



St Peter's C of E Junior School  
*A place for all to flourish*

# INFORM



Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2025

## FOS SILENT DISCO

A huge thank you to all the parents and supporters who made our first-ever silent disco such a fantastic success! Your enthusiasm, energy, and support helped create an unforgettable event that everyone loved.

Thanks to you, we raised **over £570**, which will directly benefit our children by funding the activities and author visit on World Book Day next month. We couldn't have done it without you!

We look forward to many more events like this, and we're so proud to have such amazing and polite children, who made the night fun for all involved. Thank you again!



## FOS - THE BIG OUTDOOR REGENERATION PROJECT

St Peter's C of E Junior School, Ruddington ~ fundraising for



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# the **BIG** Outdoor rege**N**eration proj**E**ct



Developing, expanding and improving all weather surfacing, equipment and outdoor play spaces at School for our amazing children!! [www.stpetersjunior.org.uk/the-big-one](http://www.stpetersjunior.org.uk/the-big-one)

We're excited to introduce The Big One, our ambitious outdoor project designed to enhance access to and use of our outdoor areas year-round. Thanks to the incredible generosity of our community, we've raised over £9,000 so far, bringing us one step closer to starting Phase 1.

This project will create vibrant, engaging spaces for children to enjoy throughout the year – whether for learning, play, or relaxation. We're thrilled about the impact this will have on our school community and can't wait to bring the vision to life.

Watch this space and follow our Facebook page for further updates throughout the year: <https://www.facebook.com/FOSRuddington>

## PUPIL COLLECTION

Recently we have noticed an increase in pupils being collected late from school. Please ensure that pupils are collected **on time**. School finishes at **3:30pm**.

Henceforward, if a child is still waiting to be collected after **3:45pm**, they will be taken to our CASPER's wraparound care and there will be an £8 charge.

Wider-opportunities after-school clubs finish at varying times, but all of these can be found on our school website: <https://www.stpetersjunior.org.uk/after-school/>



## WORLD BOOK DAY EVENTS

### *World Book Day!*

On Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March, it is World Book Day and your children can dress up as a character from a book or wear pyjamas if they want to. Please can you bring a £1 donation, so we can buy more books for our library.

### *Bedtime Stories!*

Bedtime stories is also on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March, from 5pm-6pm, in the school hall. We will have guest teachers reading a variety of picture books and funny stories.

Your children can come wearing pyjamas if they want, and bring a little teddy along too. Please book a place on ParentPay for a bargain price of £2. This includes a hot chocolate and biscuits!

**LIMITED SPACES LEFT – PLEASE BOOK TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT.**

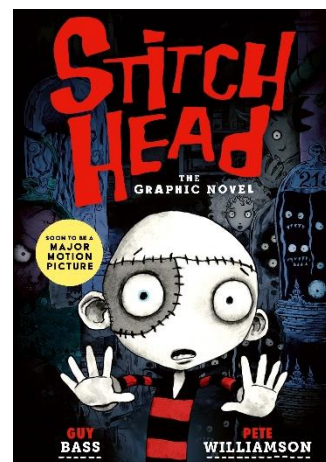
### *Author Visit!*

St Peter's is very excited to announce that the author, **Guy Bass**, will be visiting school on **Friday 7<sup>th</sup> March**. Children can have their face painted in a Stitch Head design if they wish.

### **FACE-PAINTERS NEEDED!**

Any parents who are available to help paint faces on Friday morning would be very much appreciated – no experience needed! Please let Mrs Houghton know if you are able to help: [choughton@stpetersjunior.org.uk](mailto:choughton@stpetersjunior.org.uk).

Guy's website: <https://www.guybass.com>



Information by Lexi and Penny

## THANK YOU TO FRIENDS OF SCHOOL

We'd like to say a massive 'Thank You' to Friends of School, who are very kindly funding Guy Bass's visit and supporting at our bedtime stories event too!

