

# Duddon St. Peter's CE Primary School

'Be the best you can be.'



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## Newsletter

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It has been a busy half-term but there has still been plenty going on. Unfortunately, we could not attend the Y1/2 handball at THS but there will be another opportunity after half term.

The trip to Young Voices was a great success on Wednesday night, although there were tired staff and children the next day, but well worth it. As ever, staff reported that the behaviour of the children was superb.

Thank you to the PTA for all their efforts this term; they held a planning meeting recently for upcoming events. I am very grateful to all those people who put in the time to attend these meetings and to get involved in the fundraising activities. We really appreciate the difference that this extra support can mean to the facilities and activities which the children can benefit from.

The half-term holiday may be relatively short but enjoy the time and hopefully some better weather and we look forward to seeing you all after the break.

*Paul Hudson  
Head teacher*

### CALENDAR DATES

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> February:** Treetops Parents' Evening  
Mental Health Week  
**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> February:** Treetops Parents' Evening  
Tempest photographs for Reception and Year Six  
**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> February:** Bookswap  
**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> February:** Y5/6 basketball at THS  
**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> February:** Valentines' disco  
Year 5/6 basketball at THS  
**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February:** School Council Cake sale pm  
**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February:** School closes  
**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> February:** Gardening day  
**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February:** School opens  
**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March:** Y6 Challenge Day at THS  
**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March:** World Book Day  
**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March:** Movie Night  
**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March – Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March:**  
Burwardsley residential for Class One  
**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March:** School closes  
**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April:** INSET day  
**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April:** School opens  
**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May:** Break the Rules Day

**CAKE SALE:** We hope that you can help to support the School Council's initiative to raise money to purchase new reading books for the class libraries by making cakes to sell on Friday afternoon. Thank you for your support.

### BOOKSWAP:

Please remind your child that the School Council's Bookswap is taking place on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> at lunchtime and to bring in some of their pre-loved books to swap for some more reading material.



### CHURCH PREMISES:

Please note that the churchyard remains a no smoking or vaping area. The vicar asks that all adults respect this and refrain from these activities whilst on church premises.

### VALENTINE RAFFLE:

Please remember to buy your tickets for the Valentines' Raffle.



Tickets: £2.50 each.

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