



Kirkstall St Stephen's

Newsletter 13th September 2024

Diary Dates / PTA Events

Events this half term	Date
PTA Annual General Meeting in school-all welcome if you would like to join or support. Childcare available	Tuesday 24 th September 3.30-4.30pm
Themed school meal "Fakeaway Classics" Book/pay on School Gateway	Thursday 3 rd October
Harvest Festival in church	Wednesday 9 th October 2.30pm
Training Day school closed	Wednesday 16th October
Open afternoon for potential Reception children 2025	Thursday 17 th October 1.30-3.20pm
PTA bingo night-venue and time to be confirmed later	Friday 18 th October
Tempest in school for individual pupil photographs	Thursday 17 th October
Break up for half term holiday	Friday 25th October
School re-opens	Monday 4th November

Herd Farm

The Yr6 children have had a brilliant time at Herd Farm Activity Centre this week. I visited yesterday and it was wonderful to see them all doing the zip-wire, crate challenge and archery in the sunshine. Their behaviour has been excellent and it has been a lovely team building exercise.

Many thanks for the staff that have attended- Mr Malley, Mrs Muranka, Mrs Doyle and Mrs Winestein.

They arrive back this afternoon and will probably need a rest this weekend (especially staff!)

KSS Open Days

Please spread the word about our open afternoons and evenings for future 2025 reception children. As usual, we will ask some Year 6 guides to do tours of the school and there might be a delicious snack to enjoy!

Dates are:-

Thursday 17th October- 1.30-3.20pm

Thursday 7th November- 1.30-3.20pm and 3.40-5.00pm

Thursday 5th December- 1.30-3.20pm and 3.40-5.00pm

Thursday 9th January 2025- 1.30-3.20pm

Pre-Loved Class Book Sale

On the 16th September Reception class staff will be holding a small pre-loved book sale at 3.30pm in the Reception outdoor area.

We are just asking for small donations for the books to help raise some funds for Early years provision.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

PTA

The PTA would love to hear from you if you would like to join them and support the school. Please feel free to contact them on the following email address: - ststephenspta@outlook.com

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