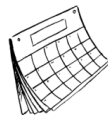


Dates for the Diary



13th Oct - Parents Evening
17th Oct - 4.45pm Disco
27th-31st Oct - Half Term
3rd November - Back to school
7th November - Remembrance in Church
12th December - Christmas in Church
19th December - Last day of Term
5th Jan 2026 - INSET day for staff
6th January - Back to School
6th February - Church Service
13th February - INSET day for staff
16th-20th February - half term
23rd February - Back to School
27th March - Easter in Church
27th March - Last day of term
13th April - Back to school
4th May - Bank Holiday Monday
22nd May - Church Service
25th May-29th May - Half term
17th July - Leaver Service in Church
17th July - Last day of term
20th July - INSET day for staff

Key Stage 2

If it is your child's birthday next week you are welcome to attend.

Friday 17th October

Families of Crocodiles/Leopards/Giraffes

Please only come to your allocated key stage worship, and make sure your phone is on silent and not in use during the worship, thank you.



Newsletter 6

10th October 2025



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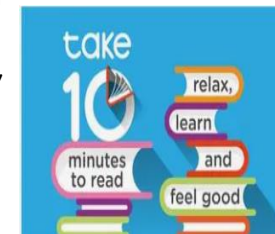
celebration
WORSHIP

Harvest Festival in Church



Thank you to our Leopards class who shared a lovely harvest worship in Church this morning. All harvest donations will be shared with the local food banks.

We all improved our mental health and well being by walking, talking and laughing with our families and friends on the walk in the fresh air. When we got back to school, we took part in the 10 minute read, another way to relax and feel good.



Swimming for Giraffes

It is the last swimming this week and starts again (for Giraffes) on the 4th November. The Leisure Centre need to have a short break!



Check out our first PTFA Newsletter on Class Dojo - it provides some information about the PTF, their fundraising and the positive impact it has for our children in school.

Worship



In worship, we have continued our learning about the Fruits of the Spirit - we have been thinking about kindness and sharing through the harvest, and joy - bringing joy to each other's lives as often as we can.

Nehemiah 8:10: "Do not be grieved, for the joy of the Lord is your strength."



Attendance

This week's attendance is

96%

Our attendance would have been 97.5% without holidays and lates, please arrive before 8.55am.



Croft on the Heath



Mon 13 th Oct	Giraffes pm
Tues 14 th Oct	Leopards am
Wed 15 th Oct	Bear Cubs & Ladybirds pm
Thurs 16 th Oct	Penguins pm
Fri 17 th Oct	

Please make sure your child has their wellies, coat and a pair of old tracksuit bottoms in a named bag for their Croft Day. It will often be muddy and/or wet and the children won't be able to access outdoor learning, if they haven't got their wellies/old trousers/waterproof.



FOOD FESTIVAL by Asperns

LUNCHTIME

TRADITIONAL

Week 2

Spring Summer
2025
28/04/25, 19/05/25,
09/06/25, 19/06/25,
21/07/25, 11/08/25,
01/09/25, 22/09/25,
13/10/25

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

THE MAIN EVENT

Beef Bolognese Pasta

BBQ Chicken Wraps and Paprika Wedges

Roast Gammon, Skin on Roasties and Gravy

Sausage and Mash with Gravy

Battered Fish and Chips

MEAT-FREE MAGIC
Veggie Dish

Veggie Bolognese Pasta

BBQ Veggie Wrap and Paprika Wedges

Maple Roasted Sweet Potato Filo Pie with Skin on Roasties

Veggie Sausage and Mash

Cheese and Onion Burger with Chips

RAINBOW ALLEY
Vegetables and Potatoes

Sweetcorn and Peas

Green Beans

Mixed Greens

Carrots and Green Beans

Baked Beans

BIG TOPPING
Filled Jacket

Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo

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DESSERT TROLLEY

Jam Sponge and Custard

Watermelon Wedge

Daty Cornflake Crunch Bar

Apple Sponge Pudding

Vanilla Cookie

PASTA TWIRLER

AVAILABLE EVERY DAY

Topped Pasta

Hot Pasta topped with Homemade Tomato Sauce & Cheese

The Croft on the Heath



Our Croft is nearly 2 years old and has had such a positive impact on our children and in the community. The upkeep costs are something we are thinking about as we begin to fundraise again to help keep the Croft going. Please check out the Croft information letter on Class Dojo and see the exciting activities going on in the last week of this half term and the ways in which you can donate to help us out.



PARENT/CARER COFFEE MORNING

WITH THE MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT TEAM AND SCHOOL SENDCO

Friday | 17th October | 9-10:30AM
2025

If your child is experiencing..



Please join Mrs Moulton, Mrs Malkin and Becky, our Mental Health practitioner - pick up a few tips, ask for advice, or just come for a coffee and a chat! All welcome in the Hall

ST MARY'S PTFA PRESENTS

DISCO PARTY

HEATH COMMUNITY CENTRE

17TH OCT | £3 ENTRY ON THE DOOR | 4:45-6PM

RECEPTION-YEAR 4 CAN BE DROPPED OFF. PENGUINS PARENTS PLEASE STAY WITH YOUR CHILD/REN

ENTRY FEE INCLUDES DRINKS AND BISCUIT
SNAPBANDS - 50P GLITTER TATTOO - 50P

St Mary's Church Toddler Group

Pop in with your toddler for play, chat, tea, juice and toast! In the Elkes Room at Church.

Tuesdays
9.30-11.30am



Birthday Bake Off Round 2!



The Croft's 2nd Birthday

Send in your showstopper on Wednesday 22nd October

Judging will take place on Wednesday. Cake sales will take place on Thursday and Friday. All money raised will support the Croft on the Heath. We can't wait to see your amazing designs and creations!