



Church of the Ascension
C.E. Primary School

Friday 25th October 2019

No 8



HAPPY HALF TERM
CHILDREN RETURN
TUESDAY 5TH NOVEMBER

CHOICE MENUS
WEEK 3
£2.40 per day—cheques payable to Dudley MBC please

(V) suitable for vegetarians
(FF) Fat Free

<u>MONDAY</u>	INSET DAY
<u>TUESDAY</u>	All Day Breakfast / (V) Veggie Breakfast (V) Veggie Balls in Tomato Wrap Fish of the Day Served with Baked Beans, Sweetcorn Hash Browns Roast Beef & Yorkshire Pudding Fish of the Day (V) Cheese Savoury Served with Broccoli, Mixed Vegetables Roast & Boiled Potatoes Apple & Blackcurrant Cumble & Custard Fresh Fruit Salad
<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	Roast Beef & Yorkshire Pudding Fish of the Day (V) Cheese Savoury Served with Broccoli, Mixed Vegetables Roast & Boiled Potatoes Apple & Blackcurrant Cumble & Custard Fresh Fruit Salad
<u>THURSDAY</u>	Chicken Wrap (V) Quorn Sausage Cowboy Hotpot Fish of the Day Served With Sweetcorn, Rainbow Slaw Wedges Sticky Toffee Pudding & Custard Fresh Fruit Salad
<u>FRIDAY</u>	Pepperoni Pizza (V) Vegetarian Pizza Fish of the Day Chipped Potatoes Served with Baked Beans, Peas & Sweetcorn Mix Oaty Cookie Fresh Fruit Salad

Daily Items also available during lunch service—Jacket Potato
with choice of fillings/Cheese and Biscuits/Salad/Fruit Yoghurt/
Fresh Fruit/Water/Variety of Bread
* Not suitable for vegetarians

'GRAB BAG' MENU

MONDAY
Ham Sandwich or
(V) Cheese Wrap
Salad Bag
Yoghurt or Fruit
Fruit Juice

TUESDAY
Ham Sandwich or
(V) Cheese Wrap
Salad Bag
Yoghurt or Fruit
Fruit Juice

**Grab Bags
must be
ordered at
morning
registration**

WEDNESDAY
Ham Sandwich or
(V) Cheese Wrap
Salad Bag
Yoghurt or Fruit
Fruit Juice

THURSDAY
Ham Sandwich or
(V) Cheese Wrap
Salad Bag
Yoghurt or Fruit
Fruit Juice

FRIDAY
Sausage Roll or
(V) Cheese & Tomato
Pizza
Salad Bag
Cake of the day
Fruit Juice



MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD

And so we come to the end of a frenetic half term! This week we have seen Chalky, our Reception class mascot, celebrate his 5th birthday - again! The children in RY and RB have enjoyed his birthday party and creating invitations and cards to mark the occasion. The party was rounded off with a game of pass the parcel which was very well received.

This week has been a busy sporting one. Our Year Four children took part in a "Dudley Dodgeball" competition with our most successful team finishing 4th out of 17. Thirty five children had the opportunity to represent Church of the Ascension in an inter school competition, well done to all involved and thank you to Mr Bradley for organising our participation. Our girls' football team was also in action this week playing against Roberts Primary School in the cup. We won the game 6-3 after extra time and are through to the next round.

Finally, can I wish the children a lovely half term break and remind you that school commences on Tuesday 5th November.

MENUS



The menu for the week after half term is week 3.

POPPY APPEAL



Poppies are currently on sale for children in school at a suggested donation of 20p. In addition this year we also have various items including pencils, rulers, pencil sharpeners, erasers zip pulls and reflectors priced at 50p or £1. Slap bands are available at £1.50. These items are sold at break time in the library for children to purchase. We hope you can help us support this very worthwhile cause.

SCHOOL NURSE DROP-IN

Friday 8th November
8.30-9.30am

The school nurse will be available to discuss any health issues you may have regarding your child.

H.S.A DATES TO REMEMBER

Tuesday 19th November
Mufti Day

Friday 22nd November
Christmas Fayre

Saturday 14th December
Breakfast With Santa

REMEMBER!



Clocks go back one hour this weekend!



TERM DATES 2019-2020

Autumn Term

Half Term: October 28-November 1
Term Ends: Friday December 20

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Spring Term

Children return: Tuesday January 7
Half Term: February 17-21
Term Ends: Friday April 3

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Summer Term

Term begins: Monday April 20
Half Term: May 25-29
Term ends: Friday July 17

INSET Days

Monday November 4
Monday January 6
Monday June 1


Election Day—7th May
Bank Holiday—8th May
(School closed to pupils)

CONFIRMATION SERVICE



Rev Giles is hoping to hold a Confirmation Service early next year. If your child from Year 6 would be interested (there would be four preparation sessions beforehand) please email: revg.kingswinford@virginmedia.com

CHRISTMAS CARD FUNDRAISER

 Your child should have brought home a Christmas card design sheet. Please ensure designs are returned by Tuesday 5th November. Thank you for your support.

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES



The following activities are taking place after school after half term:

Tuesday

Yrs 5&6 Boy's Football Match
v St.Mark's (a)

Church Club
(finishes 4.15pm)

Wednesday

Dance Club Yrs 5 & 6
(to be collected from Church Hall at 4.20pm)
This is a paid activity.

Thursday

Yrs 5 & 6 Tag Rugby
(finishes 4.30pm)

School Band
(finishes 4.30pm)

Friday

Yrs 5 & 6 Football
(finishes 4.30pm)

SECONDARY SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

Year 6 Parents—you must apply for your child's secondary school place by 31 October 2019.

You **MUST** complete an application form either online at www.dudley.gov.uk/admissions or by completing the application form provided by your home local authority.
