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## HEADTEACHER NEWS

I cannot believe the term is already coming to a close - time is flying! Another full newsletter with much to celebrate and events to inform you about. On page 3 of this newsletter the calendar of events can be found.

As always, it is a must to click on the link above to take you to your child's class page to view the weekly blog.

**SCHOOL UNIFORM WITH NEW SCHOOL LOGO:** We have two uniform providers who supply our items with the school logo (see list below). Both providers will be stocking the new school uniform from the end of the summer term. The uniform shop will be providing the old school uniform at a discounted price whilst stocks last. **Please do not forget our uniform exchange in the entrance to school where you can swap items when your child has outgrown them.**

- **Uniwears** - the school uniform shop in Meanwood - [www.uniwears.co.uk](http://www.uniwears.co.uk)
- **Your School Uniform:** <https://www.yourschooluniform.com/>

**STAY SAFE IN THE SUN:** Just a reminder that during these summer days children should come to school with sun cream applied, a sun hat or cap, sunglasses and a filled water bottle. Before going out to play at lunchtime, if your child has brought sun cream, they will be instructed to reapply. For ease of use, the roll-on sun cream is the best especially for younger children.

**HEALTHY LIVING WEEK:** Week commencing the 12th June is our Healthy Living Week. As there are sporting activities everyday of this week, your child can come dressed in sports clothing rather than school uniform. On the Wednesday it is our sports day (weather dependent). Please see the separate letter that has gone out today for further details including children wearing their house team colours and timings for parents and carers to come and spectate.

**HEADLICE:** We have been informed that we have head lice in school; please check your child's hair tonight. The School Nursing Team advice is to wet the hair with a narrow toothed comb regularly; detection combing should be completed at least fortnightly. If you discover head-lice, it should be treated immediately to prevent re-infestation. A suitable product can be purchased from your local chemist.

**GIRLS' FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT:** On Monday, our fabulous Year 5 and 6 girls' football team took part in a tournament at Yeadon Westfield. Their team spirit and determination is an inspiration to us all. Cora, in Year 6, has written this match report: *'As a team, we worked well in defending as well as attacking. This resulted in a 4-0 win against the first team with Cora scoring 3 and Indy scoring 1. In the second game, it was 2-2 with Cora scoring 2. After a break and a change of positions, we drew 1-1 with Macy scoring. These results brought us to the quarter-finals where we lost 1-0'.*

## UPCOMING DATES

### SUMMER 2 BEGINS:

Monday 5th June

### HEALTHY LIVING WEEK

12th - 16th July

**Every day, come dressed  
in sports kit!**

**Monday:** Skipping Work-shops

**Tuesday:** Year 4&5 bush craft survival skills in the conservation area

**Wednesday:** Sports Day (weather dependent). Parents and carers welcome to attend. KS1 & Reception in the morning. KS2 during the afternoon

**Thursday:** Year 6 First Aid Course

**Friday:** The School Running Challenge

Dear God,

Please let people have compassion deep in them and be confident to show that they have it.  
Amen.

Dear God,

I hope people learn to show compassion and will be kind to themselves and other people.

Lord, please except my prayer.

Amen.





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## Congratulations to our Well Done and Gold Award Children



## House Points

House Team Names	This Week's Total	This half term's total
<b>Bolton Abbey</b>	<b>688</b>	<b>3383</b>
<b>Fountains Abbey</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>3636</b>
<b>Rievaulx Abbey</b>	<b>741</b>	<b>3648</b>
<b>Kirkstall Abbey</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>3076</b>

Our target for whole school attendance is 97%

Attendance from Sept. to date is: 96.4%

Attendance last week was: 98.5

	Attendance since September %	Attendance since last week %
Reception	94.8	98.6
Year 1	97.1	97.3
Year 2	97.4	100
Year 3	96.5	97
Year 4	96.4	99.3
Year 5	96.7	98.3
Year 6	95.7	98.7



