available.

You can check if you are booked on by clicking:

- Clubs
- Early Birds Breakfast Club
- Manage bookings. Here you will see the sessions you have booked.

Please ensure you escort your child over to the canteen with their ticket after signing in.



CANCELLED
club

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

& TUTORING UPDATE

There will be NO after school clubs or tutoring the week before our Easter Holidays.

Monday 25th - Thursday 28th March

Morning Karate, Early Birds and Wise Owls will still be on. Thank you.



LOOK OUT FOR OUR
EXCITING NEW MENU
COMING SOON!

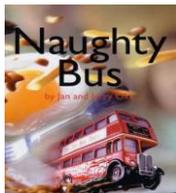


Reception Stay & Play

Parents and Carers of children who attend our Reception classes are invited to a Stay & Play session on

Tuesday 26th March at 9.00am

Come and join our Naughty Bus story and join in activities we have been doing in school this half term. *Have you seen the Naughty bus on our Facebook page?*



Easter Egg Competition

Wednesday 27th March

Please decorate a hard boiled egg, write your name and class on and take it to the canteen from 8:30am.

There will be an Easter Egg prize for the best decorated egg from each class.



External Events:

See the relevant poster, where available, attached to the emailed newsletter. In some cases, emails will have been sent with further information.

DATE	EVENT	COMPANY NAME AND/OR VENUE
28.03.24	TASC AUTISM ACCEPTANCE COFFEE (OR TEA) MORNING	ROCHDALE ADDITIONAL NEEDS SERVICE
EASTER PERIOD	HAF HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES	YOUR TRUST – BOOKABLE FROM 7 TH MARCH FOR BENEFIT RELATED FSM'S AND CARED FOR CHILDREN (SEE EMAIL SENT 01.03.24)
29.03.24	ROBIN HOOD PANTOMIME	OLDHAM (SEE EMAIL SENT 22.03.24 FOR FULL DETAILS)
02 – 05.04.24	EASTER MULTI-ACTIVITIES	NORDEN COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL – MUST BE BOOKED IN ADVANCE
02-05.04.24	MULTI-SPORTS, DANCE AND GYMNASTICS	CALDERSHAW PRIMARY SCHOOL – EDSTART (SEE EMAIL SENT 21.03.24 FOR MORE DETAILS)
05.04.24 & 12.04.24	JUNIOR CRICKET – FREE TASTER SESSIONS FOR U9'S & U15'S	LITTLEBOROUGH CRICKET CLUB





Dates for the Diary:

PLEASE NOTE: all children required to participate in external sports events will be given an invitation letter and parent/carer consent form.

DATE	EVENT	TIME
25 th March	Y3/4 - Easter Crafts and Poem Event 	2pm
26 th March	Reception "Naughty Bus" Stay & Play 	9am
26 th March	Y1/2 - Easter Crafts and Poem Event 	2pm
27 th March	Y5/6 - Easter Crafts and Poem Event 	2pm
27 th March	Easter Egg Competition 	In school event – see poster
28 th March	1S Visit to the Library 	am
29 th March – 12 th April	Easter Holidays 	School Closed
16 th April	Y1 Trip to Lytham St. Annes 	All day
16 th April	Y5/6 Badminton @ St. Annes 	TBC
22 nd April	New School Menu is launched 	
26 th April	Y1 Visit to the Golden Mosque 	am



Late Arrivals This Week:

A total of **47** children were **late this week**, compared with **56** last week so an improvement on last week. A big "Thank You" to those who arrive on time every day.

DAY	NUMBER OF LATE CHILDREN
Monday	13
Tuesday	8
Wednesday	10
Thursday	11
Friday	5

The main gates open at **8:30am**. Please ensure your child arrives in good time to enter the class room at **8:45am**. The class room doors close at **8:51am**. If your child arrives after this time they are **LATE**.



See you happy and on time
for the start of a new term
on Monday 15th April

