

The week ahead...

Summer 2 Week 6: w/c 10th July 2023



Good morning,

How on earth are we at the end of week 5?! This half term is absolutely flying by and the start of assessment and vocations week means the big events are just round the corner. Please make sure you factor in the vocations lessons around your assessments and have 3 slides produced for Becky by Thursday. Youth proms are also occurring next week so we wish Becky, Alice and all the members of the choir all the very best for the performance on Thursday evening. Our year 6 children will be experiencing their secondary schools for the first time so please wish them good luck next week. Oh, and a certain little baby took us all by surprise this week. Thankfully, both mom and baby are doing well so please keep Emma and her family in your thoughts.

Key events this week:



Assessment and Vocations Week

Monday 10th July 2023

Vocations assembly led by the Lighthouse Group @ 9am
Year 5 and 6 Online STEM meeting @ 1.30pm - 2.30pm

Tuesday 11th July 2023

Hymn Practice

Years 2, 3 and 4 Online STEM Meeting @ 1.00pm - 2.00pm

Reading Picnic 2.45pm

Book Swap

Wednesday 12th July 2023

Rachel out all day at St James (Ellie in with Emma B in the afternoon)

Transition morning - all classes to move up to their next year group for the morning.

Alison working with Chris and Charlie in the afternoon on 2023-2024 (John and Lorna in Year 5)

Thursday 13th July 2023

Becky and Alice at Youth Proms - Lara in Reception and Caroline in with John in Y6.

Slides to Becky for Vocations assembly

Governors Meeting @ 1pm.

Friday 14th July 2023

Vocations assembly in the hall @ 9am

Reports go out to parents.

Star of the Week



Our focus for Star of the Week next week is vocations. This is an opportunity to see who shines through your vocations lessons.

Please send your names to Paul by Thursday morning so that he can contact the parents. Thank you.

Vocations Week

Next week is both assessment and vocations week so, when you're not doing your assessments, please teach about vocations. Gather as much evidence as possible and put them into the folder for Becky. You'll also need these for your slides for Friday morning (no more than 3) and these need to be sent to Becky by Thursday evening. The children will come dress as what 'God has called them to be' on Friday.

Charity Day

Our annual charity day is fast approaching and, as we take the children off site, it means it requires a little more organisation. I've asked parents to volunteer but if you have any relatives that might be able to accompany your class on the walk, that would be greatly appreciated. We also need each class to create banners that they can carry on the journey so think about that for Friday, if you're vocations lessons are complete. Also, we'll be doing a 'Splat the teacher' once we return. The target has been set for £3000 so, if you'd like to volunteer, please come and see me. Many thanks.

Key dates for the Summer term

Summer 2

W/c 10th July:

Assessment Week (am) and Vocations Week (pm)

Wednesday 12th July:

Transition Day in School

Thursday 13th July:

Youth Proms at the Symphony Hall

Friday 14th July:

Bastille Morning

Reports go out to parents

Thursday 20th July:

Charity Day - Walk for Life for Cancer Research

Friday 21st July:

Year 6 Leavers Mass

Monday 24th July:

School Summer Fair in the playground (pm)

Monday 24th July:

Deadline for data to Paul

Performance Management Documents

In the next couple of weeks, Paul will be conducting our final performance management reviews for this academic year. Could you please ensure these are completed, ready for when your meeting is set. Thank you.

Song of the week



We had a few birthdays during the Whitsun half term and I don't think we mentioned any of their songs. This week, our song of the week goes to the fabulous Jenny, who enjoyed her birthday at the beginning of June. Enjoy [Love on the Brain](#) by Rhianna!

Nicky and Chris cover

Here are the cover arrangements for Nicky and Chris in Week 5.

	Nicky		Chris	
	Morning	Afternoon	Morning	Afternoon
Monday	Alice Year 6	Charlotte Nursery	Olivia Year 3	Alison Year 5
Tuesday	Alice Year 6	Lewis Year 1	Hannah Year 4	
Wednesday				
Thursday		Rachel Year 2	Alison Year 5	
Friday	Alison Year 5		Olivia Year 3	

Have a fabulous weekend!
Paul, Alison and Rachel