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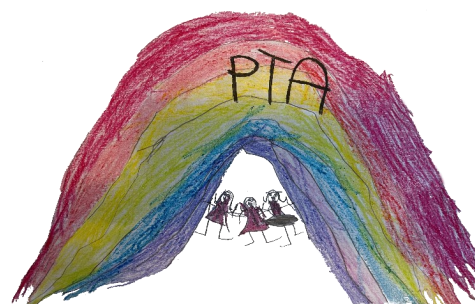
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## DATES FOR THE DIARY (new dates added in red)

26th May	Break up for half term
5th June	Return to school
8th June	U10 boys football match - Cookridge Holy Trinity at home.
12th - 16th June	Healthy Living Week: children to wear sports wear every day of the week
12th June	Skipping Workshops YR to Y6
13th June	Y4/5 Bushcraft in school
14th June	Sports Day - Option1
14th June	U11 Champion of Champions football match Shadwell at home
15th June	Citizen First Aid course - Year 6
15th June	Reception Sept 23 – Parent welcome event 6pm
20th June	St John the Baptist Day - Whole school service at Adel Church
21st June	Sports Day - Option 2
28th June	Reception Sept 23 - Transition morning 1 9:30-11:00
1st July	PTA Summer Fayre
5th July	Reception Sept 23 - Transition morning 2 9:30—11:00
5th - 7th July	Year 6 to Carlton Lodge
6th July	AIM High Maths day at Ireland Wood - Y1 and 2 Year 3 Open Classroom at 9am
11th July	Year 4 Open Classroom at 9am
12th July	Year 1 Harlow Carr trip
12th July	Year 6 Leavers event at The Stables (pm)
13th July	Year 1 Open classroom at 9am Year 5 Open Classroom at 3pm PTA End of Year School Disco
14th July	Year 6 Open Classroom at 3pm
17th July	Year 4 Ukulele Performance at 9.30am - Y4 parents and carers welcome
18th July	Y5 & 6 End of Year Production at 6.30pm
19th July	Y5 & 6 End of Year Production at 2pm
20th July	Year 2 Open Classroom at 9am
21st July	Year 4 Murton Park trip - Viking Day!
24th July	Year 6 Leavers party - West Leeds Activity Centre
25th July	Year 6 Leavers assembly
25th July	Last day of term. Summer holidays begin



In search of volunteers....

If you and / or your child would like to run a stall at the Summer Fair, please sign up at:

[https://  
volunteersignup.org/8CXHB](https://volunteersignup.org/8CXHB)

If you are signing up your child, add the child's name, but your contact details.

Or come and speak to the PTA team.





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## ASJ SUMMER FAIR

£2 ENTRY PER FAMILY OR  
£1 PER ADULT, 50P PER CHILD

**Adel St John the  
Baptist Primary  
School**

**Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> July  
11-2pm**

Bouncy Castle / Face painting / BBQ /  
Glitter Tattoos / Tombola / Cakes

...and much more

**Special performance by the choir at 1pm**



Lifelong Learning Centre



Lifelong Learning Centre



### PATHWAYS TO HIGHER EDUCATION FOR ADULT LEARNERS June - July 2023



Join us at the Lifelong Learning Centre for an in-person or online event to find out more about study options for mature students at the University of Leeds.

Hear about the support and finance available and try out a taster of our part-time or full-time degrees and preparation courses for adult learners.

Use the QR code or link below to register for your chosen dates (see over). You are welcome to attend as many events as you choose.

[bit.ly/PathwaystoHE2023](https://bit.ly/PathwaystoHE2023)

SIGN UP HERE



Lunch will be provided at daytime events, with light refreshments available at evening events.

A small number of pre-school childcare places are available for daytime events only. Please book 10 days before the event if you need childcare and we'll call to discuss your requirements.

