



ST. DOMINIC'S
PRIORY SCHOOL

The Week Ahead

Week Commencing: Monday 26th June Week 2

Dear Parents,

Please check the weekly bulletin for all you need to know and your name will be entered into a **prize draw** at the end of the half term for a little treat. **In order for this to happen could you please enter the hidden word (it will be a random word each week in italics) from the text below into your child's link book or planner.**

Thank you.

Announcements

- **NORMAL SUMMER SCHOOL UNIFORM APPLIES THIS WEEK.**
- **LAMDA Examinations:** A reminder that exams are taking place **this weekend** at Edenhurst School in Newcastle. Please check your separate email from Mrs West regarding the time of the exam. Children to arrive at the venue a **minimum of 20 minutes** before their scheduled examination time and report to the centre representative. If a student arrives late for his/her appointed examination time, then LAMDA examiners are under no obligation to examine them. *Friday LAMDA lessons are now finished for the remainder of this term.*
- **Plant Donation PLEASE:** this year we have been asked to take part in the **Stone in Bloom Schools' Competition** but also have the honour of representing Stone in the Nationals. The **RHS are judging in Stone** in July and St Dominic's Priory have been asked to be a part of it. We are planning an exciting garden but need your help of plants please. We are looking for plants that are good pollinators. We would very much appreciate your help and ask for donated plants to come into school next week so that we can begin our planting. *(butterfly)*
- **Prep Move Up Day:** On Wednesday all Prep students will be moving up to their new class teacher for next year. This gives the children a chance to share a bit about themselves and get to know their new teacher a little better. We have also invited new children who are joining us in September to school, so please give a St. Dominic's welcome to any new faces. All children are to wear their normal school uniform. However, **Primary 6** children will need to come to school in their own clothes please, ready for the Year 7 Welcome Day. Please see your separate communication for more details.
- **Dodderhill:** P2 are visiting Dodderhill School in Droitwich Spa on Thursday for a multi sports day. We will return to school at 5pm. Please see separate letter for details.
- **Form Markets:** Friday is our Form Markets Day and we are getting very excited. We look forward to welcoming you all from 1.30pm but will need your donations to help make this event a huge success. Please see the separate email with all the information you need. Thank you
- **PFA Prep Ball:** Please note the deadline for **Early Bird tickets is Friday 30th June.** All ticket requests after this date will be charged at £7.



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- Please see below a message from Ruth Perrins which Mrs Harrison would like you to consider.

HOST FAMILIES NEEDED IN STAFFORD AND SURROUNDING AREAS

If you have a spare room could you host 2 French Students [from 4th to 14th July](#)?

You will receive £14 per student per night. They will arrive in Stafford [around 6.30/7pm on Tuesday 4th July](#). The students have a full programme every day of English lessons in the mornings and sports activities in the afternoons. They have a free day [on Saturday 8th July](#) and will go on a day trip to Liverpool on 9th and also Manchester on 12th. After their last day of lessons and sports on 13th they depart on 14th [at 8am](#). This is a great experience for the students as it is often their first trip to the UK and they really enjoy being here. It's also a great experience for host families too.

If you are able to help and host the students, please contact me for more information.

Best wishes

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Reminders

- **Shugborough Estate Prep School Trip** - We are still waiting for some consents for the end-of-year trip to Shugborough on Thursday 13th July. Please email info@stdominicspriory.co.uk ASAP.
- An opportunity for parents to obtain some **First Aid Training** and acquire a nationally recognised CPD certificate, which is valid for 3 years, has become available. The course will take place on **Saturday 1st July 2017** on the school premises from 10.00am until 4.00pm. The cost for the training will be £10 per person. This is an invaluable course to attend and will be extremely beneficial in any first aid situations. Please email Miss Kayleigh on nurserymgr@stdominicspriory.co.uk to register your interest.
- **Water Bottles:** now that we are enjoying some lovely summer weather at last, please make sure that your child is well hydrated by supplying them with a bottle of water for their use throughout the day. We do have cooled water in school for breaks and lunchtimes, but please remind your child that they should replenish their water supplies at these times time in order to avoid disruption to lessons.

Clubs on this week are:

Monday

1.10-1.25pm Athletics Practice

3.30-4.30pm Sports Club P3-6

Tuesday

Violin lessons

4.30-5.30pm Street Dance Rec & P1 –Priory Hall

NO drama workshop

Wednesday

NO dance classes today

3.30-4.30pm P1-P2 Tennis Coaching

4.30-5.15pm P3-P6 Tennis Coaching



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Thursday

Brass and piano lessons

3.30-4.30pm Eco Club

3.45-4.15pm Pre Primary Ballet (Year 1&2)

4.15-4.45pm Pre Primary Tap (Year 1&2)

4.45-5.15pm Project Dance Group 2

5.15-6.00pm Grade 2 Ballet

6.00-6.30pm Stage 1 Tap

Friday

3.30-4.30pm Badminton Coaching P3 -6

3.30-4.30pm Trampoline Coaching

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Dates to Remember

Tuesday 27th June P1 visit to Fradley Junction

Wednesday 28th June Prep Move up Day

Thursday 29th June P2 trip to Dodderhill- ISA Midlands Multi Sports Day

Friday 30th June Form Markets 1.30pm

Clive Mark School Uniform Supplier Pop-Up Shop 1.30 – 4pm

Tuesday 4th - 6th July Kibblestone Residential P5&6

Wednesday 5th July Rowley Park Athletics P3 & 4. See team sheet

Friday 7th July Prep Sports Afternoon 1pm-3.30pm

Monday 10th July End of Year Mass 11.30am, church – all welcome

Violin/Guitar/Music Concert, 2.15pm Priory Hall

PFA Uniform Shop – 3-4pm

Tuesday 11th July Prep Ball 3.45-5.30pm Priory Hall

Wednesday 12th July Prize Giving Ceremony 6.00pm drinks with 6.30pm start

Thursday 13th July Prep End-of-Year Trip - Shugborough Estate

Friday 14th July End of Term 12.30pm finish.

If you have anything you wish to talk to staff about, please contact us.

J Talbot and all Prep Staff

