



# Friday News

No. 28 - 26th April 2024



**St Matthew's CE Primary School**

*Forward through Friendship and Faith*

Diary Dates

## APRIL

**Monday 29th** Year 3 visiting British Museum  
Packham Football cup at Ryefield School  
After-school clubs start this week  
Last date for Parent Governor nominations

**Tuesday 30th** 8.45 am & 2.45pm Parents & carers of children in Year 1 through to Year 6 only, invited into classes for Learn with Me sessions

## MAY

**Friday 3rd** Reception classes visiting St Matthew's Church today

**Monday 6th** May Bank Holiday - school closed

**Tuesday 7th** Year 5 to Gunnersbury Park & House

**Thursday 9th** Read with Me sessions for Nursery & RJB families. Details below

**Friday 10th** Year 2 to Shree Adya Shakti Mataji Temple  
Read with Me session for REF families. Details below  
2.50pm 1SF Class worship for parents

**Monday 13th** KS2 (Year 6) SATS week

**Friday 17th** 9am assembly for Year 6 PGL parents

**Monday 20th** Year 5 classes swimming lessons over next 4 weeks - details to follow  
Year 6 Bikeability course

**Thursday 23rd** 4.30pm Peter Pan production for parents in St Matthew's Church

**Friday 24th** 9am assembly for Year 6 PGL Rivals parents  
2.50pm Class worship for 2LD

**Monday 27th - Friday 31st** Half term

## JUNE

**Monday 3rd** School reopens

**Thursday 6th** Frays Academy Trust Dance festival for Years 4-6. Details to follow

**Friday 7th** 9am Class worship for 5JM parents

**Friday 14th** 9am Class worship for 5SN  
2.50pm 3BF class worship for parents

## 'READ WITH ME' SESSIONS - 9th & 10th MAY 2024

We would love to see as many Nursery & Reception parents as possible to come into school and spend some time sharing a book with their child as follows;

### Thursday 9th May

8:45 - 9:05 (RJB); 8:20 - 8:40 (NAM); 12:20 - 12:40 (NPM)

### Friday 10th May

8:45 - 9:05 (REF)

### Executive Head teacher:

Mr C Cole

### Interim Headteacher:

Mrs N Moffatt

### Email:

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**Telephone:** 01895 442724

### Website:

http://www.st-matthews.hillingdon.sch.uk/

### Facebook:

St Matthew's School Yiewsley

### SHARE OUR PRAYERS

We learned the Old Testament story of Samuel who was woken in the night by God calling him by name. Christians believe that God knows all of us by name: we are all children of God and we must make time to listen to him.

*Dear God,*

*Thank you for everyone in our school family, from the youngest to the oldest.*

*Thank you that you know our names.*

*Thank you that we are each very, very special to you.*

*Help us to learn more about you so that we can follow you like Samuel did.*

*Amen.*



Daniella Logun Foundation

## Tea, Coffee & Cake Afternoon!



**FREE** for the families, friends & carers of children with brain tumours and other cancers.

**Every last Saturday of the month.**

**1:30pm to 2:30pm**

St Matthew's Church Hall  
High Street Yiewsley.

UB7 7QH

07760 411 888



### CLASS OF THE WEEK

This week's class of the week was XXX with XXX positive behaviour points.

### LUNCHTIME BEHAVIOUR AWARD

Each day, the Year 5 & Year 6 hall/lunchtime monitors take the names of children who uphold the school rules or demonstrate one of our school values. The names are entered into a hat and 5 children across Lower School and Upper School are selected at random and awarded with a non-uniform day for a day the following week.

Well done to this week's winners, who can wear their own clothes on Friday 3rd May are: **Nellie & Ivy, 1LZ; Yasin 2LD; Rohan 4IT; Poppy 5JM; Nyah 6ES**

### SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

A reminder to all parents that the school does not authorise holiday during school time. We ask that parents call the school office before 8.45am if your child will be absent for any reason.

**Whole school attendance from the start of term is 93.9%**  
**For the week beginning 15th April, weekly attendance was 94.9%. Our school target is 96%.**

CLASS	ATTENDANCE %	MERIT AWARD
NURSERY	89.6%	N/A
REF	97.8%	Alex
RJB	92.2%	Maryam
1LZ	98.2%	Siya
1SF	94%	Prableen
2LD	93.1%	Ahaan
2EM	92.4%	Oliver
3MG	92.5%	Simeon
3BF	99.2%	Jaedon
4RM	99.5%	N/A
4IT	90.2%	N/A
5JM	92.6%	Abigail
5SN	99%	Naima
6MN	94.4%	Chloe
6ES	97.8%	Nyah

### OUR SCHOOL RULES

**Kind Words, Kind Hands, Kind Actions**

**ST MATTHEW'S SCHOOL VALUES**

**Friendship, Trust, Compassion,  
Forgiveness, Gratitude**



Hillingdon cycling instructors are back every second Saturday of the month from April - October offering free cycle training to Hillingdon Residents (children and adults). Whether you want to learn to ride or refresh your skills, all are welcome. Cycling sessions will take place at Pield Heath School Cycle Track which is a safe and enclosed space to learn.

Please go to the website below to find out more information.:

<https://www.hillingdon.gov.uk/cycle-skills-training>

## Hillingdon SEND and AP Partnership



**24th June 2024**

### Send & Inclusion Conference for Parents & Carers Empowering Families

Come and meet a whole host of services available to support Children/Young People with SEND and their families.