#### IN - PERSON EVENTS

• Visit campus • Meet tutors • Talk to current students

**Professional Studies**  
A broad degree for mature students

Wednesday 7th June  
10:00am - 10:00pm

**Prepare for Higher Education**  
Part-time, evening foundation year

Tuesday 13th June  
10:00am - 10:00pm

**Business Management and Leadership**  
Part-time, evening study to develop your career

Tuesday 20th June  
6:00pm - 8:00pm

**Supporting Learning, Supporting Families**  
Part-time degrees for adults working or volunteering with children or families

Saturday 24th June  
10:00am - 10:00pm

#### ONLINE EVENTS

• Join us for an evening session from the comfort of home

**Professional Studies**  
A broad degree for mature students

Tuesday 6th June  
6:30pm - 7:00pm

**Prepare for Higher Education**  
Part-time, evening foundation year

Thursday 15th June  
6:30pm - 7:00pm

**Business Management and Leadership**  
Part-time, evening study to develop your career

Monday 19th June  
6:30pm - 7:00pm

**Child and Family Studies**  
Flexible study, one afternoon or evening a week

Wednesday 28th June  
6:30pm - 7:00pm

**Learning and Teaching with SEND**  
Part-time, one afternoon a week

Tuesday 4th July  
6:30pm - 7:00pm

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## ASJ HOLIDAY CLUB SUMMER

At Adel St John the Baptist C of E Primary School

WEEK 1 WEDNESDAY 26TH JULY - THURSDAY 27TH JULY  
WEEK 2 MONDAY 31ST JULY - THURSDAY 3RD AUGUST  
WEEK 3 MONDAY 7TH AUGUST - THURSDAY 10TH AUGUST

Activities	Information
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Crafts</li><li>• Outdoor Activities</li><li>• Baking</li><li>• Water Play</li></ul>	8am - 5.30pm Breakfast and a light afternoon snack provided £28 per day

What to bring	Registration
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Packed Lunch</li><li>• Water Bottle</li><li>• Swimwear and a towel for Water Play</li></ul>	To book a place at our summer camp, please complete a booking form, which can be found on our school website in the OOSC section. Email: <a href="mailto:oosc@adel-st-john.leeds.sch.uk">oosc@adel-st-john.leeds.sch.uk</a>

## DO YOU KNOW A CHILD WITH A PASSION FOR FASHION? DO THEY HAVE STAND-OUT STYLE?

Would they like to show off their creative design skills to celebrities + showcase their ideas to the fashion world?

lion TV MEDIA

THE MAKERS OF "HORRIBLE HISTORIES" ARE LOOKING FOR 10 TO 14 YEAR OLDS FOR A BRAND NEW STYLING CHALLENGE SHOW FOR

CBC + iPLAYER

For more details, parents/guardians should contact:

**[Fashion@liontv.co.uk](mailto:Fashion@liontv.co.uk)**

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## ADEL ST JOHN THE BAPTIST C OF E (VA) PRIMARY SCHOOL SCHOOL CALENDAR (term dates) 2023 – 2024

HOLIDAY	SCHOOL CLOSURES	SCHOOL OPENS
Summer break		Monday 4 September 2023
Autumn mid-term	Friday 27 October 2023	Monday 6 November 2023
Christmas break	Friday 22 December 2023	Monday 8 January 2024
Spring mid-term	Friday 9 February 2024	Monday 19 February 2024
Easter break	Thursday 28 March 2024	Monday 15 April 2024
May Bank Holiday	Friday 3 May 2024	Tuesday 7 May 2024
Summer mid-term	Friday 24 May 2024	Monday 3 June 2024
Summer break	Tuesday 23 July 2024	

ADEL ST JOHN THE BAPTIST C OF E (VA) PRIMARY SCHOOL TRAINING DAYS
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> September 2023
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> October 2023
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May 2024
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2024
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July 2024

PARENTS' EVENINGS	
Autumn Term	Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> October 2023 Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> October 2023
Spring Term	Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> February 2024 Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> February 2024

### Term length

Autumn	75 days
Spring	54 days
Summer	66 days
<b>Total</b>	<b>195 days</b>

### Bank Holidays include

Christmas	25 & 26	December	2023
New Year's Day	1	January	2024
Good Friday	29	March	2024
Easter Monday	1	April	2024
May Day	6	May	2024
Spring Bank	27	May	2024
August	24	August	2023