



## *A message from Mrs Wathen & Mr Spink.....*

Good afternoon and Happy Easter!

We have had a truly busy half-term but, here we are, at the end of the Spring Term. That means we are now two thirds of the way through the school year. The children have enjoyed a range of Easter-based activities this week including their discos and competitions. Thank you so much for supporting them and us as you always do—we are grateful.

When we return in the Summer Term, Year 6 will be gearing-up for their SATs assessments. These start on Tuesday 9th May and finish on Friday 12th May. Please ensure that all Year 6 children are in school promptly on each of the SATs test days—more info will follow from Mrs Hughes.

Lastly, our website is in the process of a “face-lift”. Please take a look to see the super new design and keep your eye out for the changes. We will keep you updated as they happen. Have a lovely two week holiday and we look forward to seeing you back at school on Monday 17th April 2023.



## Attendance Matters


Whole school attendance is **93.2%** this week.

Remember we are aiming for **96%** or above.

Our Biscuit Bears are going to **1HM & 5GA** for the **best attendance** this week.

**1HM** have won a *Pizza Party* for **100% attendance** this week.

**1FA, 1HM, 2NI & 5GA** have won an extra playtime for attendance **over 97%** this week.

N— <b>83%</b>	Rec 1— <b>87%</b>	Rec 2— <b>87%</b>	1HM— <b>100%</b>	1FA— <b>97%</b>	2HW— <b>94%</b>	2NI— <b>97%</b>	3NB— <b>94%</b>
3JH— <b>92%</b>	4LB— <b>94%</b>	4RM— <b>95%</b>	5HW— <b>96%</b>	5GA— <b>97%</b>	6NP— <b>93%</b>	6CH— <b>91%</b>	



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# News and Events this half term.....

## Dates for your diary—Spring Term

**Friday 31st March 2023**—School closes for Easter holidays

**Monday 17th April 2023**—School reopens for the Summer term

**Monday 24th April 2023**—After School clubs start

**Monday 1st May 2023**—Bank Holiday (May Day)

**Wednesday 3rd May 2023**—Parents Consultations

**Wednesday 3rd May 2023**—Class Photographs

**Thursday 4th May 2023**—Parents Consultations

**Monday 8th May 2023**—Bank Holiday (Coronation)

**Tuesday 9th May—Friday 12th May 2023**—Y6 SATs Week



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## School Car Park

Though the gates at the front of the school are open due to needing repair, please do not park in the car park when you are dropping off or collecting children. This is to ensure safety of all children and adults on site.



## Eid

You should have received and returned a letter we sent regarding Eid. We are expecting that Eid will be celebrated on Friday 21st April 2023. If you haven't already, please let us know if you intend to be keeping your children at home on that day to celebrate. We hope you have a lovely celebration.

## Easter Excitement!

This week the children have enjoyed a decorated egg competition (photos on Facebook), Easter discos, Easter hat competition and the Easter sweet bags. Today we are sending every child home with their own Easter egg for them to enjoy over the next two weeks. Thanks to your kindness and generosity we have raised £1133.43. As you know, we are fundraising for improvements to our outside area and this will contribute to it greatly. Thank you.



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## Ebor Gardens Pantry at the Community Hub

If you or anyone you know within the school community needs a little help with items of food from time to time, then please pop along to our Ebor Gardens Pantry. Now open every Wednesday afternoon during our Coffee and Parent Support workshops in the Community Hub 2:30 pm till 3:15pm.

*(Families can access our Community Hub Pantry once in a three-month period)*

## Uniform Exchange

If you need any school uniform, footwear or clothing please call in and have a look at our Uniform Exchange.—also open every Wednesday during our Coffee and Parent Support afternoons. If you have any unwanted clothing in good condition that you no longer want, then please also drop this off with the admin team for our swap shop!



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# Easter Healthy Holidays At St Vincent's

**Mon 3rd April. 9.30am Breakfast  
then Kids Drama Session.**

**Tuesday 4th April. 2.45pm - Pizza Making.**

**Weds 5th April. 9.30am Breakfast then Easter Egg Hunt.**

**Weds 12 9.30am. Breakfast then Vegemation Session.**  
making animated films - with vegetables!

**Friday 14th April. 10am Season Well then lunch.**  
Fun packed food making.

**For more info email: [timd@svp.org.uk](mailto:timd@svp.org.uk)**

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# Ebor Garden's Community Hub Parent Support Schedule



Summer 1  
2:30 - 3:15pm



26.4.23

Writing



03.5.23

Phonics



10.5.23

Arithmetic



17.5.23

Reading  
Comprehension



24.5.23

SEND



It's a great opportunity to see how you can support your children's learning in a range of subjects and to access our Uniform Exchange and Pantry



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