SEND & Inclusion Services will host information stalls where you can grab a coffee, stop and chat and find out more.

[Browse and Chat Information Stalls](#) | [Dedicated Workshops](#) | [Stay and Play for under 5s](#)

Please note the Stay and Play session requires the parent to stay with their child

 **24th June 2024**

 **9:30am - 3pm**

 **COMMITTEE ROOM 5 & 6  
CIVIC CENTRE, UXBRIDGE  
UB8 1UW**

All attendees must register using the following link or QR code

[REGISTRATION LINK](#)





**SEND Family Support**  
**SUMMER Funday**  
 Oak Wood School, Sutton Court Road,  
 Uxbridge, UB10 9HT  
 (off Long Lane, turn off at Oak Farm Library)  
**SATURDAY 15TH JUNE**  
**1PM - 4PM**

Join us at our fun-filled & informative Summer Funday for families caring for children and young adults with special educational needs and disabilities, along with their siblings.

**Entrance**  
 £5 per child/young adult  
 Parents/Carers and Under 3's can enter for free

To book go to:  
[www.sendfs.co.uk/summer-funday](http://www.sendfs.co.uk/summer-funday)

See Reverse for more details on attractions and information available

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**Community Interpreters Training**  
 Introductory Training **IN PERSON ONLY**

**When?**  
**18<sup>th</sup> April 2024** Information & "Taster" session  
**Main Course starts Mon 13<sup>th</sup> May 2024,**  
**then Thurs 16<sup>th</sup>, Mon 20<sup>th</sup>, Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup>**  
**4 workshops = 2 per week**

All workshops 9.15 registration to 1.00 ("Taster" to 12.00)  
**You must be on time and attend all 4 workshops**  
 to complete the course and receive a Certificate of Attendance  
 You will have extra work to do between workshops

**Contact us to book and confirm**  
**Book your place early, as the course can be full**

**Where?** Yiewsley UB7, Full details when you book (Elizabeth Line)

**How much?** (for all 4 workshops):  
**FREE for Asylum Seekers** Pay at the first workshop  
**Paying for yourself?** Please bring evidence if you get benefits  
**£15** if Universal Credit/ Benefits **or We can send an invoice**  
 (please show evidence) **for payment by BACS**  
**£30** waged or **£45** if Sponsored **We always give receipts**

**TO BOOK YOUR PLACE RING/EMAIL/WHATSAPP**  
 REAP 07983 419388 **or** [interpreting@reap.org.uk](mailto:interpreting@reap.org.uk)  
 We are also looking for ways new interpreters can get experience, please email us if you need trainee interpreters, volunteers or bi-lingual community 'Connectors'!

REAP is a non-profit, refugee-led Charity (1103345) that supports refugees as they rebuild lives as equal members of British society.



**P3**

**Health & Wellbeing Yiewsley Navigator**

**OUR WELLBEING SERVICE IS EXPANDING!**

**We can help with:**

- Early intervention mental health and wellbeing support
- Tailored coaching for 16-12 weeks
- Practical support with housing and homelessness
- Money, finance, budgeting, form filling
- Referrals are accepted from any agency and self-referral.
- Sexual health/relationship difficulties
- Activities and wellbeing workshops
- Exam/school stress
- Employment and training
- Social inclusion
- Outreach provision
- School appointments
- Drop-in service

**Open Monday, Friday**  
 10am-5pm  
**Wednesday**  
 10am-6pm  
**Tuesday, Thursday**  
 1pm-7pm

We work alongside **people** to improve lives and communities, to unlock **potential** and open up new **possibilities**.



**SEND Family Support**  
**SUMMER Funday**

**ATTRACTIONS**

Bouncy Castles managed by the Big Bounce Theory  
 Petting Zoo from Betsy's Exotics  
 Meet Elsa and hear her sing with music from Nicky Fisher Entertainment  
 The London Fire Brigade  
 Fun & Games  
 Sensory Play  
 Arts & Crafts  
 Glitter Tattoos from Anita  
 Local Business & Event Stalls  
 Sensory Oojamabobs

Hot Food from Spicy Fusion & other refreshments available to purchase on the day  
 Cakes and Cookies from Tanpreet

Information from  
 SEND Family Support  
 Anna Kennedy Online  
 Autism Reality Experience from Training2care  
 All Things Inclusion and Autism  
 Get Set 4 Tennis  
 Healthwatch Hillingdon  
 P3 Navigator  
 Home From Home Care  
 Ataxia UK

**AND MORE STILL TO BE CONFIRMED**

**Remember only families that have signed up for SEND Family Support can book and attend our events, clubs and workshops.**  
**So if you would like to sign up, please go to:**  
[www.sendfs.co.uk/sign-up-for-send-family-support](http://www.sendfs.co.uk/sign-up-for-send-family-support)

Please note - The Summer Funday is being held instead of the June Activity Club  
 Once booked you should receive an automated email with confirmation of the booking and payment methods (please check your spam/junk email folders if you don't see this email)  
 We are all responsible for our own children on the day.  
 Some activities such as Bouncy Castles, are subject to additional charges and are not included in the entrance fee  
 Bouncy Castles Access Passes are available to purchase online (more information on the booking form) before the date of the event or at the sign-in table on the day of the event  
 For more info email us at [events@sendfs.co.uk](mailto:events@sendfs.co.uk) or call 07752 169849 (WhatsApp available)

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