

JANUARY 2023		
Tuesday 24 th	Mrs Walker out Diocesan Meeting TCSSA Boys 5 a side	
Thursday 26 th	Class 4 Eco workshop Mrs Walker out am Tameside Heads Briefing Dining Tables being serviced Mrs Walker pm Diocesan Heads Briefing	
Friday 27 th	Year 5 Mass	
Saturday 28 th	Cross Country East Cheshire Harriers	
Tuesday 31 st	Girl's Football Athletics Year 5 and 6	
FEBRUARY		
Thursday 2 nd	Year 5 and 6 Wildcat football	
Friday 3 rd	H&S Audit Jennifer Draper	
Saturday 4 th	Greater Manchester Cross Country	
Tuesday 7 th	Mr Woolley out pm Diocesan Deputies	
Wednesday 8 th	Governors Finance Meeting 4.30pm	
Friday 10 th	Year 1 Mass	
Tuesday 14 th	Reflective Visit LAC Designated Teacher Training Mrs Walker and Mr Woolley	St Peter's
Wednesday 15 th	PAT testing RE Hub Meeting	
Thursday 16 th	Diocesan SLT prayer and reflection	
Friday 17 th	School Closes for half term	
Monday 27 th	School reopens	

FOR MORE INFORMATION

www.st-james-hyde.tameside.sch.uk

Friends of St James Hattersley on Facebook

@StJHattersley on Twitter

There are many different ways in which we communicate information at St James'. Our **newsletter** which can be found on Facebook and on our website. Our **Facebook** page is Friends of St James Hattersley, please request to join, you will be asked questions about your relationship to children in school so we can ensure that we can check who is joining. Our **website** is www.st-james-hyde.tameside.sch.uk and we also have a **twitter** account @StJHattersley and we are always looking for more followers! We also have a parent **texting** service so please ensure that we always have your most recent mobile phone number. You can also talk to us on the gate or nip into the office with a message!

St James' Catholic Primary

"Great News"

Friday 20th January 2023

LITURGY MATTERS

Assemblies

RECEPTION ASSEMBLY: We were all absolutely delighted with Reception's Assembly yesterday. We heard every word, spoken and sung, It was lovely. Thank you to the Reception staff for preparing them so well and to all the visitors who took time out to come and join us at the Assembly.

Next Friday, 27th January, will be YEAR 5's MASS over in Church.

First Sacraments.

Don't Forget... The Enrolment Mass for First Sacraments is Sunday 22nd January in church at 9am. It will be lovely to see you all there on Sunday.

(First Reconciliation will be on Friday 5th May in Church and First Communion will be on Saturday 24th June at 11am in Church).

YOUNG VOICES

Before the pandemic we were regular participants at The Young Voices Choir Concert. We are delighted to be taking part again this year. All of the Juniors have been learning the Young Voices songs in singing time and we have booked tickets for Year 5 and 6 to go to Sheffield Arena to take part in the actual concert on February 10th. The children will be singing and being part of the choir but will also get to see some famous professional singers and dancers as part of the show. The last time we went it was Tony Hadley... ladies of a similar age will understand some of the staff's reaction to this! It is always wonderful to watch the Urban Strides dance group too.

We have an early lunch on the day and then head to the arena for an afternoon of rehearsals followed by a packed tea and then the concert! It is a wonderful occasion. It is a late night as we are normally back between 10.30 and 11 pm.

In the past we have gone to the Young Voices concerts at the Manchester Arena but have decided to have a change this year and try Sheffield as it is smaller so we will, hopefully, be out quicker and, as the coaches park next to the arena, we will hopefully be back on the coach much quicker and home about the same time or even sooner.

If you have Spotify you can play the songs so your child can practice them at home, just search Young Voices 2023. Letter to follow next week.

CONGRATULATIONS

Mrs Malone and Mrs Kinder completed the training to renew their Paediatric First Aid certificates this week and both passed. Well done ladies and thank you for being part of the First Aid team.

NURSERY TRIP

Nursery were very excited to go out on their bus trip today. They enjoyed sitting on the bus and seeing all the different houses, buildings and views between school and Hyde. They also enjoyed singing a few verses of "The Wheels on the Bus", I'm sure that the other passengers enjoyed it as much as them! Thank you to our Nursery staff and Mrs Duggan for providing this opportunity for them.

NURSERY

We currently have some places in our Nursery if you know of anyone with a child who is already 3 or will turn 3 this academic year. Please give us a ring if you are interested in a nursery place. It is also useful to have those under 3 on our list so we can predict numbers.

PARKING

It is really important that we have access to our gates at all time, please could you avoid stopping in front of the gates, staff, deliveries and possibly emergency vehicles need access at all times!

We are very lucky with our neighbours who are all very supportive of school. Please can you continue to park considerately, the best plan is to avoid Cheriton Close altogether and park on the church car park and walk round to school. **Please don't park on the grass verges.**

PE KIT

Everyone has PE on a Tuesday and we are going to continue coming to school in our PE Kits on a Tuesday. Please can you ensure that it is our school kit of white t-shirt and dark blue or black shorts, as plain as possible. Children may also wear trainers on Tuesdays. Staff may also wear their gym kit on Tuesdays for our well being and keeping fit sessions after school.

SPORTS

AFTER SCHOOL AND LUNCHTIME CLUBS

All school clubs have started or restarted well. Thank you to all staff who are giving up their time freely to ensure that the children have a broad and deep curriculum.

MONDAY

Elite Runners: Lunchtime training for the school running squad with Mr Woolley, Mrs Collins and Miss Clark. There are running events coming up... letters to follow

TUESDAY

Cheerleaders: Lunchtime training for cheerleading squad with Mrs Collins and Mrs Snarr.

Terri's Sports Club: After School multisports for Y3-Y6, 3.30-5pm with Terri

Art Club: After School by invitation 3.30-4.30pm with Mrs Collins and Mr Woolley.

WEDNESDAY

Boys Football: After school training with Mr Partridge 3.30-5pm. The TCSSA 5 a side competition is coming up, letters to follow.

French Club: A new venture for Y5 children with Mrs Clarke 3.30-4.30pm.

THURSDAY

Year 6 Tutoring: For all Year 6 children with all staff 3.30-4.30pm.

Hattersley Brass: All welcome from Y4 upwards... Beginners Band 3.45-4.30pm. Hattersley Brass 4.45-5.45pm. **Year 6 Children, who are in 10 O Clock Club, may come to band after tutoring, they will need picking up at 5.45pm.**

FRIDAY

Girls Football: After school training with Mr Partridge 3.30-5pm.