



St. Matthew's Church of England Primary School

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World Cup and Sports Clothes

The World Cup has now started and England's first match is on Wednesday. To celebrate the World Cup, all children are invited to come to school in football tops, sports clothes or their PE kit on Wednesday 17th June.

Football Celebration Lunch

We will be having a special lunch on Wednesday 17th June. The menu is an all-day breakfast with a vegetarian option and a special biscuit for pudding. All children in Reception, KS1 and those that are entitled to free school meals are automatically included. If you would like your child to have the special meal, please let the office know and the cost is £2.40 per child.

WBA Football Tournament

Congratulations to the children from Year 5 and Year 6 who represented St Matthew's at the WBA Football Tournament. The team was: Ruby, Amal, Jacob, Elijah, Daniel, Wonderful, Mardin, Jaxon, Jovan, Satay, Arthur and Kristofer. We came second overall which was a fantastic achievement considering the standard. Thank you to Mr Noble for accompanying the children and to Mr Tolley for driving the minibus

Phonics Screening

Well done to our Year 1 pupils who sat their phonics test this week. They have worked incredibly hard all year and we are really proud of them! A special thank you to all the staff who helped: Miss Polito, Miss Wood, Mrs Foster, Miss Salisbury, Miss Tanda and Mrs Amphlett.

Year 4 Multiplication Check

Our Year 4 children have completed their multiplication check this week and we are proud of them all. Thank you to parents who practised tables at home and thank you to the Year 4 team: Mr Trigg, Miss Farrell, Mrs Baszo and Miss Richards who have helped the children with their tables.

Multiplication Masters

Silver Year 4: Aayan, Ahmad, Eraldo and Amaaya
Gold Year 4: Gurleen, Ayaan, Ahmad, Abdulkarim, Doxa, Eraldo and Amaaya

Children who will be praised next week

Please note, children in Yr3, Yr4, Yr5 and Yr6 are praised on alternate weeks.

EYFS and KSI Windmill Lane Monday 15 th June		KS2 Croxall Way Friday 19 th June		
<u>Reception</u> Michael, Ardian, Elijah and Genesis	<u>Year 1</u> Ambrose, Tanish, Skala and Aaminah	<u>Year 2</u> Efrata, Robert, Danar and Wildan	<u>Year 3</u> Maya, Adarsh, Funom, Haimadu, Sarina and Deborah	<u>Year 4</u> Isaac, Aaron, Aliza, Sharon, Liliana and Bhavya

St. Matthew's Attendance

Regular attendance is vitally important to your child's learning and well-being. Please support us by ensuring your children are here on time and attend regularly.

Remember, school is open from 8.30am for children in EYFS and KSI and 8.35am for children in KS2. Anyone who arrives after 8.40am in EYFS/KSI or 8.45am in KS2 will be marked as arriving late.

Overall attendance for this week: 98%

Class with the best attendance in EYFS KSI: Year 2 Plum and Pear with 100%

Class with the best attendance in KS2: Year 4 Beech with 100%

Class with the poorest attendance in EYFS and KSI: Reception Willow with 91%

Class with the poorest attendance in KS2: Year 3 Elm 94%

School trips this term

Reception: Twycross Zoo Thursday 11th June

Year 1: Warwick Castle Wednesday 24th June

Year 2: Weston-Super-Mare Thursday 25th June

Year 3: London Thursday 18th June

Year 4: Carding Mill Valley Monday 15th June

Year 5: Cadbury World Thursday 14th May

Year 6: Drayton Manor Park Friday 15th May

Diary Dates

Tuesday 23rd June: Reception meeting for new Reception parents

1st and 2nd July: Year 6 Transition Days (different for each school)

Thursday 2nd July: Meet the teacher all day

Additional dates are available on the school website.