

ST. MARY'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL



Weekly Bulletin



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The Weekly Bulletin will be emailed to you every Friday to help keep you up to date with everything in school.

Any additional flyers/posters are at the end of this Bulletin.

Don't Forget!

Walk to School Week: 18th-22nd May

We would love for you all to join in and support this fun, healthy and eco-friendly challenge. Children can take part in any way they can - whether that's walking, scooting, biking, or even parking a little further away and walking the rest of the journey to school. To make things even more exciting, the winning class with the highest participation will receive a special prize!

Walk in Weekday - 18th May, 2:45pm - Year 5/6

History in Action: Join your child for a 25-minute, high-impact session where you'll analyse real evidence, think like historians, and uncover the truth about castles.

Walk in Weekday - 20th May, 2:45pm - Year 3/4

Come in and see a session on how we teach spellings in Year 3/4.

Walk in Weekday - 21st May, 2:45pm - Year 1/2

Come in and see a dedicated session on how we teach Number Bonds in school and we will also be going over the KIRFs (Key Instant Recall Facts).

Homework Passports - Friday 22nd May

Don't forget the homework passports need to be handed in to your child's teacher by this date.

Accessories Sale - Friday 22nd May

Come to the dance studio at 3:15pm!

Term dates:

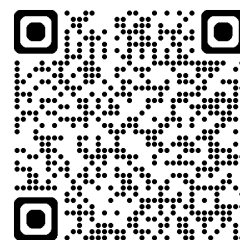
Friday 22nd May: Last day of term

Monday 1st June: First day of term

P.E Days

Friendship	Thursday
Peace	Thursday
Acceptance	Wednesday and Friday
Forgiveness	Tuesday and Friday
Kindness	Wednesday and Friday
Hope	Monday and Wednesday
Perseverance	Wednesday and Friday
Trust	Monday and Wednesday
Justice	Tuesday and Thursday
Respect	Tuesday and Thursday
Wisdom	Tuesday and Thursday

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Attendance!

Winning Class for 3 weeks now:

Peace – 98.7%

Year attendance to date (whole school):

94.18%

School Clubs

We offer a range of Clubs throughout the year and we try to encourage and give every child in KS2 the opportunity to participate in a Sports competition within the school year.

The below clubs are running next term. AM sports are £3.50 / PM sports are £4.00.

Day / Time	Club	Year Groups
Monday AM - 8:00-8:45am	Cricket	All Years
Monday LUNCH -12:30-1:00pm	Prayer Club - KS2 - no more this term	Years 3-6
Monday PM - 3:15-4:15pm	Outdoor Athletics	All Years
Tuesday AM – 08:00-08:45am	Netball	Years 3-6
Tuesday AM – 09:50-11:00am	Woodwind/Recorder lessons	Years 1-6
Tuesday PM - 12:40-2:00pm	Guitar lessons	Years 2-6
Tuesday PM - 3:15-4:15pm	Dodgeball - limited space	Years 3-6
Wednesday AM - 8:00-8:45am	Basketball	All Years
Wednesday AM - 9:00-10:00am	Strings	Years 3-6
Wednesday PM - 3:15-4:15pm	Choir (dates have been sent to parents)	KS1 or KS2
Thursday AM - 8:00-8:45am	EYFS & KS1 Gymnastics	EYFS to Year 2
Thursday PM - 3:15-4:15pm	Football	All Years
Thursday PM - 3:15-4:15pm	Gardening Club	All Years
Friday AM - 8:00-8:45am	KS2 Gymnastics	Years 3-6
Friday PM - 3:15-4:15am	Taskmaster	Years 1-6

Please book sports clubs, gardening club and Prayer Club through our Arbor portal. If any date is not showing then that session is fully booked. Children should only attend if booked on.

Taskmaster Club is booked directly via the letter sent out each term by Mrs Grady.

If your child is interested in our music lessons or choir please enquire with the School Office. For recorders we have a waiting list. Other instruments are possible without waiting.

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Weekly breakdown ~ w/c 18th May 2026

Any new/updated items will be added in blue

Monday 18th May 2026

Walk to School Week

- Cricket – All Years – 8am to 08:45am
- **No Prayer Club**
- **Walk in Weekday - Year 5/6 - 2:45pm start, with a focus on history**
- Outdoor Athletics – All Years – 15:15pm to 16:15pm
- KS1 Boosters - 15:15pm to 15:45pm - selected children

Tuesday 19th May 2026

- Netball – Years 3-6 – 08:00am to 08:45am
- Woodwind/Recorders - 09:50am to 11:00am
- **NO Guitar lessons this week**
- Dodgeball Club – Years 3-6 – 15:15pm to 16:15pm (**limited space**)

