

Dear Families

We have made it to the end of another incredibly busy half term with so much to be proud of and to celebrate. It was lovely to see so many of you at Collective Worship this morning, as Kendrick reminded us in his reflection about counting our blessings. In the busyness of each half term, it is sometimes easy to forget to count our blessings for the things in our lives, no matter how big or small. For us as a school community we recognise the hard work of everybody who plays their part in making Tintwistle the special place that it is. I have been delighted with the learning going on in school, the wider opportunities from music and sporting events, and the amazing way everyone is committed to helping one another flourish.

As we look ahead to the final summer term there will be a lot going on, so do keep an eye on newsletters, email updates and text messages, as we have a number of school trips, a sports week, leavers related assemblies and events, as well as an IN-SET day and closure for the General Election. With that in mind, I would like to reassure you that we have not made the decision to close for polling day lightly. We have been told we have to be a polling station, and the Governors and I are in agreement that it is not safe to have children on site at the same time as the general public, due to the safeguarding risk posed. Thank you for your understanding.

Next half term I will be sending out information about classes and staffing for next year, including inviting any new members of our Tintwistle family in for a transition day. During the first week back we are going to be sharing Miss Jones' books at Good News Gathering on Friday 7 June 2024, as we want to give each class the opportunity to share the wonderful work they have been completing across the curriculum.

Tonight is the Well Dressing at the top of Old Road. The children and staff have worked really hard on producing a D-Day inspired Well Dressing to link with this years' theme. Thank you to all who have been involved in making it, and I am sure the community will love to see you there for tonight's service from 7pm.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all of your support, and wish you a safe a peaceful half term; lets hope the sun makes an appearance!

M Mulhall



ATTENDANCE

4 September 2023 to 17 May 2024

School Target is 97%.

Parents will be contacted if attendance falls to 93%. Parents will be called in for a meeting with the Family Support Worker/Local Authority if attendance falls below 90%.

	Attendance	
Class 1	93.87%	
Class 2	Class 2 89.17%	
Class 3	94.91%	
Class 4	95.40%	
Class 5	Class 5 89.40%	
Whole School	92.25%	

Upcoming Dates

24 May 3 June	-	School closes for one week
5 June	-	School re-opens Dental check for 5 year olds
24 June	_	INSET day
1 July	_	St Philip Howard transition week Year 6
1 July	-	Year 5 Bikeability - PROVISIONAL DATE
2 July	-	Year 5 Bikeability - PROVISIONAL DATE
4 Julý	-	Polling Day -school closed to children
5 Julý	-	Glossopdale transition day Year 6
	-	Move up day
	-	Reception move up day am only
19 July	-	Sports Day
22 July	-	Leavers Service at Christ Church
23 July	-	Close for Summer holiday
4 September		
5 September	-	School re-opens
16 September	-	School photographs







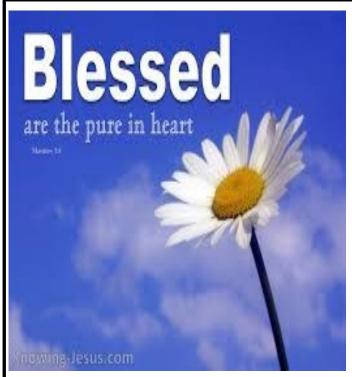
Massive congratulations to Reggie and William whose team won the East Manchester JFL Fused Sports Cup.



What an honour it was for Darcy to be chosen to play cricket for Derbyshire U11 Girls Intra County Games. Well done!



Our wonderful Well-Dressing created by the children of Tintwistle School.



Every Blessing for a wonderful half term.





School Routines:

The school gates open at 8:55am.

CLASS 1,2 & 3—School Ends 3:25pm

General Reminders:

Pumps can be left in school.

CLASS 2, 3 and 4 should have their book bags in daily.

Homework in CLASS 2, 3 and 4 goes out on a Friday and should be in by the following Thursday.

CLASS 5 should bring their reading books in daily. CLASS 5 homework goes out on a Thursday and comes in on a Thursday.

CLUBS

Clubs are continuing to fill up fast due the wide range of exciting activities on offer, please do book sessions as soon as possible to avoid disappointment by email to clubbook-ings@tintwistle.derbyshire.sch.uk

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNES- DAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Morning	8.00- 8.55am £5	800- 8.55am £5	8.00- 8.55am £5	8.00- 8.55am £5	8.00- 8.55am £5
After School	ENGI- NEERING & ROBOT- ICS CLUB 3.30- 5.30pm £6 first hour £10 for 2 hours	SPORTS CLUB £5p/h SPORTS CLUB 3.30- 4.30pm Y3-Y6 FREE	FOREST SCHOOL 3.30- 5.30pm £5p/h	CREATION CLUB 3.30- 5.30pm £5p/h	LEGO CLUB 3.30-5.30pm £5p/h

SCHOOL UNIFORM/PE DAYS

Thank you for your support in sending children in in their PE kits. Please do send pumps in to school for the children's pegs for indoor activities.

PE Days

Forest School Days

Class 1 - Wednesday Class 2 - Tuesday Class 3 - Thursday Class 4 - Monday & Tuesday Class 5 - Wednesday

Nursery - Tuesday pm Reception - Friday pm

Tintwistle Clubs Next Week:

DATE	TIME	TEACHER & CLUB	CLASSES
Wednesday	12.30	Miss Jones	Classes 2, 3, 4 & 5
Thursday	12.30	Mrs Vitti Homework Club	Classes 2, 3, 4 & 5
Friday	12.30	Choir Mrs Bott	Classes 2, 3, 4 & 5





Sophia - Happy 9th birthday

PARKING

Thank for following our school rules about using the turning circle. Sue and I will continue to monitor the situation and you will see us randomly popping out, to ensure good practice continues to be followed, as this is important for the safety of all in our community.

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