Without the contributions of the amazing FOS team, our children simply wouldn't have the wonderful school experience that they do. The efforts of FOS are hugely appreciated by everyone at St Peter's.



## THE BIG VOTE AND TUCK SHOP

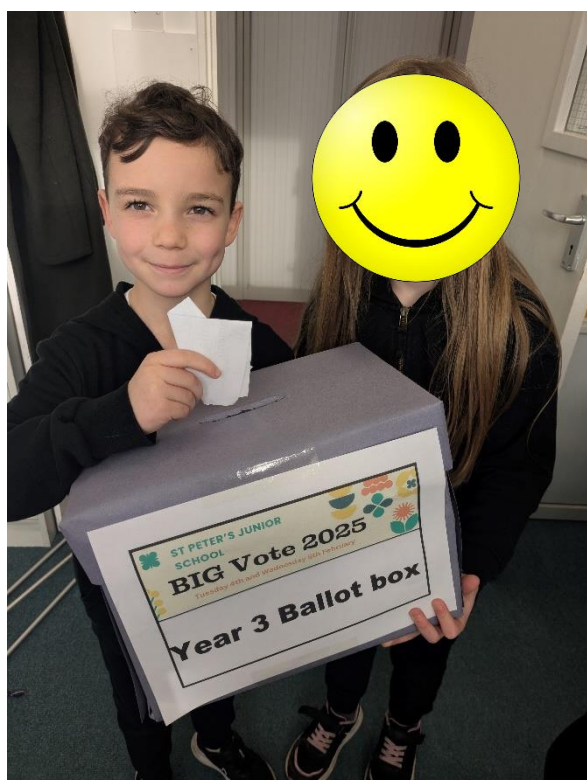
As you will know, last week, every child had the opportunity to take part in St Peter's BIG vote - it was a great way for the children to be active citizens ... democracy in action!

The winning choice was a week-long Tuck Shop, which has run every break time this week, selling a selection of snacks, at £1 per item. Money raised (after costs) will be donated to a local charity.

We still have two days left but the involvement from the children has been fantastic - waffles sold out in two days! Whilst we do not know yet the total raised for charity, we do know that we've already raised over £200, which is amazing. Hopefully the next two breaktimes can be as lucrative and continue to raise funds for a great cause.

We'd like to say a big 'thank you' to the children who have been really keen to help run the Tuck Shop. We're so proud of their initiative!

Thank you also to the parents who have supplied their children with a bit of change to make a purchase. It has been really inspiring to see the pupils vote, then be a part of the Tuck Shop whilst knowing their contributions will be benefiting a charity.



## YEAR 4 SPANISH – VALENTINE'S DAY

This week, Year 4 have enjoyed celebrating the end-of-term and a well-known Saint's Day - el Día de San Valentín - with a homemade card and a message of love and friendship.

¡Feliz Día de San Valentín!



## DRIVEWAY SAFETY



When entering and exiting the school site, children and adults should dismount from bikes and scooters, and **walk down the footpath**. The main drive is for vehicles only. This is for health and safety purposes. Many thanks.

## PLAY PERFORMANCE - MACBETH

The Nottingham Shakespeare Company will be performing at St Peter's School on **Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2025**. Please see below if you would like to buy tickets.