Wednesday 20th May 2026

- Basketball Club – All Years – 8am to 08:45am
- String lessons – 09:00am to 10:00am
- **Walk in Weekday - Year 3/4 - 2:45pm start, with a focus on spellings**
- KS1 Choir only 15:15pm to 16:15pm
- Dance club – 3 :20pm to 4:20pm - invite only

Thursday 21st May 2026

- Gym Club – EYFS to Year 2 – 8am to 8:45am
- **Walk in Weekday - Year 1/2 - 2:45pm start, with a focus on number bonds/KIRFs**
- Football – All Years – 15:15pm to 16:15pm

Friday 22nd May 2026

- **Final day of term**
- **Homework passports are due back in**
- Gymnastics Club - Years 3-6 – 8 to 08:45am
- Solihull Parenting Course, 9-11am in school, for people who have registered already
- **Latimer Arts College on site at 1pm to visit Year 6 students**
- Taskmaster Club - Years 1-6 - 15:15pm to 16:15pm - held in the EYFS classroom - pupils must have booked online directly
- KS1 Boosters - 15:15pm to 15:45pm - selected children
- **Our Sunshine room will be holding an accessories sale after school, amazing bargains! More details to follow.**

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Future Dates for your Diary!

DATE	YEAR GROUP	EVENT
25/05 - 29/05	All Years	May half term, children are not at school
01/06/2026	All Years	First day back, students back in school today
01/06 to 05/06/2026	All Years	Environmental Day - acknowledged in school this week with a range of environmental activities
01/06/2026	Years 3-6	KS2 Striking and Fielding Festival - Years 3-6 - 08:40am to 11:30am - Montsaye Academy - invite only
02/06/2026	Year 1/2	Year 1/2 Trip to the National Space Centre in Leicester - 08:30am to 15:15pm, the 3 classes will be split between this date and 05/06/26.
02/06/2026	Year 3 (+ some Year 4)	Year 3 (and some of Year 4) will start swimming sessions. They will be on Tuesdays and cover a 6 week period. Full details have been advised to parents already.
03/06/2026	All Years	Walkie Wheelie Wednesday every Wednesday from today
04/06/2026	Year 5/6	Saints School Rugby Cup - Year 5/6 - 09:00am to 14:00am, Stewart and Lloyds RFC, Corby - invite only
04/06/2026	Sunshine Room	The children will be visiting Burton Latimer Library today.
04/06/2026	All Years	A free Gardening Club will start today, numbers are limited! It will be on Thursdays, 3:15pm to 4:15pm. It will need to be booked in Arbor.
05/06/2026	Year 1/2	Year 1/2 Trip to the National Space Centre in Leicester - 08:30am to 15:15pm, the 3 classes will be split between this date and 02/06/26.
11/06/2026	All Years	Class photos this morning
11/06/2026	Eco/Kindness	Eco litter picking this afternoon around Burton Latimer —Eco/Kindness
12/06/2026	All years	Homework passports will be sent out by today
16/06/2026	EYFS + Year 1/2	Sports Day - a morning session, exact details to be confirmed
17/06/2026	Dancers	Dance Festival - 12:45pm to 14:15pm - rehearsal at Derngate Northampton. The Dance Festival itself is on later that night, timings to be advised. Tickets can be booked here: NMPAT The Festival Royal & Derngate
17/06/2026	Year 3/4	Sports Day - a morning session, exact details to be confirmed
18/06/2026	Year 5/6	Sports Day - a morning session, exact details to be confirmed
22/06 - 26/06	Year 6	Year 6 Govilon residential, all week
23/06/2026	Year 5/6	Quadkids Competition - Year 5/6 - 09:00am to 12:00pm - KLV - invite only
29/06/2026	Years 3-6	KS2 SEN Festival - 08:40am to 11:15am - Montsaye Academy - invite only
29/06/2026	Parents	PTFA meeting, 6:30pm in school, everyone welcome!
02/07/2026	Year 4	Just Sing at the Derngate Theatre - details advised to parents already
02/07/2026	Year 5/6	Summer Finals, Golf, Values Festival, Cricket Skills and Netball Finals - 8:30am to 15:30pm - Montsaye Academy - invite only
08/07/2026	All Years	End of year reports and class letters are due out today
09/07/2026	Year 5	Year 5 visit to Rockingham Castle - details advised to parents already

FLASH ACCESSORIES SALE!

Next Friday at 3.15pm
in the Dance Studio!

Treat yourself to some gorgeous bargains
while supporting our wonderful
Sunshine Room!

We will be selling a fabulous range of
**PURSES, HAIR CLIPS, JEWELLERY,
HAIR BOBBLES and SCRUNCHIES**
from Next – with prices starting from
just **50p** up to **£5!**

There are some amazing bargains
to snap up, so don't miss out!

£1 Cash only
please
(£1 coins etc).

Don't forget
to bring your
own shopping
bag too!

Every purchase helps support our
Sunshine Room –
thank you for your support!

