



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

INFORM



Wednesday 15th January 2025

VISIT FROM JAMES NAISH MP

This Monday, we had a visit from the local MP for Rushcliffe, James Naish. The wonderful members of our Pupil Parliament gave him a tour of the school, before sitting down with him for a valuable chat about politics. The children asked him some fantastic questions!

Thank you, James, for taking the time to speak to our lovely pupils.



YEAR 3 INDIAN FOOD TASTING

This week, our friends from Vegetarian Rasoi in West Bridgford served up a delicious feast for our Year 3 classes. The children had a brilliant time learning about and trying foods that they may not have eaten before.



NEWS FROM THE KITCHEN

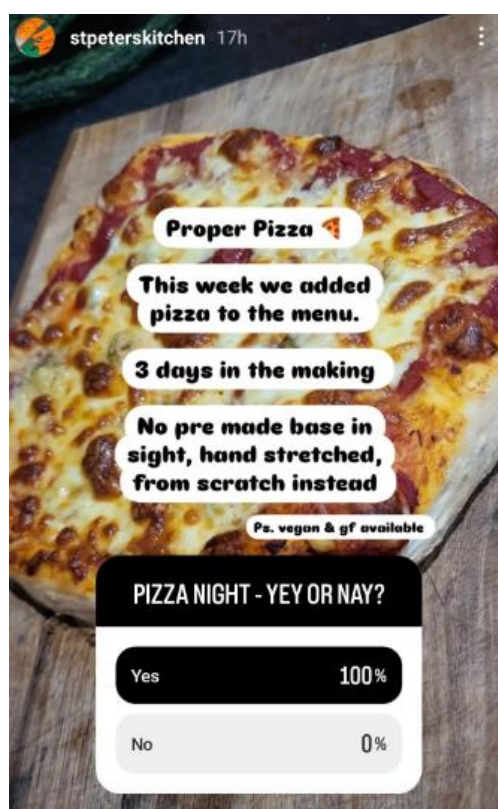
Did you know that our school kitchen has its own social media page on Instagram and Facebook? Just search for St Peter's School Kitchen and add them as a friend! This week's posts include:



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stpeterskitchen 🥕 How many of your five a day does this count as ?

Lovely Fresh delivery from @fruitbasketdirect for some of those weeks new menu items



FRIENDS OF ST PETER'S

Family Fun Night

FRIDAY 24 JANUARY

6.00pm-8.00pm

BAR till 9.00pm

**HOOPLA | LUCKY LOLLY | PLAY CARDS RIGHT
HOOK A DUCK | RAFFLE and MORE**



ADULTS (18+)

Free

CHILDREN

£2.00 advance ticket

£3.00 on the night

Under 5's FREE

ALL GAMES INCLUDED

St Peter's CofE Junior School, Ashworth Avenue, Ruddington, Nottingham, NG11 6GB

www.stpetersjunior.org.uk/friends-of-school



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Please book your place via www.parentpay.com.

FRIENDS OF ST PETER'S



FRIDAY 17 JANUARY 3.30-4.00pm

at the BASECAMP building

**PLEASE DONATE
CAKES ~ BROWNIES ~ COOKIES
DONUTS ~ BISCUITS**

CASH OR CARD ACCEPTED



CAKE COMPETITION

"Best Pupil Cake"

~ 1 winner and 1 runner up

in each year group judged by the FOS Juniors

Label the box of any cake that you would like entered into the competition with child's name & class



WIDER OPPORTUNITIES CLUBS REMINDER

Please note that, due to daylight hours, some of our wider-opportunities after-school clubs will not start until next week. Check the **DIARY DATES** section below for specific start dates. Our staff are currently compiling the registers and we will aim to confirm places with parents over the next couple of days.



THE BIG SCHOOLS' BIRDWATCH

This week and next, children will be able to take part in the 'Big Schools' Birdwatch,' which is the world's largest garden wildlife survey. Every year, hundreds of thousands of nature lovers take part, helping to build a picture of how garden birds are faring.