NOTTINGHAM SHAKESPEARE COMPANY

Tickets from

**£15**

# THE TRAGEDY OF **MACBETH**

WED 19 FEB 7PM

THU 20 FEB 7PM

FRI 21 FEB 7PM

SAT 22 FEB 2PM\*

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TUES 25 FEB 7PM

WED 26 FEB 7PM

THUR 27 FEB 7PM

FRI 28 FEB 7PM

SAT 1 MAR 2PM\*

SAT 1 MAR 7PM

ALL SAINTS, LOUGHBOROUGH

BEESTON PARISH CHURCH

ST JOHN'S, CARRINGTON

LEICESTER CATHEDRAL

LEICESTER CATHEDRAL

ST PETER'S SCHOOL, RUDDINGTON

ST PETER'S, NOTTINGHAM CITY

ST GILES', WEST BRIDGFORD

ST NICHOLAS', LINCOLN

ST NICHOLAS', NOTTINGHAM CITY

ST NICHOLAS', NOTTINGHAM CITY

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NG5 2DP

LE1 5PZ

LE1 5PZ

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NG2 6AY

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# ASC Holiday Clubs

Established 2016

## FEBRUARY HOLIDAY CLUBS NOW OPEN FOR BOOKINGS!

Open to children from all schools aged 3+  
Full day runs from 8:00am – 5:00 pm

**ARTS AND CRAFTS, GAMES,  
CHALLENGES, BUG HUNTS, MIXTURE OF  
SPORTS PLUS MUCH MORE..**

**\*\* HELD IN RUDDINGTON \*\***



### MORE INFORMATION

- Fully vetted coaching team
- Half days available
- Secure venues
- 15% sibling discount
- Childcare vouchers accepted
- Limited availability

### TO BOOK :

[www.AceSportsCoaching.co.uk](http://www.AceSportsCoaching.co.uk)

[ASC.IPALBOOKINGS.COM](http://ASC.IPALBOOKINGS.COM)

### CONTACT INFO:

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| DATES FOR THE DIARY                                                      |                                                                       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> – Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> February 2025         | The Big Vote                                                          |
| Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> – Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> February 2025        | Parents' Evening Week                                                 |
| Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> February 2025                                   | Safer Internet Day                                                    |
| Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> February 2025                                  | Green Team Visit to Mansfield Materials Recovery Facility             |
| Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> February 2025                                    | Year 6 Beaumanor Hall Visit                                           |
| Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> February 2025                                    | Y5 World Day of Social Justice project                                |
| Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> February 2025                                    | Head, Heart and Hands Celebration                                     |
| Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> February 2025          | HALF-TERM HOLIDAY – site closed to pupils                             |
| Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> February – Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> February 2025 | Mustard Seed Sponsored Walk                                           |
| Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> February 2025                                 | Hathersage Information Parents' Evening<br>6.00pm                     |
| Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> February 2025                                  | Young Voices visit                                                    |
| Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> March 2025                                        | Year 4 Parents Evening – Multiplication Check                         |
| Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> March 2025                                     | Year 4 Roman Visit to Lincoln Castle                                  |
| Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> March 2025                                     | FOS Meeting in Basecamp Building 7.00pm                               |
| Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> March 2025                                      | World Book Day                                                        |
| Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> March 2025                                      | Year 4 Swimming Starts                                                |
| Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> March 2025                                        | Guy Bass Author Visit                                                 |
| Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> March 2025                                        | Year 3 International Women's Day Project                              |
| Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> March 2025                                       | FOS Family Bingo - Doors open 6.30pm,<br>Bingo 6.40pm-8.30pm.         |
| Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> and Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> March 2025         | Easter Labyrinth                                                      |
| Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> March 2025                                    | Year 3 to Creswell Crags                                              |
| Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2025                                       | Spring Music Concert Evening Performance                              |
| Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> April 2025                                        | Easter Egg Rolling Final                                              |
| Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> April 2025                                        | Head, Heart and Hands Celebration                                     |
| Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> April to Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> April 2025       | Easter Holidays – site closed to pupils                               |
| Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April 2025                                      | Start of Term - site open to pupils                                   |
| Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> – Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> April 2025          | Hathersage Visit – Class 5MJ                                          |
| Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup> April 2025                                     | Rushcliffe Schools Football Association –<br>Boys' Tournament 9.00am  |
| Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> – Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> April 2025          | Hathersage Visit – Class 5EP                                          |
| Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> April – Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May 2025       | Hathersage Visit – Class 5WS                                          |
| Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May 2025                                        | Rushcliffe Schools Football Association –<br>Girls' Tournament 9.00am |
| Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> May 2025                                       | FOS Meeting in Basecamp Building 7.00pm                               |