



ST. DOMINIC'S  
PRIORY SCHOOL

**Living and Learning with Christ as our Guide**

## **The Week Ahead**

Week Commencing: **Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July Week 2**

Dear Parents,

The penultimate week is here!

We are very much looking forward to the performance of 'Rest Assured' this evening - please remember your tickets. Mrs Dickson and the children have worked very hard and any donations towards the drama fund are greatly received. Thank you.

**End of Year Trip Pre-school - P6:** On Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July we are visiting **Weston Park**. All children are to wear sensible clothing and footwear for the trip. **Please apply sunscreen before arriving at school.** The UV levels are very high at the moment, regardless of whether the sun is out or not. We will be outside all day and don't want the children getting burnt. Please provide **sun hats and ensure all medication needed is clearly named. A small backpack is required** so that they can have their lunch, snacks and water with them. The children **do not need money** as we will be very busy and will not be visiting the shop. Ice-creams or lollies have been ordered, so this is their treat as well as the day out. We will be leaving at 9am and arrive back at school at 3.20pm.

**Bush Craft Residential for current P4 and P5 – Presentation and Parents' Meeting Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July:** Mr Gareth Winters from Bush Craft will be giving us a presentation at 5pm in the Priory Hall. Please can all parents attend the meeting as it will give you lots of information about the trip. We can also discuss the use of childcare vouchers to help with the cost of this residential. This is a vital experience for children in P5 and P6 next year. Please contact [admin@stdominicspriory.co.uk](mailto:admin@stdominicspriory.co.uk) to confirm your attendance. Thank you.

**Woodwind and Music Assembly:** On Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July from 9 – 9.45am in Priory Hall there will be a special assembly for Prep children as Miss Potter will be presenting some instrumental delights performed by both prep and senior children. All parents are welcome to attend.

**Prep Ball Pre-school – P6:** Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July is our end of year Prep Ball and we look forward to seeing all the children there. Please see last week's letter and consent slip. **Please be aware the Early Bird payment finishes on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July. Slips returned after this date will be charged at £7.00. Please also note we cannot give ball places after Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July. Thank you.**

**P1 and 2 Class assembly:** will be held in the Priory Hall at 9am on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July. All welcome to attend.

**Home Clothes Day:** our students will be allowed to come to school in their own clothes **on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July** in return for **bottles and cakes for Form Markets**. If you are not keen to leaving your cakes over the weekend, you are more than welcome to bring the cakes in on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> instead. We would love lots of homemade cakes please, if you can manage to relax a little and do some baking!



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**House Rewards System:** The house leaders have been very impressed by the number of house points earned by each student during this academic year. We have awarded hundreds of badges from 'Bronze' to 'Ruby' level and wish to celebrate these achievements by awarding an end-of-year certificate to each student. To ensure that the house rewards system can continue effectively in the next academic year, we will need to have **all house badges returned to your child's form tutor by**

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July.** Each student will be able to bring home their certificate to recognise how many house points they have achieved. There will be a whole school house assembly on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July and the overall winner will be announced... Ullathorne or Hallahan...which house will it be? Due to the increasing number of students in the school, we will be introducing a third house in September, with three new house names. Students will be informed of their new 'house' before the end of term.

### This Week

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| <b>Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July</b>    | Whole School Trip – Prep Weston Park   |
| <b>Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July</b>   | Prep Ball – <b>last payment</b>  |
| <b>Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July</b>   | P3-P6 Inclusive Multi Sports Event – Sports Hall, team sheets provided         |
| <b>Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July</b>   | Ski trip Meeting 6pm, Priory Hall  |
| <b>Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July</b> | Woodwind and Music Special Assembly – 9am Priory Hall                          |
| <b>Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July</b> | P3 & P4 Rowley Park District Athletics – P3-P6, 4-5.30pm, team sheets provided |
| <b>Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July</b>  | Performing Arts Summer Concert – 6pm Priory Hall                               |
| <b>Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July</b>    | Home Clothes Day   |
| <b>Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July</b>    | Whole school reports due out   |
| <b>Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July</b>    | P1 & P2 Class Assembly – 9am Priory Hall                                       |
| <b>Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July</b>    | Bush Craft Residential Parents' meeting – 5pm Priory Hall                      |

### Achievements

Congratulations to all our children this week for your achievements:

### **Star of the Week**

- ★ Pre-school – Zia-Rae
- ★ Rec – Levi
- ★ P1 – Molly
- ★ P2 – Francesca
- ★ P3 - Renee
- ★ P4 - Rihanna
- ★ P5 – Shane
- ★ P6 - Ciaran

### **Wonderful Work of the Week**

- ✓ Pre-school – Henry
- ✓ Rec – Freya
- ✓ P1 - Rumaissa
- ✓ P2 – Karina
- ✓ P3 - Poppy
- ✓ P4 – Yasmina





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- ✓ P5 - Alisha
- ✓ P6 - Sissy

### Certificates

🏆 Stone in Bloom Winners awarded to: EYFS - Henry, KS1 - Zahra, KS2 - Alice

### Dates for your diary

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| <b>Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July</b>     | Leavers' Mass (Church) - 11.30am          |
| <b>Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July</b>     | Form Markets – 1.30pm                     |
| <b>Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July</b>    | PFA Prep Ball – 3.30-5.30pm – Priory Hall |
| <b>Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July</b> | Prize Giving – Bet365                     |
| <b>Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July</b>    | End of Term 12:30pm                       |

### Pre-school Reminders:

Please can we remind you to regularly read your child's communication book as this contains very important information regarding your child. Thank you.

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July School Trip:** parents please have your children at school for 8:45am at the latest, as the coach leaves at 9am and children will need to have some time to go to the bathroom etc.

### **Clubs on this week are:**

#### **Monday**

##### **Whole school trips**

3.30-4.30pm P1-P6 Cricket Coaching

#### **Tuesday**

Piano, Percussion, LAMDA Lessons, Prep Choir

12.30-1.00pm P5/P6/SNR Cricket Club

12.30-1.00pm ICT Club P3-P6

1.00-1.25pm Art and Craft Club KS1

**3.30-5.30pm P3-P6 Inclusive Multi Sport Event with SCFC (home)**

3.30-4.30pm Drama Workshop

3.30-4.30pm Cookery & Craft Club – Dining room

#### **Wednesday**

Piano, LAMDA Lessons

12.30-1.00pm Prep Science Club P3-6

12.30-1.00pm Football Club P4/P5/P6

2.30-12.50pm Rosary Club P3-6

1.00-1.25pm Football Club P1/P2/P3

1.00-1.25pm Knitting/Sewing P2-6

**3.10-6.30pm P3 & P4 Stafford & District Athletics Championships – Rowley Stadium**

3.30-4.30pm Table Tennis Coaching

3.30-4.30pm Tennis Coaching P1-P2

4.30-5.15pm Tennis Coaching P3-P6



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**Thursday**

Singing, Violin, Keyboard and Piano Lessons

1.00-1.25pm Chess Club/Board Games P3-6

**Friday**

Woodwind Lessons

1.00-1.25pm Jnr/Snr Table Tennis Club

3.30-4.30pm Badminton Coaching

3.30-4.30pm Trampoline coaching

4.30-5.30pm Trampoline coaching

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

J Talbot and all Prep Staff