KETTERING CARNIVAL

SELECTION NIGHT FOR CARNIVAL COURT & JESTER

15TH MAY | 7.30pm | £2.50 (Applicants free)

ATHLETIC CLUB ROCKINGHAM ROAD

To enter email: ketteringcarnival@gmail.com

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SCAN FOR MORE INFO

AT THE CASTLE THEATRE

WELLINGBOROUGH GANG SHOW

JOURNEY THROUGH TIME

THURSDAY 14TH MAY TO SATURDAY 16TH MAY 2026
START: 7.15 & SATURDAY MATINEE: 2.15

Based on an original idea by the "Holborn Rover" Ralph Reader C.B.E.

Scouts | Girlguiding | WWW.WELLINGBOROUGHGANGSHOW.CO.UK

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PACESETTER SPORTS & WELLBEING

MAY HALF TERM HOLIDAY SPORTS CLUBS

26TH - 29TH MAY

REDWELL PRIMARY SCHOOL 9AM - 4PM £27.50 PER DAY MULTISPORTS & GYMNASTICS Wellingborough, NN8 5LQ	ABINGTON PDC 9AM - 4PM £27.50 PER DAY MULTISPORTS & GYMNASTICS Northampton, NN1 5JS
SPRATTON PRIMARY SCHOOL 9AM - 4PM £27.50 PER DAY MULTISPORTS & GYMNASTICS Northampton, NN6 8HY	HALL MEADOW PRIMARY SCHOOL 9AM - 4PM £27.50 PER DAY MULTISPORTS & GYMNASTICS Kettering, NN15 7RP

Book online at: WWW.PACESETTERONLINE.CO.UK/HOLIDAY

SCAN ME

PLAYERS WANTED!

BURTON PARK WANDERERS ARE FORMING A NEW TEAM!

FOR U12 26/27 SEASON (YEAR 7 FROM SEPTEMBER)

PLAYING ON SUNDAYS IN THE WEETABIX LEAGUE

TRAINING MONDAY EVENINGS AT THE RECREATION GROUND IN BURTON LATIMER

CONTACT JAMIE FOR MORE INFORMATION
07776194736

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PR FESTIVAL OF FOOTBALL

STUCK FOR IDEAS TO KEEP YOUR CHILDREN ENTERTAINED AND ACTIVE THIS HALF TERM?

From £17 a day Sibling and block booking discounts available

FA qualified, DBS checked, experienced coaches

Tuesday 26th May
Wednesday 27th May
10am - 3pm

Huxlow Academy, Irthlingborough

5 - 14 YEAR OLDS ALL ABILITIES WELCOME

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£35PP

10% Discount 'kidsclub10' Valid until 18th May

KIDS MAY CLUB

These clubs are brilliant for epic fun and trying out a variety of different activities throughout the week. Get ready to paddle together in a bell boat, conquer mega paddleboarding and aim at the target in archery!

Age groups
Mixed 5 - 16 years old

Watersports
Dive into adventure with our diverse watersports & try canoeing, kayaking, paddleboarding, bell boating, and much more!

Outdoor Adventure
It's time to explore the outdoors with our qualified instructors on a wide range of activities!

Date 26th May - 29th May **Time** 9am - 4pm

AT NORTHAMPTON ACTIVE

Book Online www.northamptonactive.com

Contact Us 01604 634040

Our Location Bedford Road, Northampton, NN4 7AA

Burton Latimer Baptist Church invites you to

Messy Nature

Thursday 28th May 2026
10 - 12
John Yoemans Hall,
Meeting Lane, NN15 5LS

Crafts, messy play and activities for all ages.
Children MUST bring an adult with them.

For more information call Hannah
07873353212
or email
blbccfw@outlook.com

DODGEBALL & NERF

HOLIDAY CLUBS

Thurs 28th May
St Marys, Burton Latimer
Fri 29th May
Irthlingborough Junior School

5 - 14 YEAR OLDS
10AM-3PM
FROM £19 PER DAY

FOR BOOKINGS AND MORE INFORMATION VISIT OUR WEBSITE:
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ST. MARY'S PTA & FRIENDS



Next PTFA meeting:

Monday 29th June, 6:30pm, everyone welcome

UNIFORM DONATIONS WANTED

if you have any unwanted good condition
logo uniform, please consider donating this
to the PTFA

**WE ARE HOPING TO HAVE ANOTHER
SALE BUT NEED MORE DONATIONS!**

PLEASE LEAVE DONATIONS NEAR THE
BLUE CONTAINER AT THE HIGH
STREET GATE OR CONTACT THE PTFA

The poster is light blue and features various school supplies as icons: a pink pencil sharpener, a yellow pencil, a pink eraser, a pair of green scissors, a blue compass, a blue folder, a pink folder, a green pen, a pink folder, a pink and green ribbon, a yellow and pink backpack, and a yellow notepad with a pink cover.