

St. Martha's News

'Be the best you can be'



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Catholic Life of the School

FIRST COMMUNION 2026

The celebration of First Holy Communions next year will be on 19th April. Application forms will be available soon for the course which will begin in September and they should be returned

BY THE END OF TERM.

You must attend Mass to collect the forms from the Church, I will not be giving out forms in school – this is under the direction of Fr Peter.

Dates for your diary:

26th June 9:30am: Year 4 and 2 Mass



Dear Families,

It is so lovely to be able to share all the positive things that happen at St. Martha's on a weekly basis and this week is no different. On Wednesday, we celebrated World Music Day, something we have never done before, which was such a fantastic day celebrating all things musical. The children went to different classes to learn lots of different musical skills. For example, some did sound doodling, others created body percussion, they made sound effects for stories or videos, explored different instruments and researched different

composers. In the afternoon, all the children gathered together for an assembly to share their learning throughout the day. We then celebrated our love and talent in music through our Music Concerts in the evening, the best concert yet! Well done to everyone who participated in the concert and thank you to all our parents and families who came to watch. A special thank you to Mrs Harrington, Mrs McGovern, Miss Brennock and Mrs Gray for all the work that went in to preparing for the day and also for all the work that goes in on a daily basis to promote music in our life at school.

We are delighted to announce that we, St Martha's Catholic School, have achieved the School Games Gold Mark Award for the 2024/25 academic year. The School Games Mark is a Government-led award scheme launched in 2012, facilitated by the Youth Sport Trust to reward schools for their commitment to the development of competition across their school and into the community, and we are delighted to have been recognised for our success. With a total of young people competing in local inter-school competitions this year, we are



Safeguarding

The wellbeing of our children is of paramount importance to all staff. Should any parent have a concern regarding a child's wellbeing, please inform the school's Designated Safeguarding Officers: Mrs. Child, Mrs. Edwards, Miss Annelly and Mrs. Bowman.

Happy Birthday!

Reception: Elisa, Abi,

Adannaya

Year 1: Kevin

Year 2: Oscar, Claudia,

Amiras

Year 4: Heart, Erin

May God never stop





extremely proud of our pupils for their dedication to all aspects of school sport, including those young volunteers, leaders and officials who made our competitions possible. As part of our application, we were asked to fulfil criteria in the areas of participation, competition, workforce and clubs, and we are pleased that the hard work of everyone at our school has been rewarded this year.

Sports Day will be running on Tuesday 24th June. Key Stage 2 will start the day at 9:30, with Key Stage 1 and Reception starting their races at 1:30pm. Everyone is welcome to come and watch their child participate in their races and we look forward to a fun day of sport!



Earlier this week, some of our Year 6 girls went to Goodwin's Hall to spend some time playing games with the elderly



residents. The girls had a great time and were very respectful showing themselves to be excellent role models of St. Martha's.

Transition for next academic year has been working really well and classes have been mixed for next year. The children will be spending some time with their new class teacher on Wednesday 25th June. The staffing for next year is below and teachers will share with you next week, which class your child will be in. We are really fortunate to be welcoming two new members of staff next year; Mrs Dixon and Miss Baker. We are really excited to be introducing a new class next year, Green Class, which Mrs Dixon will be teaching, we will be communicating with parents of children individually who will be joining this class in September. Miss Baker, will be starting her Teaching Assistant training In Reception. Both Mrs Dixon and Miss Baker have been very involved in school life over the last week and will continue to until the end of the year before they officially start with us in September. We will be saying goodbye to Miss Lee at the end of the academic year. Miss Lee will be starting her Teacher Training at another school and we would like to wish her all the best as she embarks on her new venture. She will be missed at St. Martha's.

Year Group	Blue	TA	Yellow	TA
Reception	Mrs Guyatt	Miss Baker	Mrs Anderson	Mrs Doherty
Year 1	Miss Jackman	Miss Dixon	Mrs De Luca	Mrs Defty
Year 2	Ms Harrington	Mrs Whitmore	Miss Sequiera	Miss Etherington
Year 3	Miss Howman	Mrs Bush	Mrs Chapman/ Ms Bredin	Miss Taylor
Year 4	Miss Patmore	Mrs Landles	Mrs Symonds/ Mrs Reale	Mrs Gray/ Mr Dixon/Miss Nicoleau
Year 5	Mrs McGovern	Mrs Ferguson / Miss Poole	Mrs Waters	Miss Brennock
Year 6	Mrs Doherty	Mrs Bunting	Miss Lowe	Mrs Smith
Green Class	Mrs Dixon	Mrs Hanna Miss Simms Mrs Wakefield		

*showering
you with His blessing*

Attendance Award

Congratulations to Year 4 Yellow with 99.26% attendance this week!

Every day at school counts, helping with learning, developing skills, and building friendships.



Information Meetings for next year will be held either before or after school. Please remember you need to attend the meeting of the year group your child will be in next year not the year they are currently in. So for example, if your child is currently in Year 2, you will need to attend the information meeting for Year 3. If you are unable to attend, information will be sent out through Class Dojo before the end of term.

Tuesday 1st July 3:30pm Year 1
 Thursday 3rd July 8:30am Year 6
 Monday 7th July 3:30pm Year 2
 Tuesday 8th July 8:30am Year 5
 Tuesday 8th July 3:30pm Year 4
 Thursday 10th July 3:30pm Year 3
 Thursday 17th July 3:30pm Green Class

Wishing you all a very lovely weekend.

Mrs Edwards



Well done to our Be the best you can be winners this week . . .