Children will spend an hour at lunchtime on Friday 17th January or Monday 20th January observing and recording different bird species, and we will then submit this data to the RSPB. In order to take part, children can go to Mr O' Donnell's room at lunchtime on these dates and obtain a recording chart, along with some information that will help them to identify different species.



If you would like to take part in the 'Big Garden Birdwatch' at home, then you can do so between the 24th and the 26th of January. All information and the option to sign up is on the RSPB website. Happy bird watching!

PUPIL ABSENCES

If your child is going to be absent from school, for any reason, please report this to the **school office** as soon as possible. This can be done via email at admin.office@stpetersjunior.org.uk or via our absence voicemail, telephone 01159743303, option 1.

Please notify the school office in advance of any medical appointments that your child may have, and provide evidence whenever possible.

We appreciate your help in safeguarding our pupils.

TEA TOWELS

Would you like a wonderful keepsake from your child's time at St Peter's School? Our year-group tea towels, which were designed by all of our fantastically-artistic pupils, are still available to order on ParentPay.

Parents are able to order a maximum of 3 towels, at £5.00 each. All proceeds will go to the Friends of School fund, which provides event opportunities and equipment for the pupils.



DATES FOR THE DIARY

Wednesday 15 th January 2025	Brightlights Theatre School Starts
Thursday 16 th January 2025	Introduction to Japanese Culture Club Starts
Friday 17 th January 2025	FOS Bake Sale
Friday 17 th January 2025	Sports Leaders training
Monday 20 th January 2025	Year 3 and 4 Hockey Club Starts
Wednesday 22 nd January 2025	Fun Fitness Club Starts
Thursday 23 rd January 2025	Football Club Starts
Friday 24 th January 2025	FOS Family Fun Night
Friday 24 th January 2025	Y4 International Day of Education Project
Tuesday 28 th January 2025	Year 6 Height and Weight Checks
Wednesday 29 th January 2025	Houses of Parliament Visit
Monday 3 rd – Thursday 14 th February 2025	The Big Vote
Monday 3 rd February 2025	Y6 SATs Parents' Information Evening
Friday 7 th February 2025	FOS Pupil Disco
Monday 3 rd – Friday 7 th February 2025	Anti-Racism Awareness Week
Monday 10 th – Thursday 13 th February 2025	Parents' Evening Week
Tuesday 11 th February 2025	Safer Internet Day
Thursday 13 th February 2025	Green Team Visit to Mansfield Materials Recovery Facility
Friday 14 th February 2025	Year 6 Beaumanor Hall Visit
Friday 14 th February 2025	Y5 World Day of Social Justice project
Friday 14 th February 2025	Head, Heart and Hands Celebration
Monday 17 th – Friday 21 st February 2025	HALF-TERM HOLIDAY – site closed to pupils
Monday 24 th February – Friday 28 th February 2025	Mustard Seed Sponsored Walk
Wednesday 26 th February 2025	Hathersage Information Parents' Evening
Thursday 27 th February 2025	Young Voices visit
Thursday 27 th and Friday 28 th February 2025	Year 6 WWII Day
Monday 3 rd March 2025	Year 4 Parents Evening – Multiplication Check
Wednesday 5 th March 2025	Year 4 Roman Visit to Lincoln Castle
Thursday 6 th March 2025	World Book Day
Thursday 6 th March 2025	Year 4 Swimming Starts
Friday 7 th March 2025	Guy Bass Author Visit
Friday 7 th March 2025	Year 3 International Women's Day Project
Friday 14 th March 2025	Mustard Seed Fashion Show
Monday 17 th March 2025	FOS Family Bingo

Thursday 20 th and Friday 21 st March 2025	Easter Labyrinth
Wednesday 26 th March 2025	Year 3 to Cresswell Craggs
Tuesday 1 st April 2025	Spring Music Concert
Friday 4 th April 2025	Easter Egg Rolling Final
Friday 4 th April 2025	Head, Heart and Hands Celebration
Monday 7 th April to Monday 21 st April 2025	Easter Holidays – site closed to pupils
Tuesday 22 nd April 2025	Start of Term - site open to pupils
Wednesday 23 rd April to Friday 2 nd May	Y5 Hathersage Visits