



**Dalton St Mary's CE Primary School**  
**Spring Term 2**  
**Newsletter 24**  
**1<sup>st</sup> April 2022**

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are at the end of the Spring term already, I am thankful to get through a full term without too much disruption; hopefully this will continue next term. We have had lots of fun over the last two weeks with the official opening (by me!) of the new Adventure Trail and a huge Easter Egg Hunt on the field yesterday. I would like to thank Year 6 children for both of these things – designing the new Adventure Trail and organising and running the easter Egg Hunt.

Can I please ask that children **do not go onto** the Adventure Trail at the beginning and end of the school day as we do not have a staff member on duty on the trail at each end of the day.

### **Visitors in School**

This week, as part of Mrs Croskery's EdTech work, we had a group of senior leaders from schools around the county and Lancashire to learn about the way we use technology. We are always proud to share our learning at DSM and just one of the amazing comments we received was:

*Amazing confidence of the children at DSM. The children explained how and why they were presenting their work in a certain way. Their work was of such a high standard and their engagement was unbelievable!*

### **Ukraine Appeal**

Thank you for your kind donations to the Ukraine appeal, Mrs Ryder is going to pass these on today and I know they will be gratefully received.

I do hope everyone has a lovely Easter break and I look forward to seeing you all on **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2022**.

There are lots of dates in Dates for Diaries, I will keep updating this as the term moves on and I do hope this helps for families planning ahead.

Kind regards

*Mrs L Woodburn*

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## Dates for Diaries

Return to School		Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> April 2022
Y5 Coniston Parent Meeting – 2.45pm	This will be online, there will be a link in the Y5 Parent Showbie group on the day. There will be notes sent home for parents who can't make the meeting.	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> April 2022 – 2.45pm
Whole School Photograph		Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> April 2022
Library Bus Visit		Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> April 2022
May Bank Holiday		Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May 2022
Polling Day	Year 6 children are in school but school is closed for all other year groups.	Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> May 2022
Year 5 Coniston		Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> May to Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> May 2022
Year 6 SATs Week		Wk. Beg: 9 <sup>th</sup> May 2022
Sports Afternoon	Parents are welcome – details to follow nearer the time	Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> May 2022
Reserve Sports Afternoon	Parents are welcome – details to follow nearer the time	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> May 2022
Y6 York Parent Meeting - 2.45pm	This will be online, there will be a link in the Y6 Parent Showbie group on the day. There will be notes sent home for parents who can't make the meeting.	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 2022 – 2.45pm
Young Voices - Manchester		Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> May 2022
'Street Party'	We are planning a 'Street Party' for the children to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee	Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> May 2022
Finish for half term	We are finishing one day early as we are using the additional bank holiday for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee	
Back to School		Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> June 2022
Y3/Y4 Visit to Grizedale Forest		Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> June 2022
KS2 Track and Field Athletics (Carlisle)	Details to follow nearer the time	Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2022
Year 6 York		Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> June to Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> June 2022
Reception Visit Grizedale Forest		Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> July 2022
End of Year Reports		Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> July 2022
Finish for Summer		Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July 2022