Reception: Bella & Aithan

Year 1: Luke & Kevin

Year 2: Chi-Zara & Zuzanna

Year 3: Irene & Rokas

Year 4: Kourtney, Evie & Francesca

Year 5: Alfred & Eva

Year 6: Imogen & Grantas

Summer Term Dates

As always, there maybe some changes or some additions to this dates throughout the term but we will endeavour to give as much notice as possible. Please do keep an eye each week.

June						
Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa
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29	30					

- 23 9:30 - 12:30 Quadkids Athletics Year 6 – Cancelled
 8:15 Girls Cricket Final
 Rec/Year 1 PJ Day
 5pm New EYFS Parent Information Session
- 24 Sports Day
- 25 Year 3 Yellow Class Assembly
 KLA Year 6 transition day
 Year 1 to 6 Transition Afternoon
- 26 Year 4 and 2 Mass
 10am Rocksteady Concert
 KLA Transition Day
- 27 8:15am Cricket Finals
 Reception Trip to Church Farm
 KLA transition day
 9:30 - 12:30 Year 6 Tennis - cancelled

July						
Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa
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- 1 Reserve Sports Day
3:30pm Year 1 Information Meeting
- 2 Year 2 Yellow Class Assembly
Year 6 Trip to Pleasurewood Hills
Year 3 trip to the Cinema
3:45-4:30pm New EYFS children stay and play
- 3 Year 6 Primary Maths Challenge at Springwood – selected children
9:30am Year 3 Mass
8:30am Year 6 Information Meeting
1:45pm OPAL Parents Day
- 4 Trust Pilgrimage Mass - Theme of Hope
Jubilee Pledge Day
- 7 3:30pm Year 2 Information Meeting
4:30 - 6:30 KS2 Town Sports
- 8 8:30am Year 5 Information Meeting
SATS Results out
Year 6 Enterprise Day
3:30pm Year 4 Information Meeting
- 9 Year 5 School trip
Year 2 Blue Class Assembly
11am Year 6 Leavers' Mass
3:45-4:30pm New EYFS children stay and play
- 10 Reception Class Assembly
3:30pm Year 3 Information Meeting
St Martha's Got Talent
- 11 Reports out
InflataFun Day for all children
- 14 Springwood Music Week – more information on this soon
1 - 4:30pm MITI workshop at Springwood
- 15 1.45pm Year 6 Production
6pm Year 6 Productions
- 16 9:30 End of Term Mass
1:45pm Year 6 Production
6pm Year 6 Production
- 17 3:30 - 4:30pm Open Afternoon for parents
- 18 Year 6 Leavers' Presentation
End of Term finish 1:45pm

WEST NORFOLK RUGBY CLUB

FAMILY FUN DAY

@GATEHOUSE LANE, NORTH WOOTTON
PE30 3RJ

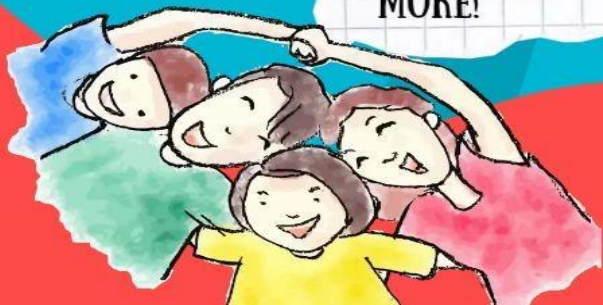
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ENTRY

- > RODEO BULL
- > BOUNCY CASTLES
- > CRAFT STALLS
- > FAIRGROUND GAMES
- > REFRESHMENTS +
MORE!

SUNDAY
JUNE 22
@10AM TO 4PM



FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL
07894 273 263 (TARA)





West Norfolk Academies Trust

COMMUNITY MUSIC WEEK

2025

Monday 14th - Thursday 17th July

Springwood High School, King's Lynn

FREE ENTRY

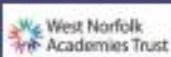
(Retiring Collection each evening)



Monday 14th July	Tuesday 15th July	Wednesday 16th July	Thursday 17th July
Concert Bands and Orchestras	Rock and Pop Showcase	Pianists, Jazz and Small Ensembles	WNAT Vocal Celebration
<p>4.00pm Primary Instrumental Showcase</p> <p>Primary School students from across West Norfolk together as one large Instrumental Ensemble. Followed by performances from the Springwood and St. Clements' Transition Bands and Orchestras</p> <p>6.00pm Bands and Orchestras from Across West Norfolk</p> <p>Featuring the bands and orchestras from Springwood High School including the award-winning Concert Band with Special Community Guests.</p> <p>Kings Lynn Town Band West Norfolk Music Centre</p>	<p>6.00pm Bands from Across West Norfolk</p> <p>Rock and Pop bands and Solo Artists from across the West Norfolk Academies Trust join with other local bands and performers.</p>	<p>6.00pm Small Ensembles and Jazz Night</p> <p>The Big Band and Small Ensembles from Springwood High School along with a selection of solo pianists plus Special Community Guests</p> <p>West Norfolk Roadz</p>	<p>6.00pm Choirs from across WNAT</p> <p>Featuring Choirs from across all the schools of the West Norfolk Academies Trust and our guests St. Martha's in a wonderful celebration of choral arrangements including many of your songs and ending with a finale of a combined choir of over 200 young people.</p>

Gates Open 20 minutes before each performance

Bring a Chair or a Blanket and enjoy some great Community Music



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Academic year 2024-25

Wraparound Care for St Martha's Catholic Primary School

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Wraparound care sessions are open to children from Reception to Year 6, with no deposit or registration fee required. Healthy snacks are provided, with specific dietary requirements also being catered for.

St Martha's Catholic Primary 2024-25

Before School Club:
7.30am - 8.30am: £5.25

After School options
3.15pm - 5.45pm: £11.25
3.15pm - 4.30pm: £6
4.15pm - 5.45pm: £6

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